

GERMANS AT HOME IN RUSSIA

Get the Russian Monarch's Goat
at Skiernewice and Are Tak-
ing Good Care of It.

ANIMAL FOUND IN BACK YARD

And the Neutral Correspondents
Promptly Make Merry Over
the Inoffensive Creature.

CHATEAU KNOWN TO FAME

"Meeting of the Three Emperors"
Was Held on the Estate
31 Years Ago.

By James O'Donnell Bennett.

SKIERNIEWICE, Russia, Sept. 6.—There is a rude American slang phrase, which implies that when you have figuratively speaking, got a man's goat you have deprived him in a manner at once unceremonious and decisive of something dear to him, and that in the process you have not only stunned and bewildered him, but in some measure made him ridiculous.

The Germans literally have got the Russian Imperial goat. It is wandering care free and comfortable on what used to be the Czar's favorite Polish playground—the hunting lodge of Skiernewice—and German soldiers now occupying the place not only have got the goat but are making much of it.

Accustomed, apparently, in past times when courtiers were as common as stable boys at Skiernewice, to having the great old trees which lead up to the imperial chateau. Instantly the incandescent cry went up, "The Germans have got the Czar's goat!" Forthwith the pretty creature, which assumed in rapid succession attitudes aloof and unconcerned, skittish and inquiring, combative and supercilious was photographed in all those attitudes, and all the photographs were labeled "Getting the Czar's Goat."

After that Skiernewice settled back into the dull decorum of German occupation and the sentries wondered what the mad "zeitungsleute" were laughing about.

Castle of Historical Interest.

I suppose more notable men and women—Emperors, Kings, Chancellors, Generals, and Primates—have passed within the imitation castle of brick which serves for a railway station at Skiernewice than have ever alighted at any other town in the world of equal size, but you might look on a hundred English or American made maps of Russia and not find a word about it.

And yet here in 1854 was held the historic "meeting of the three Emperors" which was to have established the affairs of Europe on such a beautiful basis, and here have been held innumerable house parties at which the fate of empires was informally discussed by the men and women who held the threads of destiny in their hands.

From Christmas until the middle of July Skiernewice lay within range of the Russian guns. It was the southernly point of that tremendous triangle of death which visited and wrote about last winter, and it was one of the points from which were launched the Russian attacks along the Bzura-Rawka line, from which the Russians fell back to the Blonie line only a few weeks ago. It is forty miles southwest of Warsaw, and in peace time it has a population of 12,000.

In the course of the December fighting the long, catalanized railway station at Skiernewice, where the red carpets for royalty have so often been laid down, was badly shattered, but it is now well repaired and scrupulously clean. The Czar's waiting room, however, still stands open to the glad sky and will require numerous alterations in addition to a new roof, before he will care to use it again.

Among other things that will have to go before he comes back will be, I fancy, certain mottoes which German soldiers have worked out in various fancy forms and hung over the station entrance. They convey the following intelligence of a patriotic nature:

WIR DEUTSCHEN HALTEN
DIE RUSSISCHEN
ZUSAMMEN.

and—
HEIL KAISER WILHELM DIR!

On a cask head which had been converted into a very presentable shield, the arms of the German Empire have been worked out in the national colors and encircled with a wreath of evergreen. This composition also is hung over an entrance through which the majesty of Russia used to pass. Everywhere are new German signs which give the distances and direction to points all along the railway line, and which warn the soldiers not to talk to strangers, especially women strangers, and not to drink unboiled water.

Everything that could be of white-wash could be applied has been so treated, and soldiers are setting out plants in bits of greenery at one end of the train platform. A little pretentious stand where you can buy the latest German magazines and editions of German classic plays bound in paper covers has been opened, and the soldier whose train stops at Skiernewice for a few minutes can also buy a good sandwich for 5 cents and a glass of beer for 2 1/2 cents. It is set down that the German soldiers are so entirely characteristic of the tasks of repairing and decorating which the Germans have been engaged in since the railway stations along the vast stretches of country they have occupied on both fronts. They are the German soldiers, thorough at this kind of thing than the Austrians are in the territory they occupy.

French system—well, matters were more at loose ends at the railway stations in France a week or two ago than they are now in some remote

little Russian village which the Germans have held for a few days. The difference seemed to me important because it spelled a national character, now in such large print.

Boy Scout for Walter.

And you can always depend upon a German soldier promptly to set the eating part of his quarters to rights. In the restaurant of the Skiernewice station there are flowers on the table and a mannerly Boy Scout to wait on table and a menu that is amazing when you consider how far the food has to be transported. On the walls of the dining room are the pictures of Field Marshal von Hindenburg and two of the German Emperors, and one of the Crown Prince and one of John the Baptist, and that selection leaves the theologians to make what they can.

Uncleanliness, comfort, and low voices give a strangely sedate and well ordered tone to this place, where you cannot walk a dozen paces without seeing shattered walls and unroofed rooms and unglazed windows.

In the switchyards outside stand work cars, the roofs of which have long since been added over in order to shelter the flyers. The grass is quite flourishing. Heard German railway engineers—also a German soldier in uniform—service, and proud of it—are maneuvering long trains of flat cars loaded with munitions. As to the German engineers and German soldiers and German civilians, they all seem to be in places as unexpected, the old question rises to the lips: "Where does the emperor live?"

Beyond the area in front of the station the switch yards are still a mass of wreckage. The town proper, however, seems to be unharmed.

The exterior of the Czar's chateau is not pretentious, but the lawns and gardens around it are lovely. The stretch of ground in front of the chateau has lately received a new embellishment, the personification of which is a German soldier in uniform. It is a gigantic fascimile of a German iron cross composed of foliage and plants which leaves that are almost identical with the leaves of the iron cross.

On the edge of the park rises the ornate lodge church of white and green and red. The church was built by the private theatre somewhere about the place, but we did not see that.

Said in charge of the chateau is the ancient castellan who was there in the days of the great old trees which lead up to the imperial chateau. "I'm-so-humble-Mr. Coppersmith" face thoughtfully to the sentries of the Czar's bed-guard sleep beneath the trees.

Scene of a Grim Tragedy.—Here the Crown Prince Leopold of Bavaria had slept in recent days. Here was a door at the bottom of a stairway that led down and disclosed not only the tiny closet into which it opened but also the room in which the Crown Prince had been shot. The sentries of the Czar's bed-guard sleep beneath the trees.

And just beyond that cubby hole is the little room in which the Crown Prince was killed. The castellan did not tell us the story of the tragedy, but he did tell us that the Crown Prince was killed in the room in which he was killed. The Crown Prince was killed in the room in which he was killed.

The sole genuinely artistic object I saw in the chateau was a little plate of silver enameled with miniature. The most delicate design imaginable. For the first time I saw the face of a man seldom nearer to temptation than when he was left alone for several minutes. The man in the apartment was a human nature, and German and Russian human nature in particular to realize that the Crown Prince was killed in the room in which he was killed.

I also noted the facts that in one deserted room after another fly paper had been hanging from the ceiling, and that there is a big "wipe-your-feet" mat in front of the main entrance. The sentries of the Czar's bed-guard sleep beneath the trees.

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96,899 BRITISH LOST AT THE DARDANELLES

Nearly 19,000 Killed, of Whom
1,185 Were Officers—French
Losses Unknown.

LONDON, Oct. 15.—The total of British casualties at the Dardanelles up to today, according to official figures given here today, was 96,899.

Of this total the number of men killed was 19,000, of whom 1,185 were officers. The number of British wounded was 77,899. The number of British missing was 1,000. The number of British captured was 1,000.

Announcement of the great losses of the British forces at the Dardanelles follows the sensational speech in the House of Commons by Lord Curzon, the Foreign Secretary, on Thursday night of last week. He said that the expedition was hopeless. He suggested that the British should withdraw from the Gallipoli Peninsula and transfer to some other front. Lord Curzon said that it was impossible to give an undertaking either that the troops would continue the Dardanelles operations or would be withdrawn from them.

Figures given out yesterday do not tell the full story of what it has cost the Allies to attempt to force the Dardanelles. In addition to the British casualties are the losses of the French, and the British have lost a great deal of money. The British have lost a great deal of money.

TURKS REPORT SUCCESSES.

Tel. of Recent Heavy Allied Losses
at the Dardanelles.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 14, (via London, Oct. 15).—An official statement issued tonight by the Turkish War Office says:

Near Anafarta we inflicted heavy losses on the enemy by the use of bombs. Our fire damaged an enemy aeroplane, which fell east of Tuzla-gol and finally was destroyed by our artillery. Our artillery destroyed an enemy machine gun position near Anafarta. Our observation detachments near Sedd-el-Bahr inflicted heavy losses on the enemy. A mine exploded under the British right wing after a surprise attack with hand grenades. Tuesday night, a mine exploded under the British right wing after a surprise attack with hand grenades. Tuesday night, a mine exploded under the British right wing after a surprise attack with hand grenades.

ENGLAND CAN PAY IF PEOPLE WILL SAVE

Sir George Paish, Confidant of
Nation's Power, Emphasizes
the Need of Economy.

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Regarded Generosity as
a Virtue.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Oct. 15.—Sir George Paish, editor of the *Standard*, commented on the speech in Parliament Wednesday by Mr. Montagu, Financial Secretary to the Treasury, in which he foreboded sweeping measures to obtain funds for the prosecution of the war, said:

"The speech of the Financial Secretary to the Treasury is being much discussed. No one acquainted with the financial strength of Great Britain can doubt her power to maintain her great war expenses and to continue her valuable financial assistance to her allies, provided, of course, that her financial position is not weakened to such an extent that it will yield the greatest advantage."

"An important part of that financial strength consists in the freedom with which money is spent in England in normal times, after proper provision has been made for the needs of the country and for the great sums of money lent to foreign nations."

"Since the war began the country as a whole has maintained, and probably somewhat increased, its expenditures on the everyday things of life, and at the same time the Government has spent great sums upon munitions of war. The expenditures have, however, become so vast that some reduction in the domestic expenditures of the nation are now essential, and measures need to be taken to bring this about."

"The Government hoped to accomplish this by inducing the public voluntarily to reduce their domestic expenditures and to place the money saved in war loans, and it has been necessary to instruct the public as to the economic and financial consequences according to the nature of the measures adopted."

"So far the British people have found the task of changing their habits and customs extraordinary difficult, for

ALLIES WILL SEEK MORE CREDITS HERE

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Morgan & Co. made this statement concerning the temporary receipts as collateral:

"It is understood that an impression is current in the city that the British participation receipts in the Anglo-French loan are being sold. This is absolutely erroneous. The receipts are being sold to the syndicate managers, but they are not being sold to the public. A letter to any bank recognizing an assignment for the purpose of raising money has been abandoned the trip to London and will sail for home within a few days."

CZAR MAY GET HALF OF LOAN.

Great Britain to Rescue Russia,
Which Plunged on War Supplies.

The Associated Press sent out this statement last night:

"The millions of dollars spent daily in this country by the Allies for war supplies, not a dollar, it was learned authoritatively today, can be spent without first obtaining the official sanction of the British Government."

This sanction is obtained from a committee sitting in London and holding the purse strings. Although the committee has been in operation for many months, its existence has not heretofore been generally known outside of Governmental circles. Only once, so far as can be learned—and that in the case of Russia—has the committee been in operation for many months, its existence has not heretofore been generally known outside of Governmental circles.

"The committee is designated by a French title, the International War Supplies Committee."

Under its guidance Great Britain, France, Russia, and Italy, in seeking munitions of war in the United States, and other supplies, refrain from competitive bidding. Such competition, if permitted, the committee realized early in its career, would result in sending prices of munitions and other supplies to the sky. Its duty was to keep the price of munitions and other supplies at a reasonable level. It has done this by keeping the price of munitions and other supplies at a reasonable level.

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Six Seamen Accompanied the
Kronprinz's Officers in the
Yacht Eclipse.

FIVE MORE TRY FLIGHT

But Dutch Captain Refuses to Take
Them Aboard—Washington
Stops All Leave.

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

NORFOLK, Va., Oct. 15.—It became known today that besides the six German officers whose escape was announced yesterday, six enlisted men sailed from Hampton Roads in the yacht Eclipse for a destination unknown, and that other officers and members of the two interned cruisers here were attempting to obtain passage on outgoing steamers bound for European ports.

The investigations of Secret Service men in the employ of the Navy Department today disclosed the fact that no less than twelve German officers and sailors were aboard the Eclipse when it was last seen Sunday afternoon. It was also learned that the little craft was stored with provisions, a large quantity of gasoline and other supplies at one of the Sewall Point piers along the city wharves. It was also learned that the Germans bought what they needed in small quantities and in the course of the purchase they were observed by the Secret Service men. It was also learned that the Germans bought what they needed in small quantities and in the course of the purchase they were observed by the Secret Service men.

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(from a letter)

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FIND MUCH FRAUD IN MOSS PETITIONS

Krause, a Becker Witness, Arrested, and Warrants Are Out for More.

60 PER CENT. FALSE NAMES

Men Repudiate Their Signatures—
A Perkins Notary Caught in Primary Investigation.

Louis Krause of 19 West 117th Street, a Deputy Superintendent of Elections and Commissioner of Deeds, was arrested last night on the charge of taking false acknowledgments to a petition for the nomination of Frank Moss as the Republican and Progressive nominee for District Attorney. Assistant District Attorney Vetter, who has been making an investigation into frauds at the last primaries, said more than 60 per cent of the signatures on petitions submitted by Krause were spurious.

Krause was a Becker witness. On the first trial he was called to the stand by Mr. Moss, then Assistant District Attorney, to identify the gunmen, "Lefty Louis," "Gyp the Blood," and "Whitely Lewis," who were hired to kill Rosenthal. Since the execution of ex-Lieutenant Becker, Krause has frequently complained to the District Attorney's office that he was being hounded and persecuted for having testified.

When arrested yesterday on a warrant issued by Magistrate Tom Byck, Krause was taken to Police Headquarters, where he was later bailed out in \$1,000. He will be arraigned in the Tombs Court today.

The specific charge against him states that on Aug. 25, as a Commissioner of Deeds, he purported to witness the signature of Richard Fredel, Jr., of 230 East Eighty-ninth Street, and take an oath that Fredel was a voter in the primary and qualified to place his name on the petition.

The man referred to in the petition was, in fact, Richard Fredel, Jr., living at the address given. Mr. Fredel denied that he had signed the petition. Three other men whose names appeared in the petition had repudiated their signatures. The names were James J. Reilly, of 236 East Nineteenth Street, Aaron Greenbaum, of 338 East Nineteenth Street, and Henry Greenbaum, of 308 East Nineteenth Street.

Other tests are expected before the investigation into primary frauds is concluded. So far no irregularities have been discovered in Tammany petitions. In the petitions for John J. O'Connell, a Progressive candidate, who withdrew in favor of Frank Moss, there is evidence of extensive frauds, which may lead to the arrest of nine or ten notaries who acknowledged the signatures.

A warrant has already been issued for a notary who drew up a faulty petition naming District Attorney Perkins for the Republican nomination. This man informed the District Attorney's office that he would surrender.

BOWERS WANTS FEES CUT.
Candidate for Sheriff Writes to the Board of Estimate.
Under Sheriff Frank K. Bowers, candidate for Sheriff on the Republican ticket, has written a letter to the Board of Estimate suggesting that instead of reducing salaries of city employees, legislation be recommended to eliminate the present fee system of the Sheriff's office and the abolition of Luttrell Street Jail. The under Sheriff says that this legislation, if passed, will save fully \$100,000 to the city.

Bull Moose Oppose Constitution.
The County Executive Committee of the National Progressive Party went on record last night as opposing the proposed new State Constitution. Although William H. Hotchkiss had written a letter to the committee asking it to favor the Constitution and Stanley Isaacs, Chairman of the committee, to consider the Constitution had reported in favor of it, the committee, said the Constitution should be beaten and a resolution was adopted unanimously to this effect.

W. R. Hearst in Campaign.
According to an announcement made yesterday by Edmund O'Connor, Chairman of the Independence League Campaign Committee of Kings County, William R. Hearst will speak at a meeting in Prospect Hall next Saturday on behalf of Edward T. O'Loughlin, leader of the league, who is the Democratic and Independence League nominee for Register. The ticket of the league is also the McCooey ticket.

CALLS NOMINATIONS VOID.

Danehy Says Judicial Candidates Are Result of a "Deal."

Stanley Danehy, a Bronx lawyer, who was nominated for Justice of the Supreme Court on the Prohibition ticket, sent a protest to the Board of Elections yesterday against all nominations except his own, made for Justices of the Supreme Court by the various political parties at the recent primaries, being printed on the official election ballot this year. Mr. Danehy says all other nominations but his own are void because the political parties entered into a "deal" to bring about the nominations. He said:

"As said six judicial candidates should not be put to profit by their own participation in wrongdoing, and as I should not be put to the trouble and expense of contesting this matter, any votes are cast for these candidates at the election, I hereby protest to you against your allowing, putting, or printing the names of these six judicial candidates or any of them on the official election ballot to be used at the forthcoming election."

TRAVIS MAY PAY \$6,000,000.
Court Refuses to Enjoin State Controller from Redeeming Notes.

Supreme Court Justice Erlanger yesterday denied an application of the United Real Estate Owners Association for a temporary injunction restraining State Controller Travis from paying \$6,000,000 due yesterday on short term notes issued last February. The application was made by the association to secure and insure a free and fair election for Justices of the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District of the State.

The controller submitted an affidavit saying that before the payment of the notes he had ascertained that on June 30 there would be a deficit in the treasury of \$3,574,587, and that \$2,500,000 more would be needed before Oct. 1 to meet State obligations authorized by the Legislature and for the salaries of State officers and employees. Before the application was denied it was stipulated by the attorneys that the case should be placed on the short term calendar for trial without delay. The purpose of the suit is to set aside the right to borrow more than \$1,000,000 at any time without authority from the Legislature.

SHIP DRIFTS 1,166 MILES.
Lost Propeller in a Gale and Was Helpless During 30-Day Storm.

Officers of the Norwegian freighter Ulliken, which arrived last night at Quarantine, after having been at sea since Aug. 3, coming from Christiania, said that the vessel had been disabled in a storm and narrowly escaped being dashed to pieces on the rocks.

The Ulliken struck a piece of submerged wreckage and lost her propeller. At that time a westerly gale was blowing, which continued with heavy seas until Oct. 1. During these thirty days the Ulliken lay helpless in the mercy of wind and sea, and drifted 1,166 miles. The Sunday morning the vessel was being swept ashore on the rocky coast of Iceland when the wind changed and the vessel was blown the vessel out to sea again.

The crew was powerless to do anything while the storm lasted, but when it cleared on Oct. 1 the forward tanks were filled to raise the stern out of the water and the engines fitted on a new propeller.

ENDS FOUR LIVES WITH GAS.
Boatman Drowned, Widow Killed Herself and Three Children.

Mrs. Anna Huntsinger, 40 years old, of 355 Sixth Avenue, Brooklyn, whose husband, Joseph, a barge captain, was drowned several days ago in the Gowanus Canal, and her three children were found dead of asphyxiation yesterday morning by her brother, Peter Connell, a house mover, of 467 Sixth Avenue, Brooklyn.

Connell had called on Thursday night at 10 o'clock, but had left, thinking that the second floor, where the Huntsingers lived, he found the smell of gas very strong and downstairs, returning later with the landlord and a policeman.

They forced an entrance and found Mrs. Huntsinger, fully dressed, dead on a couch. The three children—Alice, 15; Elizabeth, 8; and Emma, 3—were dead in bed in their night clothes. Gas was flowing into the rooms from all the jets and the cracks in the door and windows had been stuffed with paper. A bank book, showing \$100 in deposits, and some money were found.

1 SLAIN, 4 WOUNDED IN POLITICAL FIGHT

Militia Called Out in Charleston After Pistol Battle Over Primary Votes.

STOPS COUNT OF BALLOTS

And Breaks Up Meeting of City Democratic Committee—Reporter Dies of Injuries.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Oct. 15.—A pistol battle in which one man was killed and four others wounded broke up a meeting of the Democratic City Executive Committee here today at which the votes of last Tuesday's municipal primary were to have been canvassed. A National Guard Company with fixed bayonets helped the police to restore order, and tonight still was patrolling the streets around the office building in which the trouble occurred.

Sidney J. Cohen, a reporter for The Charleston Evening Post, was shot through the lung and killed. W. A. Wingate, Superintendent of the city chain gang, was seriously hurt, and H. L. Wilensky, a city meter inspector, and Jeremiah O'Brien, Inspector of Weights and Measures and a member of the Executive Committee, received minor bullet wounds.

It was not clear tonight just who did the shooting, which occurred during a general scuffle in a hallway adjoining the committee room. Six arrests were made, but no specific charge was preferred against any of the prisoners. Cohen is said to have been leaning toward a window when the fatal shot struck him.

Today's trouble grew out of a bitter campaign which ended last Tuesday in a primary held while several companies of National Guards were kept in readiness to suppress possible disorders. The election was held in a hall where the guardsmen were dispersed on Wednesday. Followers of Mayor John P. Grace, an aspirant for renomination, charged that Governor Manning by sending troops was trying to interfere with the primary, thereby favoring the candidacy of Grace's opponent, Tristram T. Hyde.

Unofficial tabulation of the returns showed that Hyde had been nominated by a majority of nineteen votes out of more than 6,000 cast. The case of more than one hundred contested votes was to be settled today by the Executive Committee.

Just as the meeting was called to order some one in the hallway started a fight. After some scuffling, several pistols were brought into play, and amid the scramble to escape, three bullets were thrown out of the boxes in the room where the election was held.

When the shooting was heard, trouble was threatened for the crowd of police held the crowd in check while a hurry call was sent for the troops.

The ballot boxes thrown from the windows were recovered, and as far as known, only seven of the boxes in the room were missing. All of the men arrested are said to have been active in the election.

Max Goldman, a marine engineer; H. J. Brown, ice wagon driver; Edward McDonald, stevedore; J. J. Healy, former Police Sergeant; Conrad Stender, keeper of a cemetery.

It was said tonight the votes would be canvassed tomorrow.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Oct. 15.—As soon as Governor Manning received notice of the shooting he ordered the Washington Light Infantry of Charleston under arms during the absence of Adj. Gen. Moore. The Governor also ordered the Charleston Board of Control to close the dispensaries.

PROSPERITY IN PHILIPPINES.

Gov. Harrison Praises Administration and Progress of Filipinos.

MANILA, Oct. 15.—Governor General Francis Burton Harrison, in his message to the Legislature, describes the era in the islands preceding the beginning of the present administration in Washington as extravagant and careless, while economies and reform brought about in 1914-15 have averted bankruptcy and restored the stability of the Treasury without restricting necessary governmental activities.

Despite world-wide disturbances, the message says, excellent conditions in the Philippines are satisfactory. While politically there is harmony between the present and the former administration, the message adds that this Democratic experience justifies further extensions, and that the Jones bill was defeated only because there was not sufficient time for its consideration. The Governor General said that it was expected that this measure would be passed at the coming session of Congress and that its passage was eagerly awaited.

The message recommends the continuance of emergency taxation, the establishment of a general bank government aid in the construction of sugar and copra centrals, and larger appropriations for education.

STATE'S EXPENSES LEAP.
Exceeded by \$15,000,000 the Revenue of the Fiscal Year.

Special to The New York Times.
ALBANY, Oct. 15.—The expenditures of the State for the year ended Sept. 30 exceeded its revenues by \$15,014,160, according to the balance sheet of Controller Travis. The expenditures exceeded those of the preceding year by \$2,244,000, and the balance on hand on Oct. 1 was \$3,286,823. One Oct. 1, 1914, it was \$10,589,728, and in June 30, 1915, it was \$14,700,421. Against the \$3,286,823 balance this year the Controller shows \$6,000,000 in short term notes, so that there is an actual deficiency in the general fund of \$2,710,176. The revenues in the fiscal year just ended were less than in the preceding year, as is shown by a comparison of the general fund for the past two years as follows:

	1914.	1915.
Direct taxes	\$7,701,272	\$9,970,838
Excise	9,380,099	9,069,333
General fund	11,934,001	11,235,941
Organization	345,183	438,383
Transfers	11,162,478	8,266,893
Stamp tax	2,056,687	3,539,423
Secured debt	828,619	1,016,718
Mortgage	1,731,731	1,532,281
Motor vehicles	1,238,221	1,877,359
Other revenue	4,814,255	4,084,062
Totals	\$50,821,513	\$45,011,009

The Vanderbilt and Ruppert estate transfer taxes are not included in the figures for the past year. They will be included in this fiscal year's total.

\$250 FOR KEEN MOTORMAN.

Railways Co. Rewards Murphy, Who Saved Car from Sub-Way Cave-In.

Motorman Malachi Murphy of the Broadway line of the New York Railway Company is to receive \$250 from the Board of Directors of the company in recognition of his presence of mind and coolness in the face of a cave-in of Broadway at Thirty-eighth Street.

In announcing the award yesterday, Theodore P. Shonts, President of the company, said:

"Murphy felt the tracks sagging under him, but notwithstanding that fact he heroically stuck to his post, quickly lowered his power, and was able to back his car with its passengers out of danger. By his promptness and presence of mind in the emergency Murphy in all probability averted a very serious accident."

MUTINY THREATENS VILLA'S AUTHORITY

Discovery of Plot Causes an Exodus of Border Officials to This Side.

BROTHER REPORTED SLAIN

American Consul Reaches El Paso from Chihuahua with Many Refugees—Conditions Serious There.

Special to The New York Times.

EL PASO, Oct. 15.—A widespread plot to start a mutiny against Villa and turn the entire border over to Carranza was unearthed today. General Villa is reported to be hurrying here from Casas Grandes.

As a result of the discovery of this plot practically all the civil and military officials are coming to the American side, and many residents are leaving the town for fear of a mutiny and the looting of stores and houses. American Consul Marion Letcher of Chihuahua arrived at the border tonight with the last American women refugees and many male refugees. He declared he would not return to Villa territory. Conditions are reported to be serious there.

Excitement was increased in Juarez this afternoon, when a report was received from the south that Hipolito Villa, brother and financial chief of General Francisco Villa, had been taken from the troop train at Villa Ahumada and executed after all of the officers and soldiers had mutinied for Carranza. The report could not be verified, either in Juarez or El Paso, as the only wire south to Ahumada is closely censored. Hipolito Villa was en route to Juarez, and it was reported that he expected to desert his brother's cause and come to the American side to live. He has had charge of Villa's finances, and had large accounts in the banks here. Mayor Montfort, the Chief of Police, and practically all of the Villa civil officials in Juarez have followed General Thomas Ornelas to the American side, and Juarez is without either a civil or military head tonight. The officers came over in automobiles late last night, and are bringing their families to this side. James Brennerman, manager of the Santa Rosalia smelter of the Guaymas interests, is reported under arrest at Chihuahua.

CONSUL SHANKLIN RESIGNS.

Leaves the Service After Difference with Brazilian Envoy in Mexico. Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Arnold Shanklin of Missouri has resigned as Consul General of the United States in Mexico. He will return to Mexico City as the representative of an American oil company.

Mr. Shanklin was recalled to the United States after the Brazilian Minister in Mexico, who was in charge of United States interests, complained that Mr. Shanklin had interfered with the work that the Minister was doing in behalf of American citizens. It is understood that the explanation made by Mr. Shanklin satisfied the State Department, but the Administration was exceedingly anxious to show the greatest consideration for Brazil with which it was co-operating in the effort to avert the troubles in Mexico and there-

fore did not publicly exonerate Mr. Shanklin. According to the understanding here the difference between the Brazilian Minister and Mr. Shanklin was trivial. The Minister had accepted an offer of Mr. Shanklin to take charge of the work of furnishing transportation for Americans anxious to leave Mexico. In accordance with this understanding Mr. Shanklin placed a notice in newspapers in Mexico City asking Americans to apply to him for transportation. This, it was said, offended the Brazilian Minister, who contended that Mr. Shanklin should have applied to him for permission to insert the notice. In order to avoid friction and to placate the Brazilian Government, Mr. Shanklin was instructed to return to the United States. He reported personally to the State Department, which granted him leave for two months.

ENVOYS TO MEET AGAIN.

Will Decide Next Week on Form of Carranza Recognition.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Secretary Lansing will call a conference next week of the Pan-American diplomats to arrange the form in which recognition is to be extended to the de facto Government of Carranza.

The formal act of recognition probably will occur next week with the portion of Eliseo Arredondo, authorized representative of General Carranza. A note very likely will be presented to him, notifying him of the recognition of General Carranza as the head of the Government.

Reports today of activity by Carranza adherents in fomenting a revolution in Guatemala met with prompt denial at the Carranza agency. It was announced that after conferences between Eliseo Arredondo and the Guatemalan Minister here the subject has been brought to the attention of General Carranza, who after investigating reported that none of his men was involved.

STOPPED LEAK AT SEA.

French's Liner's Captain Pleads Return to This Port.

PARIS, Oct. 15.—The French Line steamship Espagne arrived at Bordeaux on Wednesday night after an eleven-day voyage from New York, which she left Oct. 2. When a day and a half out from New York the passengers were amazed to see the liner turn about and steam westward. A volley of questions from passengers brought the explanation from the Captain, they said, that the steamship had sprung a leak, and it was thought wise to return to New York.

After about a week's steaming on a westward course the Espagne turned about again and proceeded on her voyage. It was reported that the leak had been found and stopped.

The Espagne will go into drydock for a few days. The new liner Lafayette will sail on her first trip to New York at the end of the present month.

PLAN FOR WASHINGTON WILL

Governor of Virginia Orders Its Return to Fairfax County.

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 15.—Governor Stuart has ordered that the will of Martha Washington, recently returned to the State by J. P. Morgan, be given into the custody of Fairfax County, from which it was stolen during the civil war. It will be formally delivered to the Chairman of the Fairfax Board of Supervisors on Monday and will take its former place in the Court House.

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JURY READY TO TRY 11 NEW HAVEN MEN

Government's Attorneys Will Present Prosecution's Case on Monday Morning.

MANY TALESMEN EXCUSED

Few Care to Give Up Business for Months—One Tells of Pity for the Old Men Accused.

The jury which will try the eleven men charged with having conspired to monopolize the transportation facilities of New England contrary to the Sherman law was completed yesterday. Judge Hunt sat until 6 o'clock to get the challenging of talesmen finished. The Government used all its nine peremptory challenges, but the defendants were content with eight.

In giving the jurors, after they had been sworn in, the usual caution against discussing the case with any one, Judge Hunt emphasized the importance of the trial by the unusual detail of his instructions. Rising from the bench to the witness stand, he leaned toward the jury and impressed on them that in no case were they to talk about New Haven matters to any one or to permit any one to approach them upon such matter.

The Twelve Jurors.

- These are the twelve who were chosen as jurors:
1. STEPHEN D. HIRSCHMAN, real estate, 300 West 10th Street, 200 Broadway.
 2. MAX HARTMAN, commission agent, Hotel Wellington.
 3. ALBERT E. WELDON, draughtsman, 300 Madison Avenue.
 4. THOMAS N. PELL, Secretary, 34 Pine Street.
 5. FRANK S. DOUGLAS, contractor, 1080 Nelson Avenue, the Bronx.
 6. FRED O. BONNY, Secretary International Sales, 100 Broadway, 240 West 12th Street.
 7. JAMES H. CAITON, horse exchange manager, 125 West 20th Street.
 8. JOEL KRAUS, real estate, 444 Central Park West.
 9. PETER WAGNER, builder, 238 West 121st Street.
 10. C. A. PLINT, electrical engineer, 42 Fordham Road, Westchester.
 11. HENRY C. DATER, real estate, 622 West 137th Street.
 12. ANDREW L. GRACE, Inspector of the New York Edison Company, 300 West 110th Street.

Before these men had been obtained counsel had excused a most extraordinary number of talesmen, who had contracted such strong opinions on the Sherman law or the merits of this particular case that they could not conscientiously undertake to act as jurors and give up three or four months from their businesses. Sometimes even De Lancey Nicoll grew impatient with the oft-repeated excuse and turned to the court for support, and then Judge Hunt would try to persuade the talesman that, even if he had a private view of what the law might be, he could still pass fairly on whether the law had been violated.

Perseverant in His Prejudice.

"The Sherman law is part of the United States law," said Judge Hunt as he reasoned with Herbert Rose of Yonkers. "Can you not apply the United States law as it is laid down by the court?"

The talesman was still unable to say that he could, and Judge Hunt said that what he now wanted was a prejudice might prove to be nothing at all when he came to hear the evidence. Mr. Nicoll wanted to challenge the man for cause, but the judge was not satisfied, and not until he had completed his own interrogation was Mr. Rose permitted to depart.

Robert E. Flak, the bond statistician in the banking house of Harvey Pick & Sons, was one of those who occupied temporarily a seat in the jury box. He said that he had studied the Sherman law in the course of his business and was not satisfied that it could not be improved. He had been intended to testify on a set of evils, but had brought on another, and he thought that another decision of the Supreme Court would clarify it advantageously.

Then he knew most of the defendants personally, but his statement of his position was not sufficient to let him escape. He occupied seat No. 11, several hours until toward the end of the day he was challenged peremptorily by the Government.

Sympathy for Old Men.

The very frankness of the man inclined counsel to take him, but he was dismissed as a result of the question whether he would have any objection to finding the defendants guilty if the evidence seemed to warrant it. He looked at Mr. Rockefeller as he sat leaning on his cane, and said: "Well, when I think of some of the old defendants I think of my old father."

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Merchants' Association Also Favors \$27,000,000 in Bonds to Finish the Work.

DAMAGE CLAIMS ARE COSTLY

Seth Low Says 101 Millions Spent Will Be Wasted Unless More Money Is Supplied.

The Barge Canal Committee of the Produce Exchange yesterday held a meeting in the Exchange yesterday for the purpose of arousing interest in the proposed referendum vote on a bond issue of \$27,000,000 for completing the construction of the canal and satisfying claims for damages. About 300 were present and Seth Low, former Senator and now President of the Produce Exchange, presided. He said that the original appropriation of \$10,000,000 had been found insufficient because of damage claims that had been allowed. Even then he seemed so certain of his lack of prejudice for or against the Sherman law or combinations, and for other wealthy men that Mr. Nicoll questioned him sharply before letting him stay.

At the general election in November there is one proposition that all ought to support," said ex-Senator Hill. "That is the Canal Referendum. This is a political proposition, and it deserves the support of all voters. The barge canal is a necessary part of the life of the State. It will be necessary to levy direct taxes to complete the canal. It is a political proposition that the voters of the State should support. It is a political proposition that the voters of the State should support. It is a political proposition that the voters of the State should support."

No Grand Jurors in the Box.

Then just before the jury was sworn in Mr. Batts, minister of the new case granted in the Andrew Freeman case because one of the petty jurors had also served on a Grand Jury, which had considered a part of the case, called upon any of the talesmen who might have served on any Grand Jury dealing with any phase of the New Haven matter or the charges brought against the Grand Trunk Railroad of Canada to answer to the court. Some of the talesmen were sworn as jurors by Clerk Westcott.

50 ACRES FOR ROCKEFELLER

He Compromises with Catholic Society for the Oussani Tract.

John D. Rockefeller and the Catholic Foreign Mission Society arrived at a compromise yesterday in the dispute over fifty acres of land adjoining the Rockefeller estate at Pocantico State. An offer submitted by Mr. Rockefeller was accepted by the Mission Society. In July, 1912, the society entered into a contract with Joseph T. Oussani for the property for \$45,000. John D. Rockefeller did not look favorably upon another institution near his country seat, so he sent his agent to buy the land. A deal was made by the agent to buy the property for \$88,000. Mr. Rockefeller paid down \$10,000 to bind the bargain. Then the Mission Society stepped in, maintaining that it had a contract to buy the land for \$45,000. The suit was dismissed, and the decision was that Mr. Oussani must carry out his contract with the Catholic Society.

FACTORY SMOKER FINED \$50.

Magistrate Punishes Seven Men for Causing Fire Danger.

Seven men were before Magistrate Murphy in Yorkville Court yesterday charged with smoking in buildings where there was danger of fire.

Jonas Jacobs of Orange, N. J., was arrested for smoking a cigar in the six-story printing plant at 247 West Thirty-sixth Street, where he is a foreman. Word had been sent to Fire Commissioner Adamson that men were smoking in the building, where there was much inflammable material, and he detailed Inspector Joseph N. Bartok to investigate.

DR. HILLIS'S REPLY AWAITED

Ministers to Support Him in Answer to Ferguson.

While there was a lull yesterday in the controversy between the Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis and Frank L. Ferguson, his former business agent, the attorneys for the pastor of Plymouth Church were busy preparing a reply to the affidavit filed by Ferguson in court on Thursday. The question whether Ferguson should be examined before Referee William D. Drake in his capacity of the financial affairs of Dr. Hillis will be argued in the Supreme Court, Brooklyn, tomorrow.

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FIND GOOD DOG MUZZLE.

Animal Lovers Approve Device Shown to City Authorities.

Representatives of the Dog Lovers' Protective Association met representatives of the Board of Health and the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals yesterday at the shelter of the latter organization at Twenty-fourth Street and Avenue A, where a private demonstration of a dog muzzle was given. It was a muzzle that was casually found on the open market, an inexpensive little thing of wire and leather, which seemed to come nearer to the solution of this problem for dog owners than any which has yet been found. The muzzle permits the dog to open his mouth sufficiently for breathing, not sufficiently far to bite any one. The straps are adjustable and have the merit of crossing the face and head so that the slightest dog is not impaired. The authorities are debared from recommending any make of muzzle, but dog lovers approved of it.

Statisticians Prepared for the Health Department records during the past year

In which the dog muzzling regulation has been in effect show that the Department has had in that time 3,984 complaints of persons bitten by dogs, 480 of which were muzzled at the time the biting was done; 516 held on leash, but not muzzled, and 247 both muzzled and held on a leash. This total is a decrease from the record of 1914, when the total number of people reporting to the board as having been bitten by dogs reached 4,848. The number of deaths of dogs from rabies decreased in the same time from 318 to 55, and the number of deaths of humans being traceable to dog bites from 8 to 1, a result due to the muzzle-wearing enforcement.

In the year in which the muzzling regulation has been in force 45,138 unmuzzled dogs have been collected and destroyed by the authorities in charge

of the muzzling regulation. A rather superficial census of dogs in the City of New York in all five boroughs showed that there are 225,000 dogs, and only 60,000 of them are licensed, and of the latter number only about 1 per cent, go about the streets properly muzzled. The city health department and the Dog Lovers' Protective Association are at work to get this winter.

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NEW BUS LINE MAY GET FRANCHISE SOON

Committee, Headed by Mayor, Reports in Favor of Additional Service.

MANY FIVE-CENT FARES

City to Guarantee Against Deficits—Head of Fifth Avenue System Protests.

Another motor bus service in Manhattan and the Bronx, north of Fourteenth Street, will in all probability be started in a few months, as the result of the report which the Franchise Committee of the Board of Estimate has prepared for presentation to the board. It proposes to give the franchise to the New York Motor Bus Company of 1 Wall Street, of which Roland R. Conklin is President and William R. Wilcox and Bainbridge Colby are counsel, for a service entirely independent of the existing lines of the Fifth Avenue Coach Company. As the Franchise Committee consists of Mayor Mitchell, President McAneny and Borough President Matthews, it is considered likely that its recommendations will be accepted.

One of the features of the arrangement which the new company will accept is the operation of a certain number of motor buses over short routes for 5 cents. It will consist of its long north and south lines to cents, but for those running through Washington Heights and across the city the fare will be 6 cents, with a transfer to the long-distance lines for another 5 cents. Moreover, for rides entirely north of 125th Street on any line, the price will be only 5 cents.

Another point in the new arrangement is the right reserved to modify the routes on which the new buses will run, and to order the establishment of new services to connect up any of the existing lines. Moreover, the city will retain control of the headway schedule on which the motor buses will be run, and that deficit amounts to 10 per cent of the payment to the city under the franchise, to consent to the abandonment of some of the routes.

The two main routes of the new company will start from Union Square. One will run up the west side by Fourteenth Street, Seventh Avenue, Broadway, Amsterdam Avenue, Eighty-sixth Street, West End Avenue, Broadway and St. Nicholas Avenue to Fort George. The other will follow the east side by Fourteenth Street, Irving Place and Lexington Avenue to Twenty-third Street, and then up Madison Avenue to Fifth Street, and from there to Park Avenue and on up to Ninety-sixth Street. In addition there will be a line running from Manhattan Avenue and 110th Street up to Morris Avenue and the Pennsylvania Station and between the Pennsylvania Station and the Grand Central

Terminal, the east and west main lines of the new company between Thirty-first and Thirty-third Streets, Thirty-first and Forty-third Streets, and Forty-third and Forty-seventh Streets, and along the three transverse roads in Central Park. In addition there will be a short line serving the Washington Heights district west of Broadway. The franchise is to be for fifteen years with a ten years' renewal clause. The buses which the company promises to put on will be of the low stepless variety with side doors and double decks. They will have their stairways inside and will seat forty-two passengers. According to the Weaver, the company will be able to place at least 100 of these in operation within six or eight months. The company will pay the city 5 per cent of its gross earnings and will guarantee a minimum payment of \$80,000 to \$100,000, according to the routes it operates. It has already deposited with the city a certified check for \$60,000 as proof of its power to carry out the contract if it is awarded to it.

The Fifth Avenue Coach Company was not willing to give the city any control over its operation or the right to order extensions of its service. It was, however, prepared to share its net profits equally with it or to pay \$100,000 to \$150,000, but it also asked that the franchise tax which might be imposed upon it, should be set off against this payment.

W. W. Mead, President of the Fifth Avenue Coach Company, criticized last night the report of the Franchise Committee. He argued that the committee had ignored the chance of giving the traveling public a unified bus service throughout the city at a single fare in the hands of an experienced and efficient company. Moreover, he pointed out that the city was about to give the owners of the real estate affected by the new lines, and appeared to have favored the prospect of the five-cent fares for the short-haul lines.

Two more public hearings, he added, would have to be given before the franchise was granted, and he believed that there would be many protests against the award to the New York Motor Bus Company.

WANTS 8,000,000 SERMONS.
Go-to-Church Committee Believes New Yorkers Can Deliver Them.
Eight million sermons by the inhabitants of New York tomorrow are asked for by the Go-to-Church Sunday Committee, composed of fifty-five pastors of various denominations. Its final appeal, issued yesterday through its chairman, the Rev. Dr. S. Edward Young, pastor of the Bedford Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn, reads in part as follows:

"Eight million sermons ought to be preached by New Yorkers tomorrow. Four million persons in this city could go to church. Each one who does go will preach a sermon from the starting place to the starting place, a sermon, the chief points of which will be, 'I believe in showing this by my example my appreciation of what the churches have done, are doing, and may do for human kind. I want at least once this year to be counted with those who believe in God and the worship of Him. I am willing to forego for this one Sunday, anyway, the extra rest, the reading, the visiting, the trip, the business, the recreation, or whatever else is necessary to make it clear that I am not against my churchgoing neighbors in their regular religious activities, and I do not wish by staying away to cause the rising generation to infer that I am hostile.'"

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SERUM TOO LATE TO SAVE STACKPOLE

Aged Lawyer Victim of Anthrax Ravages After a Hard Fight to Live.

SYSTEM HAD BEEN POISONED

Conscious Until Last, "Judge" of Riverhead Bids Family Brave Farewell.

George F. Stackpole, who was taken to Bellevue Hospital on Sunday afternoon suffering from anthrax, died early yesterday morning. Serum-vaccine administered to the patient carried Mr. Stackpole past the danger of choking to death, but the swelling in his throat, but the poison of the disease had so thoroughly permeated his system before the vaccine was injected that he could not recover. Mr. Stackpole died of heart failure and congestion due to the ravages of the disease.

Mr. Stackpole, whose spirit had made many who never heard of him before his illness ardently wish for his recovery, died clearly conscious until within five minutes of his death. Several hours before his death he seemed to be getting stronger, and told members of his family assembled about him that he "felt better." But at 3:30 o'clock, an hour before he died, he felt himself growing weaker. A little while later, turning to his son, he said:

"I feel that I'm going to lose the good fight, Philip—but I'm not afraid of what is to come. I hope you will show such a life, my boy, that I will have died bravely when it comes. All of us have to die, some time—and we never know when."

Five minutes before his death, Mr. Stackpole murmured, "Good-bye," and died. Dr. H. B. Dwyer of the Bellevue Hospital Medical Staff, who had been the patient's almost constant attendant, made the last effort to carry Mr. Stackpole through the final crisis, but he could do nothing against the poison. The authorities of the hospital said that, because of the death, the Elmhurst serum-vaccine which was sent from the Bureau of Animal Industry in Washington should not be considered valuable. No matter what its potency may be, they said, it was administered too late in Mr. Stackpole's case to cure the disease.

Mr. Stackpole's body was sent to his home in Riverhead yesterday afternoon. By order of the Board of Health it was inclosed in a sealed, metallic casket, so that there might be no danger of contagion. Mr. Stackpole would have been 72 years old next month. He was born in Lebanon, Me., and received his academic education in Dartmouth College, from which he was graduated in 1874. He came to Riverhead in the same year to become Principal of the high school. Several years later he was admitted to the bar. He became Justice of the Peace of Suffolk County, which position he held for nineteen years. He practiced law until attacked by anthrax.

It was said at Bellevue Hospital yesterday that Martin Bradsley, who was taken to the hospital from Riverhead on Wednesday night suffering from what was feared to be incipient anthrax, had only an abscess on his neck that would heal within a few days. Dr. John C. Hepler of Benbow City, Ill., a sufferer from anthrax there, was reported here yesterday to be growing weaker. His physicians, however, have not given up hope of his recovery.

CANADA'S PART IN THE WAR.
Members of Transcontinental Party Told of the Sacrifices Made.
SPECIAL TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.
ON BOARD FIRST TRANS-CONTINENTAL TRAIN OVER THE CANADIAN NORTHERN RAILROAD, PORTAGE, LA PRAIRIE, MAN., Oct. 15.—The members of the Canadian Parliamentary party who are opening this third Canadian railroad line across the continent, were entertained in Winnipeg today by the Mayor and citizens. The whole trend of the address at the luncheon was patriotic. The members of Parliament heard from the speaker, Mr. H. H. Brown, that the Canadian people felt that Canada was in the war to the end, and that no effort of hers would be spared to bring about the triumph of the Allies.

A. M. Nanton, speaking for the Canadian Patriotic Fund, quoted figures to show that from a seven and a half million population, Canada had already put into the field, that is one person in fifty of the total population was already on the firing line. Alberta had sent one in every twenty-seven of its population, Manitoba one in twenty-nine, British Columbia one in thirty, and Saskatchewan one in forty. Moreover, for every person in the population Manitoba had sent two to the front, and the Patriotic Fund which takes for the dependents and the maimed left to the public care by the war. These figures were quoted in no boastful spirit, but soberly set forth to indicate what the Canadian people were doing for the Empire and what the people of that section expected from the Eastern provinces. No matter what the circumstances, and succeeding speakers, who intimated that still greater efforts were desirable, showed that Canada would give freely of men and money up to the limit of her resources.

For the man who travels across the continent and sees even in the smallest villages the same hearty welcome and the same officer in khaki, there is no doubt how Canada feels about this war.

SAYS ONLY GERMAN CAN SAVE ARMENIANS

Lord Bryce Declares Pressure of Neutral Opinion May Force Her to Act.

LONDON, Oct. 15.—"There is only one power that can stop the Armenian atrocities, and that is Germany," declared Viscount Bryce at a meeting today at the Mansion House in support of the Lord Mayor's Fund in aid of the Armenian sufferers. He declared that the only remedy was to bring the pressure of world opinion, particularly of neutral opinion, to bear on Germany, and force her to take action.

Lord Bryce, who proposed a resolution condemning the reported atrocities, paid tribute to the intelligence and greatness of the Armenians, who, he said, were far superior to the Mohammedans, and he declared the case was not so much one of religious fanaticism as it was of deliberate extermination of a people of whom the Turks were envious.

The horrors of the massacre exceeded anything in the history of persecutions, declared the speaker. Women and children, he said, had been driven across the Arabian desert, with whips by the Turks, who went mad, and at Trebizond carried their victims out to sea in boats he drowned them. "Women, many of whom were as highly civilized as any of us," he asserted, "had been sold into slavery, where they were Mohammedanized. He declared untrue the excuse offered by Germans for the Turks to the effect that the Armenians had rebelled, saying that the Armenians were quiet and inoffensive until forced to defend themselves."

In seconding the resolution Cardinal Bourne said that the evidence was so strong that even Germany was not able to deny the massacres. "Neutrals, he said, should follow the example of Pope Benedict, who wrote a personal protest and plea to the Sultan."

Sir Edwin Pears, who had been the leader of the British bar in Constantinople, apparently surprised his hearers by saying that persecution was not an article of Mohammedan faith, and that the massacres were deplored by the Muslims of the Empire. He mentioned the work of T. P. O'Connor mentioned the work of

WE CAN DO NOTHING FURTHER

View of State Department as to Action Regarding Armenia.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—The United States Government has done all it can, officially, toward relieving the condition of the Armenians in Turkey, in the opinion of State Department officials. They told Representative John J. Eagan of New Jersey today that, beyond making informal representations to the Turkish Government through Ambassador Morgenthau, pointing out the bad effect upon public opinion in the United States of the treatment of the Armenians, nothing further could be done.

Representative Eagan had inquired as to the conditions among the Armenians and concerning the policy of the United States in the matter.

DROP JEWISH CONFERENCE.

No Meeting to Consider War Problems to be Held in Washington.
The Jewish conference to be held in Washington on Oct. 24 has been abandoned, it was announced yesterday. This conference was called by the American Jewish Committee to consider the Jewish problem, and especially what American Jews may do when the war ends to get that problem before the world, and to obtain a settlement of it. The Chairman of the American Jewish Committee is Louis Marshall, and it was formed originally for purposes of the conference was called, opposition to it developed by Louis D. Brandeis. This was due to the conviction that the men to settle questions that affected 13,000,000 people ought to be chosen by all Jews, not by a selected few.

Page Denies Expressing Views.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Ambassador Thomas Nelson Page at Rome called on Secretary Lansing today that he had never expressed an opinion concerning the Italian campaign nor given out any expression whatsoever in regard to the probable results or merits of the European struggle. The State Department had required concerning a published report that the Ambassador had given an interview regarding the Italian army and as to success of the Italian campaign.

SAN SALVADOR, Oct. 15.—The Volcans Izalco, which lies ten miles north of Sonsonate, and has an elevation of about 6,200 feet, is in full eruption and emitting large quantities of lava.

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FOR A HIGHER TAX ON PUBLIC UTILITIES

Mills Says These Corporations Haven't Been Considered Yet.

COMMITTEE HASN'T TIME

Will Hold Executive Session Today to Consider Income, Habitation, and Occupation Taxes.

Senator Ogden L. Mills, Chairman of the Legislative Committee on Taxation, said yesterday there had been an overwhelming sentiment among witnesses examined in favor of a State income tax, but that it was too early yet to determine what form of taxation would be recommended to take the place of the present personal property tax as a means of producing revenue.

The committee will hold an executive session at Mr. Mills' home today and discuss these propositions. The so-called classified personal property tax, that is, the taxation of personal property by classes at a lower rate than the general property tax; habitation and occupation taxes, and a State income tax. The committee will hold several sessions up to the end of the month, and will submit to the Legislature next February a report.

The committee will return to this city in December and examine more witnesses and then get its report ready for submission to the Legislature next February.

"If we can work out and solve the personal tax problem, and the Legislature is willing to treat with our suggestion, we can go on, but if what we propose is thrown out of the window by the public and the Legislature would be idle to continue," said Senator Mills. "Yesterday's test question seems to have been understood, partly through suggestion made by me to the effect that it would be possible by means of an income tax running from 1 to 3 per cent to raise some \$45,000,000."

Committee Has No Plan Yet.
"The estimate was not made by me, nor was it in any sense accurate or final, in so far as the income tax proper is concerned. The committee is not committed to the plan either tentatively or finally."

As a matter of fact, at the last executive session of the committee the Chairman was authorized to prepare two or three substitutes for the personal property tax. At the executive session of the committee to be held tomorrow the Chairman will make such a report.

In view of the misunderstanding which seems to have arisen about an income tax, I desire to state that public service corporations are a separate and distinct class from other corporations, and should pay higher taxes. The subject of taxing public service corporations is, however, so vast and intricate that the committee has been and is unable to consider it in the short time at its disposal. A Connecticut commission took some two years to complete this task, while this committee has but six months at its disposal. I hope that the committee at some future date may be able to take up this question, but any discussion at this time on the subject of taxation must be understood not to include public service corporations.

It was explained that the committee in its estimate of producing \$45,000,000

in revenue did not consider taxing corporations 3 per cent on their net income in lieu of the present franchise tax. What was meant was the imposition of a larger tax on general business corporations or mercantile companies under the general franchise tax law. Under Section 182 of the law the tax on these corporations brings in at present about \$2,000,000. It is estimated that with the imposition of an additional 1 per cent, these companies would yield to the State \$8,000,000 a year. It is estimated that these companies in the State earned last year \$50,000,000, and the committee feels that they should be made to yield a much larger revenue to the State.

Personally Tax Condemned.
A. C. Playdell, Secretary of the New York Tax Reform Association, the first witness yesterday, said that the collection of the tax on personal property is almost impossible, chiefly because the population changes so frequently, making it difficult to reach them by mail or by personal call. He also said that if the "stamps on checks" system were in operation, it would result to currency instead of checks.

Ex-City Controller Herman A. Metz appeared as a member of the Merchants' Association. He favored a tax on all persons, as that would embrace teachers, lawyers, and others. He said that the same as corporations, because corporations have facilities individuals do not enjoy. Mr. Metz said that corporations would naturally go away to avoid a tax they would not have to pay elsewhere. He frankly admitted that he personally has moved out of the city and maintained two offices in Beacon, N. Y., thereby escaping local taxation.

He said that if the tax was a question of stockholders' meetings, he said, "The law allows me to do that."

Asked if he favored classified taxation, the witness said it was a question where to draw the line. He said he had removed several factories from New York to New Jersey, not to escape an income tax, but because of the restraint placed upon him here.

"The New York laws," he said, "interfere with my ability to compete with other men, and that amounted to loss of income. The conditions at present are unfair, and I say we should equalize taxation all over the State. The corporations up State have no road or school taxes to pay. This is not fair."

Metz Is for an Income Tax.
Mr. Metz said the clump in real estate was due to general conditions, and not to taxes. When he was Controller he said there was a sum of \$38,000,000 in uncollectible taxes. He said it was a mistake to impose heavy taxes on people because their names appear in the Blue Book or the telephone directory. He said it was easier to drive people away than to collect taxes from them.

Mr. Metz declared that a flat rate of 1 per cent tax on incomes of \$1,000 to \$2,000 and a 2 per cent tax above that up to \$50,000 would most likely be satisfactory. He thought that citizens would be willing to pay 2 per cent on their incomes rather than leave the State.

"If they will not pay it let them get out of the State," he said. "They're not good citizens."

Mr. Metz did not think well of the listing system, as it would be easy for people to get around it, he said. "For instance," he said, "a man might say he owned only the piano, that his wife owned the automobile, and the hired girl something else."

COL. E. B. GLASGOW A SUICIDE

Member of Massachusetts Legislature Kills Himself at Brother's Home

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 15.—Colonel Edward Brodie Glasgow, 40 years of age, a member of the Massachusetts Legislature, committed suicide shortly before noon today in the home of his brother at Elkins Park, a suburb of this city. He placed a revolver in his mouth and pulled the trigger, dying almost instantly.

Colonel Glasgow, who was a bachelor, came to the home of his brother about ten days ago for rest. Upon his arrival his brother noticed that the Colonel was suffering from a nervous breakdown, but did not think his condition serious.

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The announcement was made yesterday after a meeting at 14 Wall Street, at which new officers were chosen for the company which owns aeroplane patents, factories, and training school bearing the Wright name.

This means that the preparedness movement will have the support of a body of capitalists, among whom are two of the strongest bankers and wealthiest business men in this country. As it was said yesterday, "This new company will be as strong if not stronger than any corporation in this country."

The officers elected yesterday were: President—T. Frank Manville, President and Director of the H. W. Johnson-Manville Company and a Director of the Mechanics and Metals National and the Merchants National Banks of this city; Vice President—S. J. Johnson, an attorney of 14 Wall Street, who arranged the purchase of the Wright Company stock for William B. Thompson, head of the syndicate, and Treasurer—Harvey D. Gibson, Vice President and a Director of the Liberty National Bank and interested in many other corporations.

Butphen a Director.
The Directorate includes the officers and Orville Wright and Henry R. Butphen, a Trustee of the American Savings Bank and a Director of the Elco Company, the Electro-Dynamic Company, the Holland Submarine Torpedo Company, the National Association of Engine and Boat Manufacturers, and Vice President of the National Electric Boat Company. As an official of this latter company Mr. Butphen recently sold to the British Government \$22,000,000 worth of forty-knot power boats which are being delivered and are under way to the United States.

It was announced that four or five more Directors would be added as soon as the syndicate decided upon the men who would be most useful in forwarding the success of the enterprise.

The advent of this powerful corporation in the aviation field will not result in crushing competition by the independent aeroplane manufacturing companies, as was feared in aviation circles when the announcement of the sale of the Wright Company was published. "It is our intention to develop aviation in every possible manner," Mr. Johnson said yesterday, "and we feel that it would be a backward step to hinder the small constructors. They are all doing good work, and many of them are very successful in their adaptations of the Wright patents. Furthermore, if it were made impossible for them to use the Wright patents, they would go out of business, and aviation would lose the benefit of their researches and experiments."

White we have not decided upon the basis on which the use of the patents will be granted to independent constructors, it is safe to say that an amicable arrangement will be offered. It is probable that a royalty will be fixed, which our company will receive a stated sum for every aeroplane built. This, however, will be taken up at a meeting in the near future, possibly at our meeting next week.

The men behind the new company are

men who are accustomed to succeed. They do not go into a thing until they are sure that it can be made successful, and in this case the ground was carefully studied long before the negotiations for the purchase of the Wright Company were started. With their great resources, second to none in this country, they will put the aeroplane on a business basis and will develop it to its greatest efficiency, combined with absolute safety, so that it will be a plain commercial commodity instead of a freak for exhibition purposes or a destroyer for war use.

"We have taken over the Wright factories and schools and will add more factories as soon as they are needed. It is likely that a large one will be established at Tidewater, although we have not as yet considered a site. At the Dayton training school, there are now more than thirty Canadian aviators, many of whom are being trained for service with the British aviation corps, and we already have a large number of students from nearly four hundred young men, who will be accommodated within a few months."

Wright Chief Engineer.

"Orville Wright, who is retained as a Director, and who will be our chief aeronautical engineer at a large salary, will be in charge of the laboratory in Dayton. He has been criticized in the past for refusing to let the Wright patents be used on terms that would allow his time to be spent in the business, and it has been said that he was too selfish with his patents for the good of aviation. This was unjust. Mr. Wright became involved soon after the formation of his company in 1909 in a number of infringement suits, with a result that he was forced to give more time to the courts than to his business. We will take care of everything. Mr. Wright will continue his life's work of perfecting the aeroplane and we will promote the patents in every way possible. As you see, our advent in the aviation field will promote the manufacture of aeroplanes instead of throwing a damper on the business."

In reply to a question regarding the stand adopted by the syndicate in the matter of national preparedness, Mr. Johnson said:

"We have had a number of communications from various bodies, and we are for movement and will co-operate in every way to make it a success. One of the greatest needs of this country is an efficient and sufficiently numerous fleet of aeroplanes, as has been demonstrated by the European war, and every member of the syndicate feels that the United States should be properly protected in the air as well as on land and sea."

Contrary to rumors that have been circulated, there are none but Americans interested in the new Wright Company. Neither the Allies nor any other foreigner has representation in the company, and it is the policy of the syndicate to build American machines with American labor, for a world-wide market.

In regard to the design of aeroplanes to be built, it is the intention to combine all the safety and stability of the Wright designs with great speed. Such a machine will be greater than any yet flown, and all will be equipped with the Wright stabilizer. In addition to biplanes it is expected that monoplanes will also be manufactured as well as hydro-aeroplanes of all types and sizes. An important part of the work that will be taken up by Mr. Wright and a corps of trained experts, and in which it is said Mr. Butphen will assist, is the development of motors. It is planned to build motor which will eliminate the possibility of "going dead," now the greatest danger in aviation.

STUDENTS TO RUN A BANK.

Wesleyan Institution Will Be Under Supervision of National Bank.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Oct. 15.—A bank to be managed entirely by students, is to be opened at Wesleyan University about the middle of December. It was announced here today, project is in the nature of an experiment by the American Bankers' Association, and if it proves successful, similar banks may be founded in other universities of the country.

The student bank will be under the direct supervision of the Middletown National Bank and all orders drawn on the Wesleyan bank will be paid in checks on the supervising institution.

CARNEGIE AT HOME; HEALTH RECOVERED

Ironmaster Has Nothing to Say at Present About Peace, War, or Politics.

HASN'T READ THE PAPERS

Caught Some Big Fish in Maine and Is Preparing for a Season of Autumn Golf Now.

Andrew Carnegie came back yesterday afternoon from Bar Harbor with a twinkle in his eyes and on his brain certain fish stories which he for the present forbears to tell. He admits that he caught a haddock which was the largest ever seen, and also a cod which was a wonder. When he gets thoroughly rested he may talk, but for the present

he is saying nothing about angling, peace, war, or politics.

Mr. Carnegie went away last June to recuperate from a severe attack of grip, and all this time he has been at Pointe d'Acadie, near Bar Harbor, getting back his strength. He is active and cheery and hopes soon to be as strong as he was before the attack of illness.

The ironmaster was accompanied home by Mrs. Carnegie, his private secretary, and a physician, and went in his automobile to his New York home at Fifth Avenue and Ninety-first Street. Through his secretary he asked the reporters to excuse him from giving an interview.

He said that as he began to recover his health at Bar Harbor he had spent most of his time out of doors, fishing, golfing, and motoring, and that he had paid hardly any attention to what the newspapers were printing. He said the photographers take a picture of him in his garden in a large armchair, and the camera men opened fire, and then Mrs. Carnegie posed by his side.

"That is just where you should be," said Mr. Carnegie, "by my side."

While on the Maine coast Mr. Carnegie much attached to the yacht El Placita, which he had chartered, and from which he caught the monarch of all haddocks. Now that the yachting season has passed his mind is turned to his autumn golf playing, which he will shortly take up on the links of St. Andrews, where, at the age of forty-four, he expects to give a good account of himself.

McCORMICK MUST PAY UP.

Wife Tells Court He Reduced Her Alimony to \$10 a Week.

Mrs. Frances Busby McCormick, who has been living with her mother in Atlantic City since Oct. 4, when she procured a separation from her husband, Deputy Assistant District Attorney Robert C. McCormick, appeared before Justice Blanchard of the Supreme Court yesterday to complain that her husband has been paying her only \$15 a week alimony, instead of the \$25 allowed her by the court. Mirabeau L. Towns, counsel for Mrs. McCormick, said that the husband had an income of \$7,000 a year.

During the trial of the suit, Mr. McCormick said that some of the time he was absent from home, of which his wife had bitterly complained, he was making speeches in the campaign in which Governor Whitman was elected. Yesterday his counsel, Charles Maas, asked that the question of alimony be postponed until after the present campaign. Justice Blanchard replied that \$15 a week was inadequate and set the case down for a hearing on Wednesday next. In the meantime, he said that Mr. McCormick must pay whatever arrearages there was on the \$25 a week basis.

THE TURKISH CIGARETTE

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WHY do so many men smoke about half of their cigarette, and throw the rest away?

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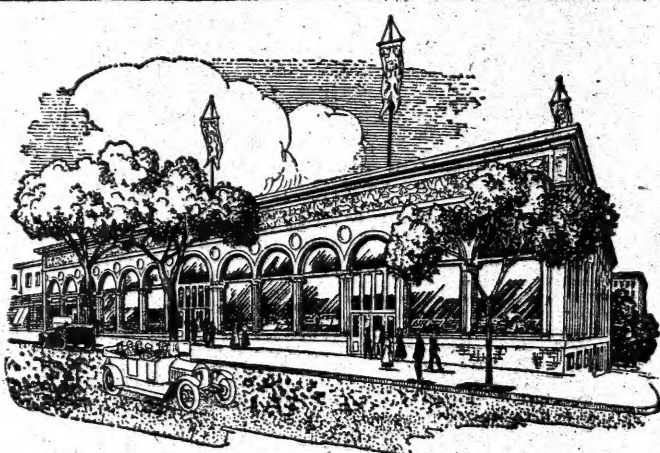
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	Blue Ribbon Farms Co.	Petrakos Bros.
		John Merolla
		S. Milisere
		Henry Meyer & Sons Co., Inc.
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Joseph Vitorio & Co.	Consumers Fish Co.	Lander Products Co.
	Authorized N. Y. Globe Fish Station	The Teco Co.
Salted Dressings	Nathan A. Eigler	J. H. Greene
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Flowers	Bakers	The Canton Tea Co.
United Floral Co.	Hanscom & Co.	
	The Mary Francis Home Made Cakes	
Candies, Soda Fountain	S. B. Thomas	
The Mirror		

GREENEY MARKS
NEW JERSEY ESTATE
Will Spend Summer at Shadow Lawn, but Desires to Pay Rental.
DELEGATION OFFERS PLACE
Governor Fielder Urged Acceptance
—Wanted President to Receive "Glad Tidings" in Home State.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—President Wilson has decided to spend next summer at Shadow Lawn, the estate of the late John A. McCall, at Elberon, near Long Branch, N. J., which is now owned by Colonel J. B. Greenhut. The President today, addressing a delegation from New Jersey, asked that those who arranged to get the McCall estate for him should permit him to pay as rental the amount he paid for the house of Winston Churchill at Cornish, N. H., which the Wilson family has occupied for the last three summers. If the committee pleased, he said, it could give the amount to charity.

It is understood that the President consulted his fiancée, Mrs. Norman Galt, before deciding to accept the offer of his New Jersey estate. Representative Scully was at the head of the delegation which called on the President. Governor Fielder was unable to be present. Mr. Scully brought a letter from him in which he urged the President to spend next summer in New Jersey to receive "the glad tidings" of his remembrance. The President only smiled when that was mentioned. When Mr. Wilson announced that he would accept the invitation he was warmly applauded and the delegation insisted on shaking hands with him.

Shadow Lawn was built by James Cary of Long Branch in 1902 for John A. McCall, the insurance company president, at a cost of more than \$500,000. The house stands on a knoll about fifty feet above the level of the ocean. There is less than a mile away. About it are fifty-two acres of rolling and wooded land of rare beauty. The house is situated on a high and contains thirty-two rooms, which are richly furnished. The interior has not been changed since the various changes in ownership since the place was originally built for Mr. McCall. A runner for one of the several golf halls was bought around at a cost of \$40,000.

Two flights of stone steps run up the terraces to the top of the hill of ground on which the house is built. The entrance is through a lighter shade of the north, east and south sides of the house, commanding a view of the ocean and of beautiful country. The house is of wood and painted white and of stone. There are on the estate three conservatories, which contain a variety of fruit and vegetables of all kinds out of season. One of the conservatories is a large output of flowers. When J. B. Greenhut first took the property he employed a gardener, who has since died. There is a small lake at the south end of the estate. The lake is a quarter of a mile long and is the quarters of a small boat. The property is now in the hands of John A. McCall only a short time. Its next owner was Abraham White of New York, who sold it to the late Myron Oppenheim, who sought for a while to establish it as the country estate of the late Myron Oppenheim. In April, 1906, it was acquired by J. B. Greenhut.

MRS. GALT GOES SHOPPING.
Visits Washington Stores with the President's Niece.
Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Mrs. Norman Galt, the President's fiancée, today made a tour of the shopping district in a White House automobile with the President's niece, Miss Helen Woodworth. Mrs. Galt was accompanied by a considerable number of the various photographs of Shadow Lawn, the house at Elberon, N. J., which will be her home next summer. The President's niece was with her for her opinion and approval.

MRS. GALT PURCHASES
GOWNS OF TROUSSEAU
Her Going-Away Suit and Afternoon Frocks Sent to Her from Baltimore.

Special to The New York Times.
BALTIMORE, Oct. 15.—Mrs. Norman Galt, the President's fiancée, is buying much of her trousseau in this city. Her afternoon frocks, a going-away suit, and several separate blouses have been ordered for her from a shop on Lexington street. The frocks and the suit were ordered for her on Saturday and Monday by Mr. Galt, who is helping Mrs. Galt in the selection of her trousseau. The suit which it is understood that Mrs. Galt will wear on her wedding journey is a striking model in dull green tulle with a Chin-Chin collar and cuffs of beaver. The top of the coat is cut to fit the figure rather closely. There is a flare measuring four yards and a half about the bottom of the coat, edged with a wide band of the beaver. The coat buttons straight down the front with a very simple slightly flared skirt. The prettier of the two afternoon frocks is a model in tulle with a very simple slightly flared skirt. The second afternoon frock is a combination of tulle and satin. It has a strong Chinese influence. The skirt has five narrow flounces of crepe and is trimmed with a wide band of tulle. The bodice is a simple Chinese style with a high collar and a wide band of tulle. The bodice is a simple Chinese style with a high collar and a wide band of tulle.

FREEMAN-SCHULTZWEDDING
New York Broker Marries Daughter of Mrs. Charles H. Schultz.
Southgate Bowne Freeman of Morris Plains, N. J., and Miss Kathryn Schultz, daughter of Charles H. Schultz of Kingston, N. Y., were married at 4 o'clock on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Francis G. Lloyd. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. William H. Hughes, for many years pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church in Kingston. The bride was escorted by her brother, Mr. Charles H. Schultz, and the groom by his brother, Mr. Charles H. Schultz. The bride wore a gown of white tulle and the groom wore a tuxedo. The wedding was a private affair and only a few guests were present.

FELICITATES MISS DUNNE.
President Sends Message to Governor's Daughter, Soon to Wed.
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 15.—Miss Eileen Mary Dunne, daughter of Governor Dunne of Illinois, who is to be married to Mr. Charles H. Dunne, a Chicago attorney, has received the following note from President Wilson:

My dear Miss Dunne: May I not wish you the greatest happiness and contentment, and may I not convey through you my warmest congratulations to Mr. Corbo? I wish I might have the pleasure of being present on the 20th to convey my felicitations to you. Cordially and sincerely yours, WOODROW WILSON.

SOCIAL NOTES.
Mrs. Potter Palmer, who has been at the White House for some time, has been seen at the White House. Mrs. Galt, the President's fiancée, was seen at the White House. Mrs. Galt, the President's fiancée, was seen at the White House. Mrs. Galt, the President's fiancée, was seen at the White House.

OFF FOR EUROPE TODAY.
Liners—The Arrivals.
Transatlantic liners sailing today and some of those booked to leave on them are:

NEW H. TOWNSEND
TOWER IN PARIS
New Yorker, in Red Cross Ambulance Service, to Marry Yvonne Terlink of Brussels.

HIS FIANCEE WAS REFUGEE
Son of Mrs. James M. Townsend Met Her at Lappan—Coming Here After Their Wedding.
Special Cable to The New York Times.
PARIS, Oct. 15.—Edward H. Townsend, son of Mrs. James M. Townsend of New York, will marry shortly in Paris Yvonne Terlink, member of a well-known Brussels family. Mr. Townsend has been engaged for several months in ambulance work for the French-American-Belgian Red Cross and met Miss Terlink this year at Lappan, where she was a refugee. A month ago he went home to obtain his mother's consent, returning with his sister, Yvonne's chaperon. His fiancée, who just arrived in Paris, is a French girl. Mr. Townsend hoped to be married immediately, but formalities of the French law are causing delay.

His Classmates Ushers.
Plans for Phelps-Bartlett Wedding in All Angels' Church Oct. 30.
The wedding of Miss Eleanor Bartlett, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Phelps, and Mr. Charles H. Bartlett, son of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Phelps, will take place on Saturday afternoon, Oct. 30, at 4 o'clock, in All Angels' Church, West Eighty-first Street and Carter Phelps, a son of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Phelps, will be the best man. The bride will be escorted by her brother, Mr. Charles H. Bartlett. The wedding will be a private affair and only a few guests will be present.

FAMOUS OPERA HOUSE FAILS
Because of War and Hurricane.
NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 15.—Financial difficulties, to be traceable directly to the European war and to the damage done by the recent coast hurricane, resulted in the appointment in the Civil District Court today of a receiver for the famous opera house, the Grand Opera House, which was the historic French opera house here. The proceedings were voluntary.

MRS. POST TO AID FRENCH
Will Sail from Here with Five Nurses for Army Hospitals.
Mrs. Edward C. Post will sail from New York shortly for France to assist in the hospitals there of the French Red Cross. She will be accompanied by five nurses, who will be sent to the hospitals there. Mrs. Post will be accompanied by five nurses, who will be sent to the hospitals there.

Daughter in F. J. Brettman's Home.
Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Brettman, Jr., of 240 West 125th Street, are being congratulated upon the birth of a daughter at their home yesterday. Mrs. Brettman was Miss Florence I. Garnett, and her marriage was celebrated December 1 in the church of the Divine Paternity.

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SIDELL TILGHMAN TOWED.
Ex-Governor of Stock Exchange to Marry Miss Callmeyer.
Special to The New York Times.
MADISON, N. J., Oct. 15.—The engagement of Miss Léonie Callmeyer, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. George G. Callmeyer, and sister of Miss Virginia Polignat Callmeyer, to Sidell Tilghman, for several years a Governor of the New York Stock Exchange, has been announced here.

TREE'S PLAYS TO BE FILMED.
This to be a Feature of His Coming Visit to This Country.
Special Cable to The New York Times.
LONDON, Oct. 15.—Sir Herbert Beerbaum Tree, who was interviewed today by a representative of The Daily Telegraph concerning his American tour, said:

MOVIES LURE ANNA HELD.
She is to Get \$25,000 for Acting in a Picture for Morocco.
Anna Held, who arrived Thursday on the St. Louis from Paris, signed a contract with Oliver Morosini, a contractor for a motion picture under his direction. The French actress is to receive \$25,000 for her part in the picture. The picture is to be made in Morocco. The actress is to be paid \$25,000 for her part in the picture.

THEATRICAL NOTES.
Arthur Hammerstein has engaged Franklin B. Seay to play the part of the Duke in his new opera, "Katinka." Mr. Seay appeared as the vaudeville player in the "Fanny Hill" production.

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WHITE RATS BEGIN CRUSADE
Will Fight for Reforms in Small-Time Vaudeville Theatres.
The White Rats' Union, better known as the White Rats Club, is about to begin a crusade against small-time vaudeville theatres in New York City that make a practice of canceling the bookings of performers without notice and that take advantage of performers in other ways.

NEW LUNCHEON CLUB OPENS
Many Downtown Professional Women Gather at the Savarin.
The first meeting of the Woman's Downtown Luncheon Club, which was formed recently by a number of women engaged in various professions, was held yesterday at the Savarin in the Equitable Building, 120 Broadway. A wing of the restaurant has been set aside for the members. It is expected that the club soon will be able to open clubrooms of its own.

CHAPLAIN'S BODY IN STATE.
Big Throng Views Father Sullivan's Body—Funeral Today.
The body of the Rev. Father Francis J. Sullivan, chaplain of the Police Department, and rector of St. Aloysius Church, 132d Street and Broadway, who died suddenly Tuesday night, laid in state at the Police Department today. A large throng of people gathered to view the body. The funeral will be held today.

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EX-POLICE LIEUT. MULVEY.
Veteran Who Drew Two Salaries from New York City Is Dead at 66.
Former Police Lieutenant Thomas Mulvey died on Thursday night at the Beauséjour Hotel in Brooklyn at the age of 66 years. During his active career on the force he had the unique experience of drawing two salaries from the City of New York as a member of the department.

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BASEBALL THIS WINTER.

Federal League Will Again Be the Subject of Controversy.

Though the baseball season with its

As only a matter for reflection, and the game itself continues as a topic of interest through the possibilities which may develop before the return of actual playing next Spring. Last Winter there was much of moment hap-

to the Federal League controversy, and this promises to hold its place during the coming Winter.

Rumors of peace have been so plentiful that they almost gain credence through repetition, but underneath the surface of these rumors there is no nearer settlement than when the out-of-league first established itself. What is problematical. There are those who believe that organized baseball will not permit the Federal League to draw away the money it will continue to pour money into the bottomless depths of the Federal League. The strength of the strength of the older organizations is weakened.

On January that the first trial called Landis case was presented in court, and as yet there has been no word from the Federal League. It is down during this Winter, and which ever side it favors it is bound to affirm. The Federal League is a marked degree.

The baseball players themselves have been the first to be disappointed. Nine of

country, while a few are still playing ball. Members of the Philadelphia National League team, who stayed overnight in this city after attending the performance at the Hippodrome Theatre last night, will play a game with the Lincoln Giants at Olympic Field tomorrow afternoon. All of the regular players will be in the lineup against the negro team.

In this city there is particular interest in the Yankees through the fact that the announcement has gone forth that there is to be a new baseball park. At present there are four locations

The Federal League also promises a new park in this city as the home of the New York Federal League Club, but there is no intimation as to where it will be located, except that the assurance is that it will be on Manhattan island.

Three Brooklyn Players Sign.
The Brooklyn National League Baseball Club has received signed contracts from the following players: R. H. Goodbred. Lawrence Miller, and Lester F. Stevenson. Goodbred, a pitcher, was purchased from Oak-

koon last year and repurchased from Newark
 at the end of this season. Meyer and Steven-
 son were purchased this season from the St.
 Boniface Club.

Chicago Nine Defeats Kelo.
 TOKIO, Japan, Oct. 15.—The University of
 Chicago Baseball Team to-day defeated the
 nine of Kelo University. The score:

Chicago		3	R.	H.	E.
Kelo		0	2	1	

Want Pari-Mutuel on Coast.
 An effort will be made before the next

Legislature in California to bring about the return of racing. Charles W. Clarke is back of the attempt to restore the sport with betting under the Pari-Mutuel plan. The bill which is proposed will include the appointment of a State commission.

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COLUMBIA GOLF ASSOCIATION
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GOES AT BALTIMOREGeorge H. Williams Captures
Gross Score Honors—Fine
Shot by Newkirk.

The third and largest tournament of the Woolen Golf Association was held yesterday at the Baltusrol Golf Club with more than sixty players competing. J. W. Newkirk furnished the most spectacular performance when he held midiron shot from sixty yards off the eighteen green for a two. This was about the third time this trick has been accomplished there.

Gross honors went to George H. Williams for his 91, while the President's Cup, offered by Richard A. Stron, was won by U. J. Wilson with a card of 93, 20-70, the prize going to the man making the lowest net of the entire field.

Three classes were provided, with first and second net awards in each, the last being complicated somewhat by the rule that no player could make more than one trophy. In Class A first prize went to C. H. Sturges for his 98, 15-83, second, falling to H. Reeve Stron with 95, 8-81. In the second division the winner was R. K. Taylor, 100, 24-82, and second, A. H. Sturges, 101, 18-83. J. P. Sturges won first in Class C, with 105, 25-80, while Robert T. Bryan took second with 118, 22-88. There was a special trophy for the man making the highest gross score in the field. This was captured by R. L. Broom, who had 168.

Following the day on the links an informal dinner was held in the clubhouse at Baltusrol. The scores:

Class A—George Williams, 91, 10-81; J. C. Sturges, 98, 15-83; H. Reeve Stron, 95, 8-81; William V. Conover, 96, 9-80; J. W. Newkirk, 97, 12-85; R. K. Taylor, 100, 24-82; C. H. Sturges, 101, 18-83; H. Reeve Stron, 102, 15-84; R. K. Taylor, 103, 25-85; E. H. Sturges, 104, 19-86; R. K. Taylor, 105, 26-87; H. Reeve Stron, 106, 27-88; J. W. Newkirk, 107, 28-89; R. K. Taylor, 108, 29-90; C. H. Sturges, 109, 30-91; H. Reeve Stron, 110, 31-92; R. K. Taylor, 111, 32-93; J. W. Newkirk, 112, 33-94; R. K. Taylor, 113, 34-95; C. H. Sturges, 114, 35-96; H. Reeve Stron, 115, 36-97; R. K. Taylor, 116, 37-98; J. W. Newkirk, 117, 38-99; R. K. Taylor, 118, 39-00; C. H. Sturges, 119, 40-01; H. Reeve Stron, 120, 41-02; R. K. Taylor, 121, 42-03; J. W. Newkirk, 122, 43-04; R. K. Taylor, 123, 44-05; C. H. Sturges, 124, 45-06; H. Reeve Stron, 125, 46-07; R. K. Taylor, 126, 47-08; J. W. Newkirk, 127, 48-09; R. K. Taylor, 128, 49-10; C. H. Sturges, 129, 50-11; H. Reeve Stron, 130, 51-12; R. K. 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COTTON BEARS BUY
AS BULLS UNLOADIrregular Market, Due to Rains
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DAY'S GAIN 8 TO 11 POINTS

Many Compress Yards in the South-
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Spite of the Short Crop.Cotton was irregular yesterday, and in
spite of the fact that the net result
of the day's trading was an advance of 8
to 11 points the underdone of the market
toward the close was rather easy. The
character of the trading has undergone
some change, as reports of the bear inter-
ests which have been fighting the advance
for a considerable period were the most
prevalent yesterday, while the selling came from bull quarters.Scattered rains throughout Oklahoma,
Alabama, the Memphis district, and
Georgia supplied the incentive for a
sharp rise soon after the opening. A
subsequent report by Miss Galt also
was a factor in promoting the early de-
mand. Her report stated that approxi-
mately 60 per cent. of the crop had been
picked, and about 82 per cent. had been
ginned on an average date of Oct. 9.
In most instances the crop was said to
be passing through the gins as fast as
it was picked, and in many localities the
gins were running only two or three
days per week.Considerable bearish news is reaching
the market. In these adverse times it
is laid upon the limited demand from
American spinners and exporters, and
the accumulation of stock in the West-
ern. In the Southwest many of the
compress yards are blocked with cotton.
The fact of the bulls in higher prices
is based chiefly on the short crop.Southern spot markets, as officially re-
ported, were unchanged, 8 to 12 points
advance. The local market for spot
cotton was quiet, 5 points advance. Mid-
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closed steady.

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OUTSIDE SECURITIES

Greater Activity in the Curb
Market, with Price Move-
ments Wide and Irregular.Transactions in the outside security
market yesterday amounted to \$38,222
shares of stocks and \$116,000 of bonds.The sales of stocks were divided as
follows: Industrials, 162,775; oil, 6,187;
and mining, 267,460. The range of prices
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CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE.

Heaviness marked the closing dealings
on the Consolidated Exchange. Ex-
change in the day prices had tended
toward improvement, with some sharp
special upward movements occurring.
There was no particular news to ac-
count for the closing downward trend,
but there seemed to be indications of
liquidation here and there. A number
of the "war" stocks were prominent
in the early advances, particularly
Westinghouse Electric stock nearly 4
points above its closing price on Thurs-
day.

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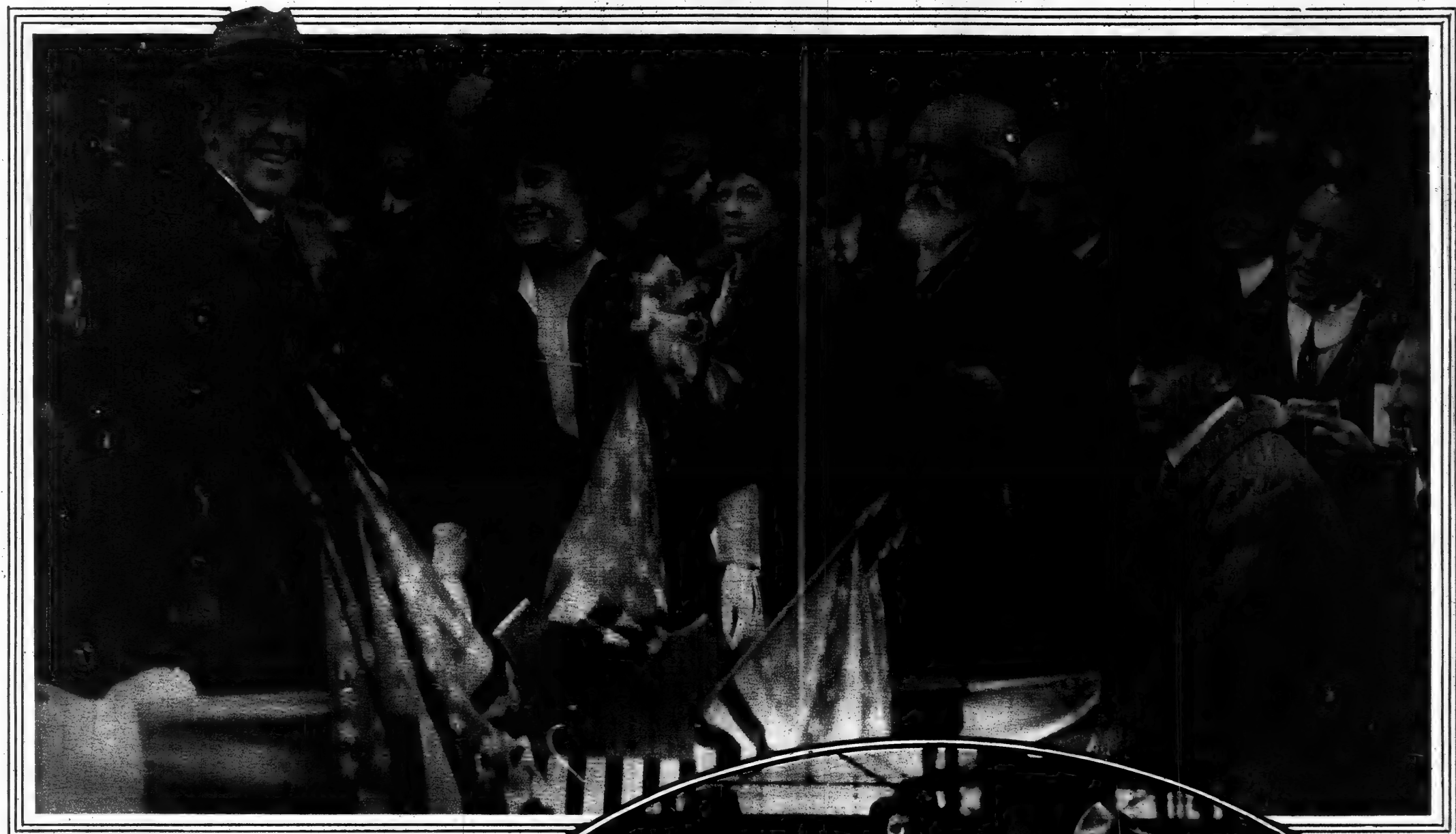
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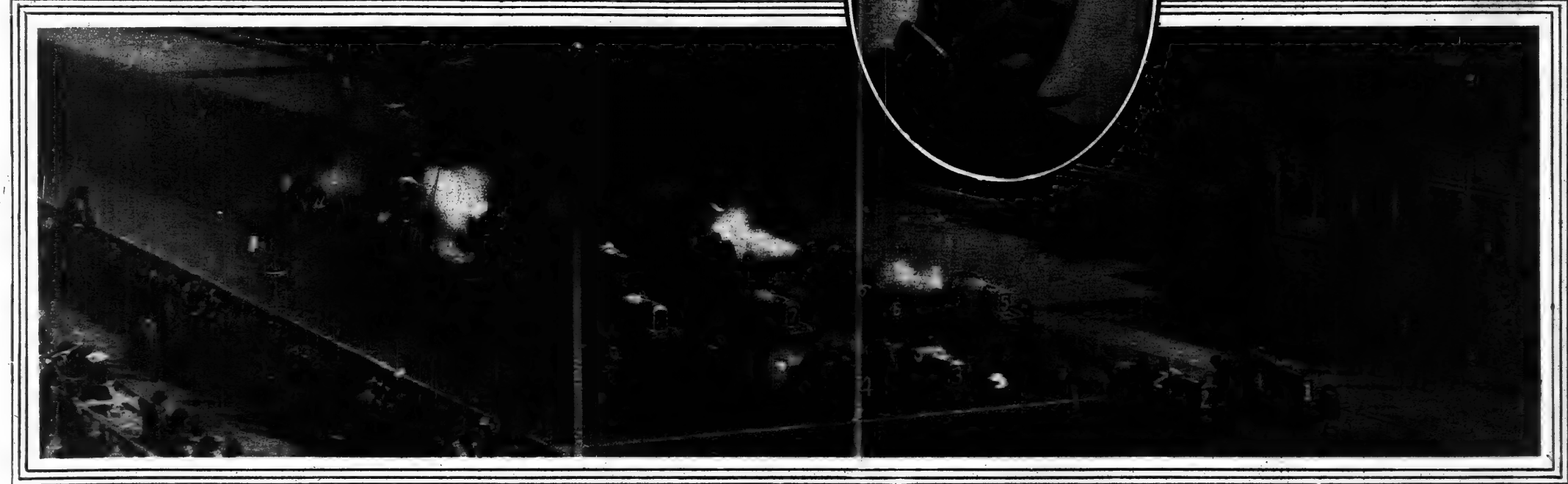
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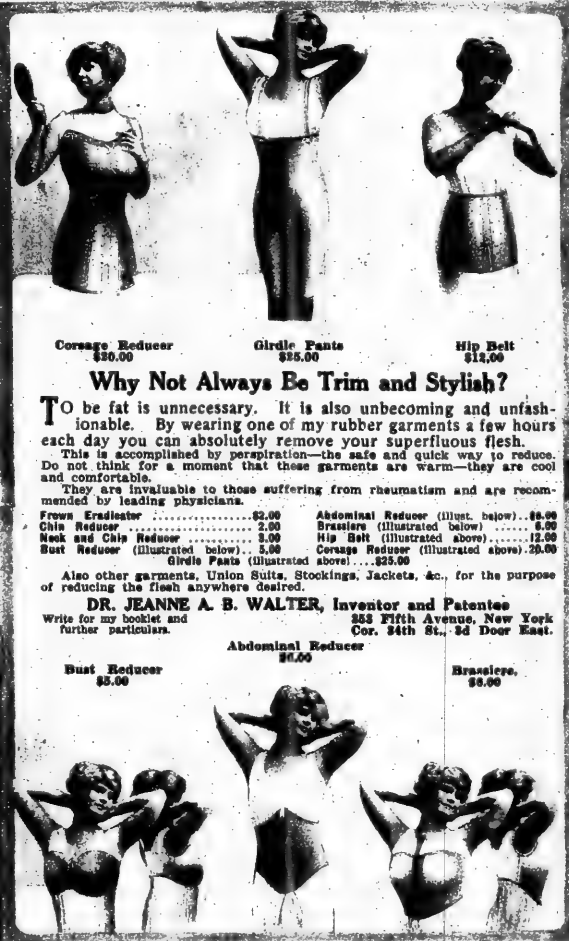
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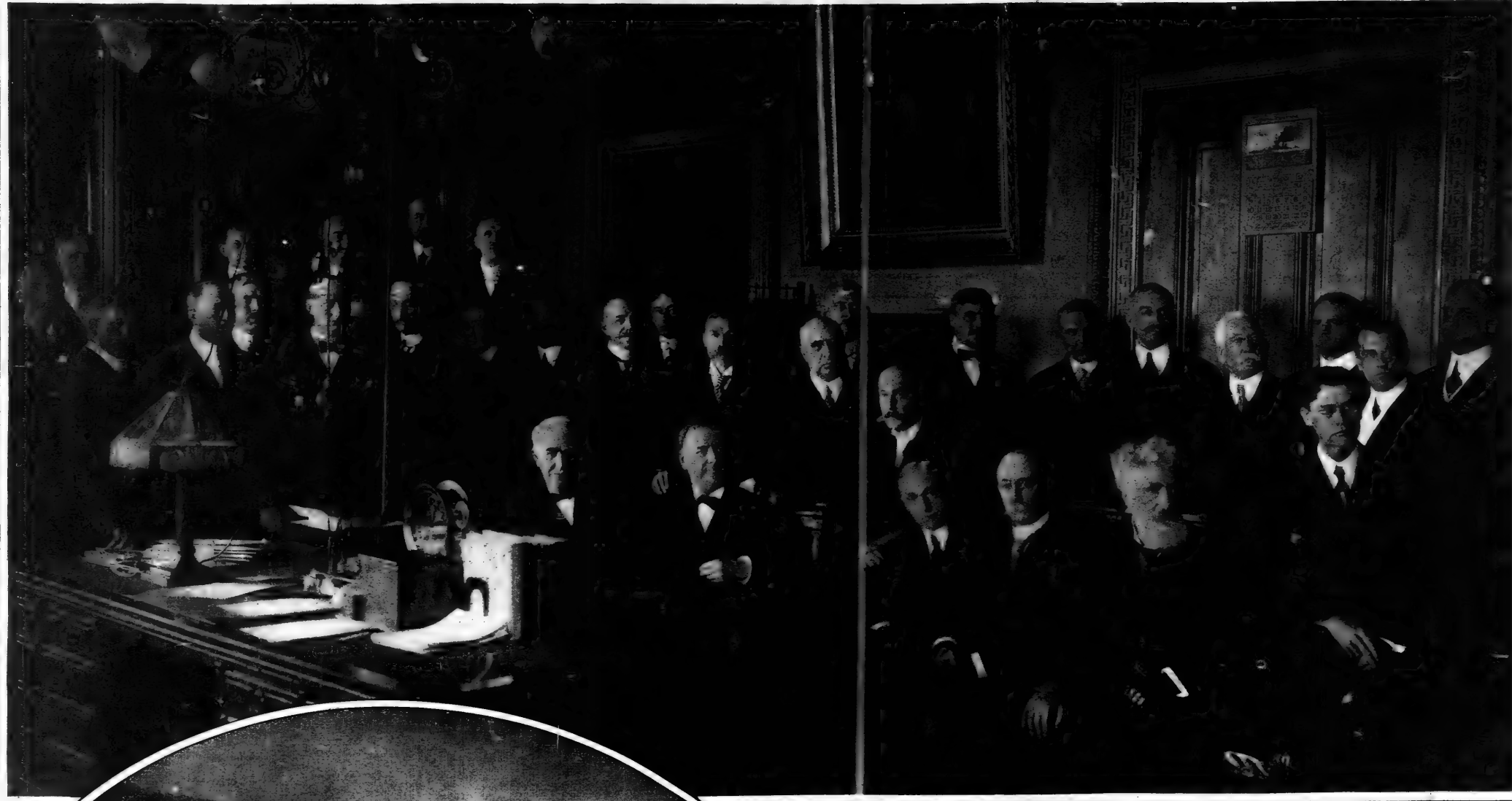
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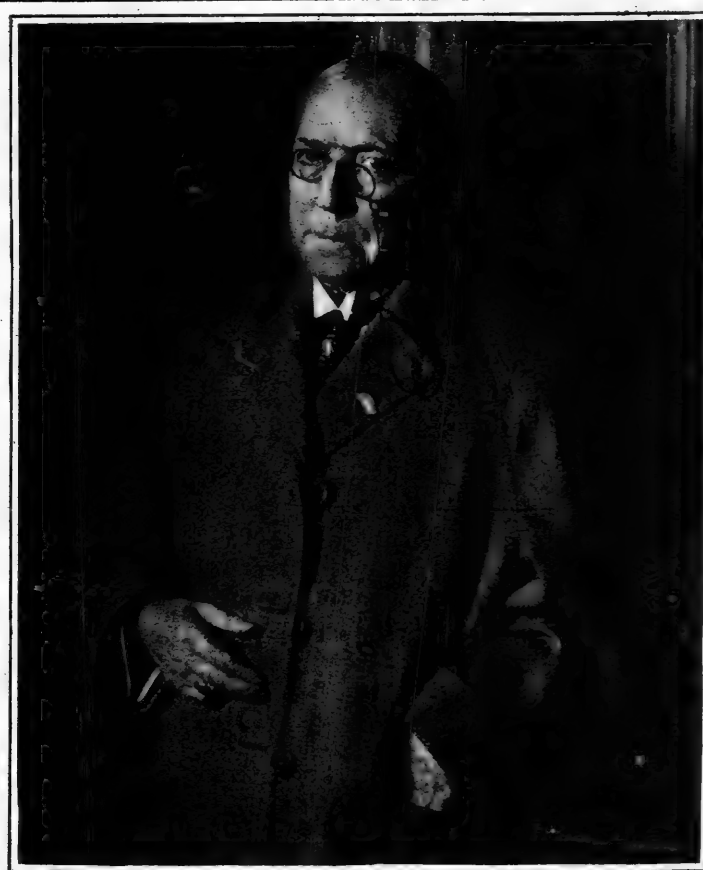
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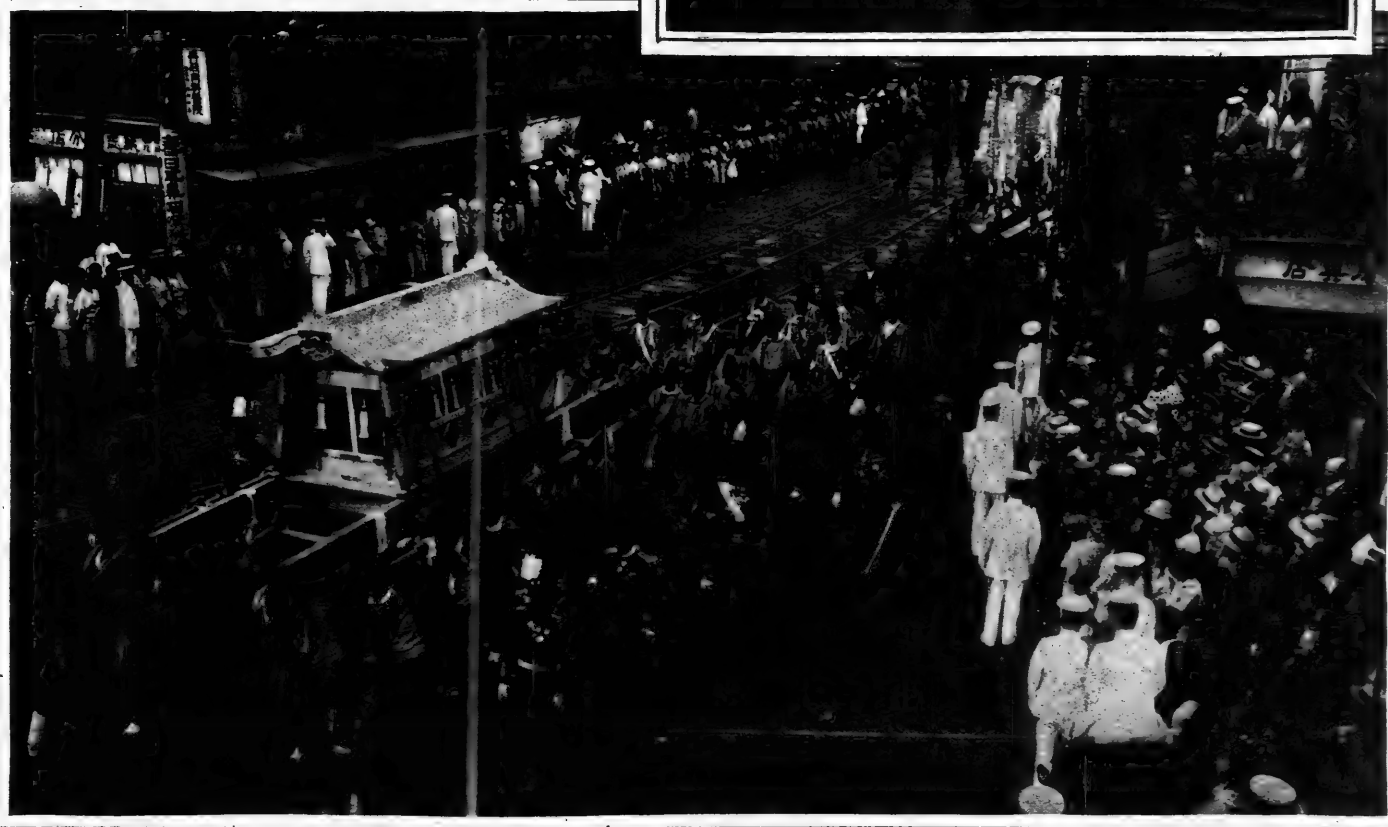


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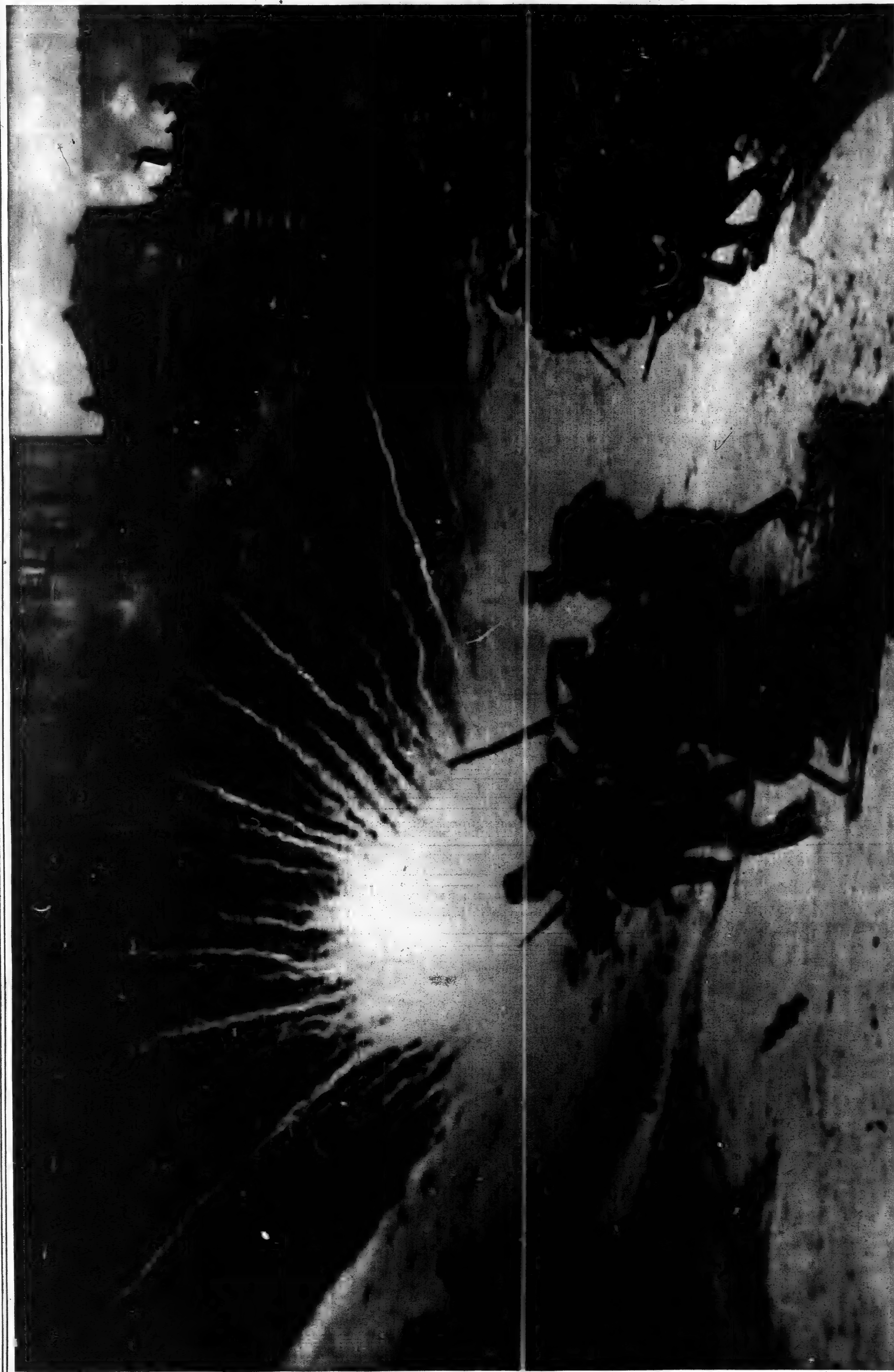


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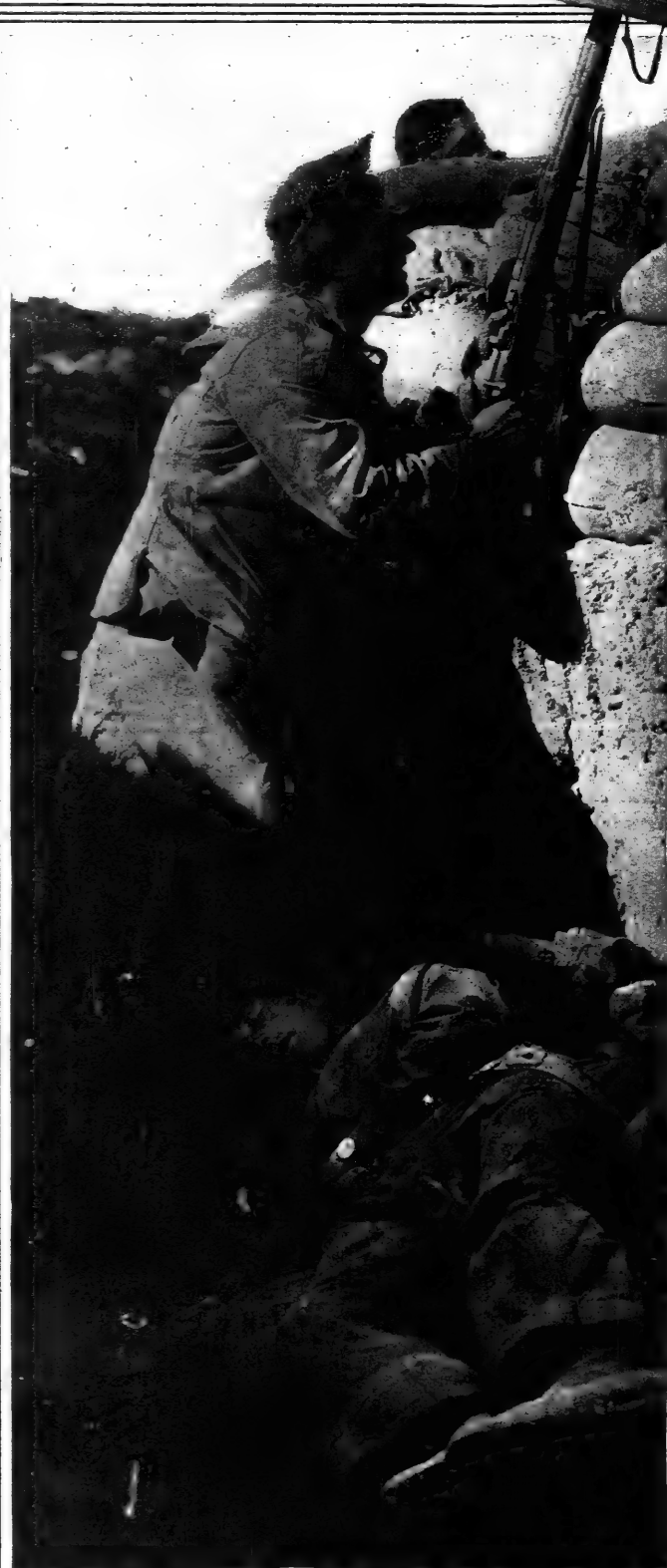
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REMARKABLE PHOTOGRAPH OF A RUSSIAN SHRAPNEL BURSTING AMIDST AUSTRO-GERMAN SOLDIERS ATTACKING THE OUTER FORTS OF THE STRONGLY FORTIFIED TOWN OF IVANGOROD, RUSSIAN POLAND. The many tongues of flame indicate the course taken by the shrapnel at the instant of the explosion. More than twenty Austro-German soldiers were killed by this shell, and many more wounded. This picture, obtained for exclusive reproduction in the Picture Section of The Times, is believed to be absolutely the first authentic photographic illustration of men in actual battle under deadly fire to escape confiscation by the censors and finally reach this country. It was taken by a German who had his camera focused on the fort from a distance of about three hundred yards. The photographer himself had a narrow escape from death from the bursting shell. (Photo from American Press Association.)



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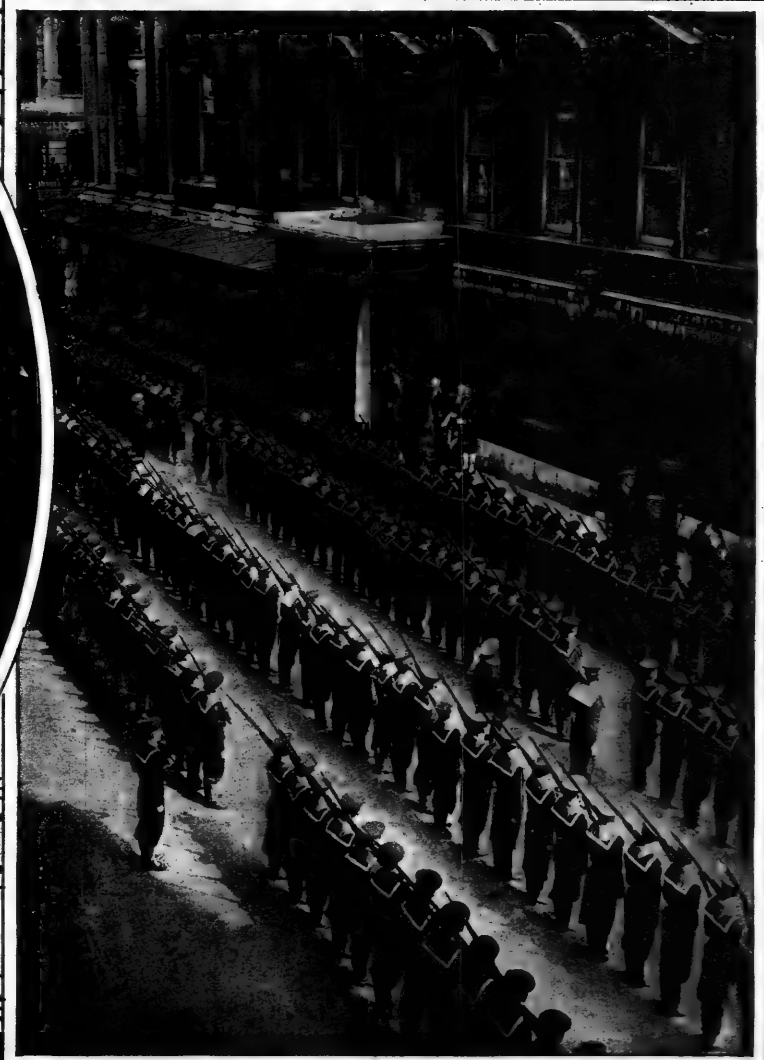


AN IRISHMAN IN THE DARDANELLES TEMPTING A TURK. In This Manner the Location of the Sharpshooter Is Disclosed and His Perch Made Too Hot for Him.
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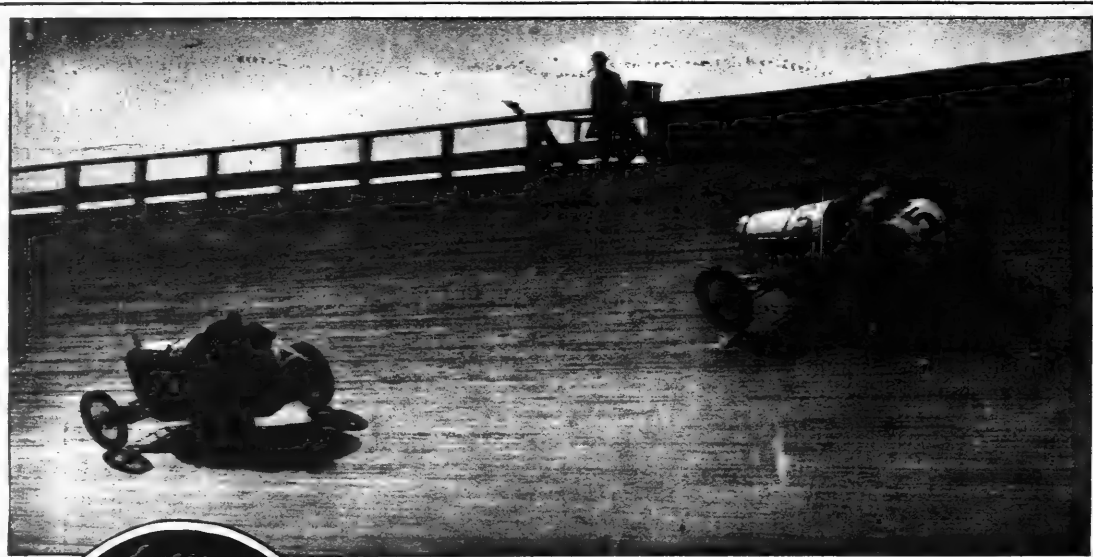
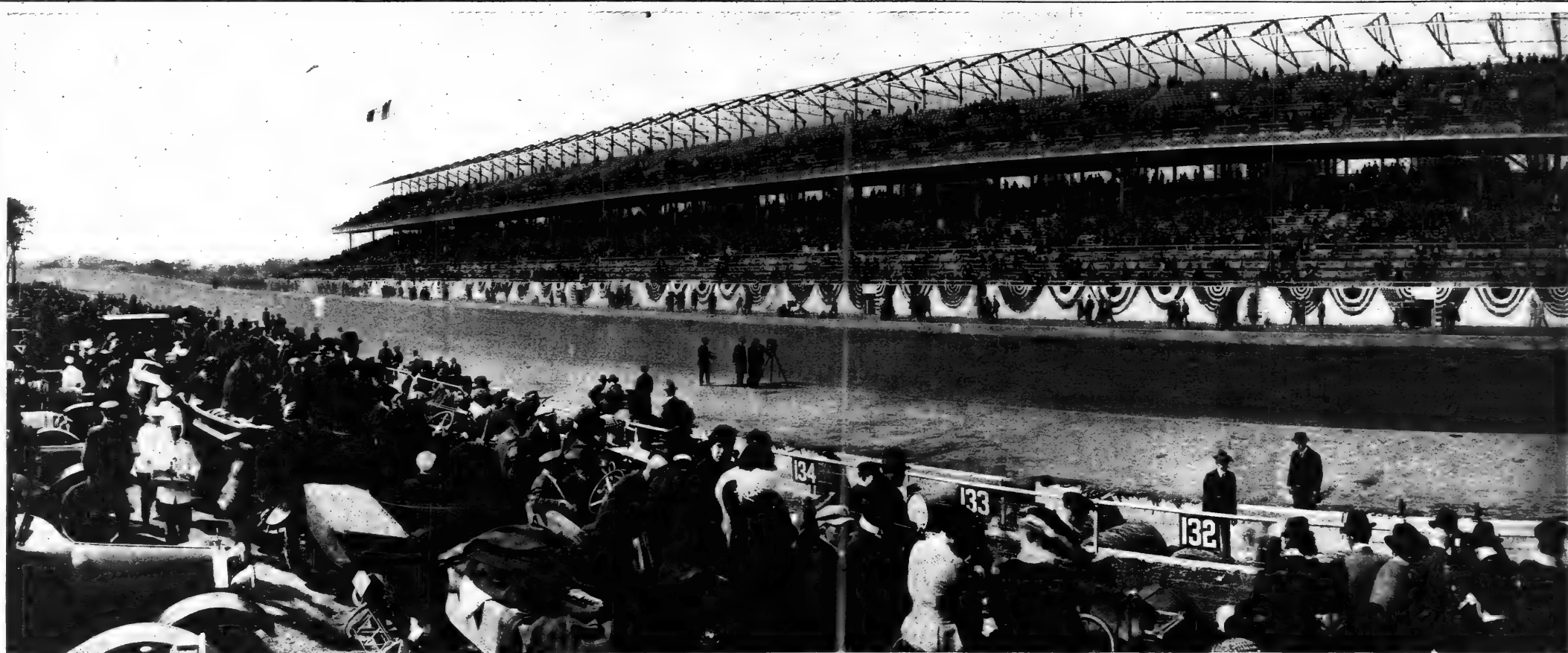


English Girls, Who Have Volunteered to Take Men's Places on the Farms, Bringing in a Hamper of Potatoes.

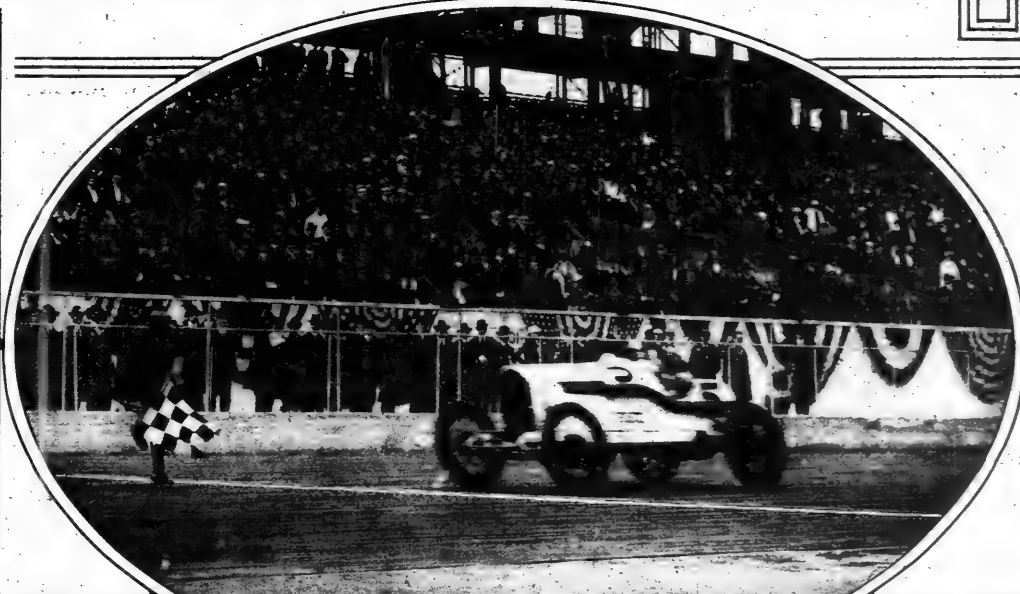
The Lord Mayor of London Inspecting a British Royal Naval Division in Front of the Mansion House.
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GERMAN RIFLEMEN FIGHTING ON A HILLSIDE FROM BEHIND ARMORED SHIELDS.
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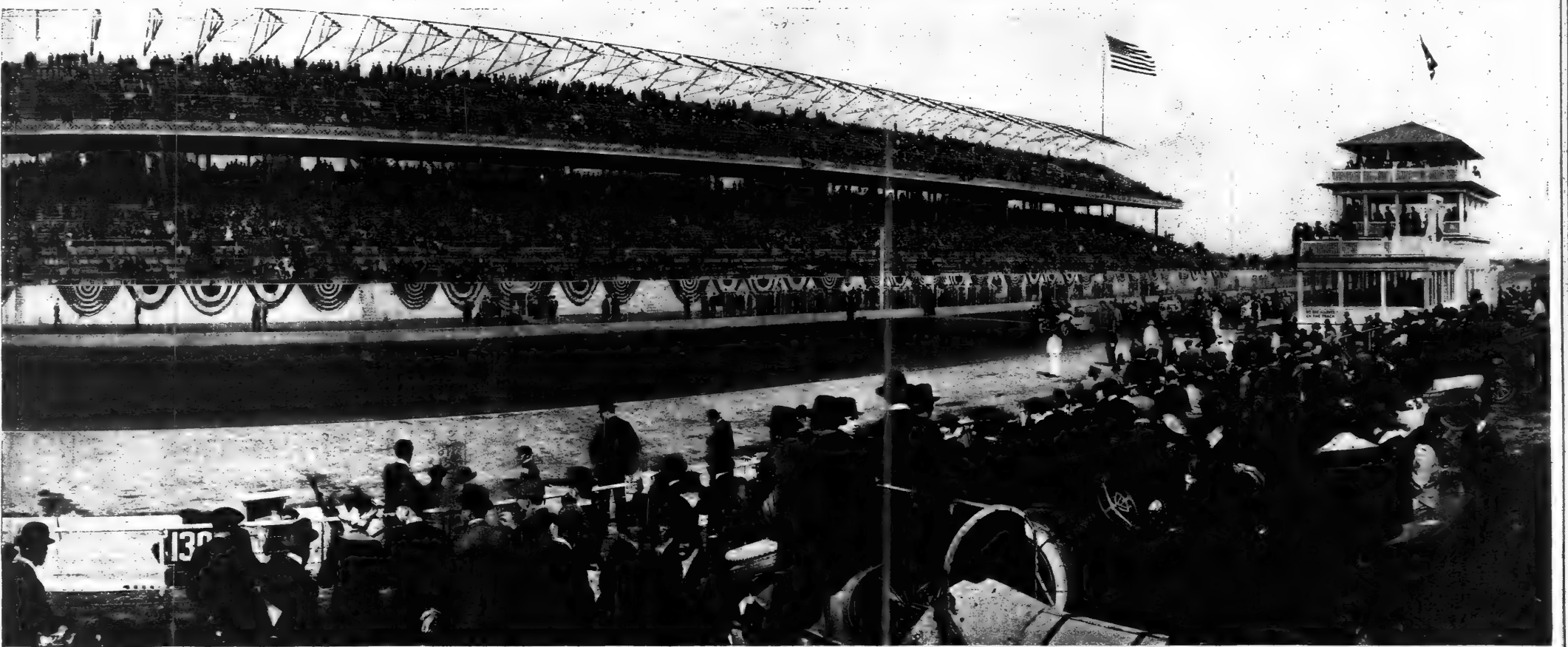
DRIVERS AND MECHANICS LINED UP JUST BEFORE ENTERING THEIR CARS FOR THE ASTOR CUP RACE.
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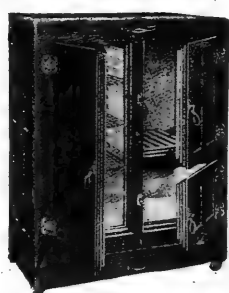
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ASK EMPLOYERS TO AID NEW ARMY

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ALL RESTS ON PATRIOTISM

Government Appeals to Nation,
Regarding Public Response
More Vital Than Funds.

NAVY PLAN IS COMPLETE

America to Have 46 Capital Ships
In Five Years and 1,200,000
Soldiers in Six Years.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Employers throughout the United States—corporations, manufacturers, professional men, tradesmen, and business men of all classes—are to be asked to contribute, as their share in the national defense, permission for their employees to engage, without serious financial loss, in two months' military training during each of three years.

This is an essential part of the administration's plan for raising a citizen army of 800,000 men in six years, which, with a regular army of 140,000 men and 800,000 reserves, would give a trained force, exclusive of State militia, of about 1,200,000 in the event of war.

The success of the plan, officials admit, depends not on the appropriations of Congress, for its cost will be comparatively small, but on the patriotic response of employers to whom an appeal will be made to furnish as many men each year, at different seasons, as they can spare, and who wish to join the proposed conscriptional army.

Administration officials are confident that even though it is proposed to enlist only 138,000 men a year in the conscriptional, or a total of nearly 800,000 in the first six-year period, more than that number will be attracted by the outdoor life of a military camp if they could be assured by their employers that their jobs would not be lost or their earnings seriously decreased. The proposed enlistment requires two months' service for each of three years, and liability for serving during the remaining three years only in the event of war.

Capital Deeply Interested.
The army plan for more than 1,000,000 trained men in six years, and the navy's program of ten dreadnaughts and six battle cruisers within five years—both of which will be presented to Congress with the endorsement of President Wilson—were the absorbing topics of interest here today. The proposed army appropriation bill will be \$102,000,000, or an increase of \$72,000,000 over last year, and that of the navy is \$218,000,000, an increase of \$88,000,000. The total defense budget of nearly \$400,000,000 is an increase of \$140,000,000, which, it is believed, will be raised by a bond issue and increased revenues expected from a return to certain tariff duties removed last year.

Added details of the navy plans became known tonight. The five-year program includes ten dreadnaughts, eight battle cruisers, eight submarines, fifty destroyers, fifteen scout cruisers, and five gunboats. Two dreadnaughts will be built each year. Two battle cruisers will be built the first year, one the second year, and the third year, one the third year.

Great Fleet of Submarines.
This plan was agreed upon in order that the appropriations out of the \$500,000,000 fund to be expended for new ships during the five years might be evenly distributed through the various sessions of Congress. The first year's bill will provide \$24,000,000 to complete ships already authorized, besides the new dreadnaughts and battle cruisers, and will provide also for the construction of twenty-five coast submarines, five sea-going submarines, fifteen destroyers, three scout cruisers, two gunboats, one fuel ship, and one hospital ship, \$2,000,000 for aircraft, and for 10,000 additional men and 200 additional midshipmen at the Naval Academy.

The decision to increase the personnel was welcomed in naval circles, where it had been variously estimated that the navy was from 10,000 to 15,000 men short of the complement necessary for ships built and program.

By authorizing sixteen capital ships in the five-year program the American fleet, when all ships are complete, will be composed in 1922 of thirty-three dreadnaughts and battle cruisers for the fighting line and thirteen battleships of the second line, or a total of forty-six capital ships. This will be exclusive of nine battleships now in commission, which will be superannuated in 1924.

Contracts for sixteen coast defense submarines and six destroyers will be awarded by the Navy Department next Monday. The vessels were authorized at the last session of Congress. Bids for two fleet submarines, the largest submarines ever designed, will be opened next month.

PRESIDENT TO MAKE PREPAREDNESS PLEA

Will Issue Appeal to Country and
Speak in Support of Army
and Navy Increases.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—President Wilson will appeal to the country to support his plan for military preparedness. He will issue a statement explaining the situation that confronts the United States, and this will be supplemented by statements from the Secretary

LONDON HEARS PAGE OFFERED TO RESIGN

But Ambassador Says He Has
Taken No Action to Justify
Any Such Report.

LONDON, Oct. 16.—A report was current in London tonight that the American ambassador, Walter H. Page, had sent a cablegram to Washington offering his resignation from the ambassadorship.

Mr. Page, who was apprised of the report, said: "There is no truth in such a report. I have not resigned and I have taken no action which would justify a rumor to that effect."

In what way the rumor arose is not known.

Learning Also Denies It.
Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—A rumor that Walter H. Page, the Ambassador to Great Britain, had protested to the State Department over the recall of Robert P. Skinner, Consul General in London, in such a way as virtually to place his resignation in the hands of President Wilson was in circulation in Washington tonight.

According to the rumor the Ambassador was offended because the matters which caused the State Department to instruct Mr. Skinner to return to the United States had not been referred to him.

When Secretary Lansing heard of the rumor he expressed astonishment over it and declared that it had absolutely no foundation. He denied it unequivocally.

FOUR PERSONS KILLED IN TENEMENT FIRE

Eighty Tenants, Roused at 2:30
A. M. by Flames, Flee in Panic
and One Is Badly Burned.

Eighty persons were aroused from sleep in the five-story tenement at 2,127 Third Avenue, one door from the corner of 116th Street, at 2:30 o'clock this morning, when fire started in the lower hall-way and spread up the stairs, cutting off the escape of every person in the house. Instantly there was a panic, which was not quieted when Policemen Wiley of the East 128th Street Station burst into an excited throng on the third floor with his uniform blazing. He had forced a way up the stairs and was almost overcome.

A moment later Foley and the firemen who had arrived in response to the alarm he sent, fighting up through the smoke to the fifth floor, came on the bodies of two little girls, Anna and May Wynn, 13 and 14 years old respectively, and two other bodies, which were burned so badly it was impossible to tell whether they were those of children or adults. All had been overcome by smoke, appearing as they tried to flee. Then they then laid where they had fallen till the flames reached them. It was not believed that any other person was lost.

Foley led Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Brien to the rear fire escape and managed to get them down safely. The O'Briens, who had been in the house for about twenty years, were found about twenty men, women, and children too terrified to try to escape. He led them down the stairs as they drew them on his plank in their terrified condition, and got them down to the street through the fire.

AETNA POWDER BLOW-UP LAID TO ELECTRICIANS

Foreman and Assistant, Both German,
Held for Explosion
Which Killed Five Men.

Special to The New York Times.
EMPORIUM, Penn., Oct. 16.—Two arrests were made here today as a result of the explosion at the Aetna Powder Company's plant about three weeks ago, in which five lives were lost, one man seriously injured, and 288,000 pounds of smokeless powder, ready for shipment to Europe, were destroyed.

Lewis Subisick, chief electrician, and A. Fronchots, his assistant, were arrested by Sheriff J. G. Judd of Cameron County. The State Constabulary had worked up the case against the men. The men are alleged to have set off the powder explosion by the use of electricity. Both prisoners are of German descent and are supposed to have been induced by German emissaries to blow up the plant.

Subisick and Fronchots were taken to the Ridgeway Jail and will have a hearing Monday. Other arrests are to follow.

Four Die in Benzol Explosion.
BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 16.—Four men were killed and four injured tonight in an explosion in the new by-product plant of the Tennessee Coal, Iron & Railroad Company at Fairfield.

DISSENTING CITIZENS JOIN PATRIOT BAND

Mrs. Vincent Astor's Guests at
Dinner Launch "America
First" Campaign.

SEEKING THE FOREIGN-BORN

Educational Work and Training
Camps to Help Assimilate
Land's Immigrants.

LABOR PEACE ONE OBJECT

Gen. Wood, Cardinal Gibbons, Ed-
son, Schiff, and John Mitchell
Among the Members.

A campaign with three slogans, "America First," "The English Language First," and "Efficiency," is beginning under the direction of the National Americanization Committee, a new organization with offices at 20 West Thirty-fourth Street, and a membership including eminent men and women.

Among the workers of the committee are persons of such widely separated environments as Mary Antin, Thomas A. Edison, Mrs. Vincent Astor, Cardinal Gibbons, John Mitchell, Jacob H. Schiff, and General Leonard Wood; and its object has been summarized in the phrase, "Internal preparedness."

The preparedness aimed at is not only for war, but for peace, and the committee aims to promote the process of welding the immigrants who come in from all over Europe into a single nation.

The campaign was started formally Friday night at a dinner given by Mrs. Vincent Astor, where the beginnings of the work were recounted by the leaders. The committee wants to get the immigrants assimilated, naturalized, and educated. One of its principal aims is to improve the labor situation—to promote the conservation of the labor supply and prevent labor wars, and to make the workmen who are doing the manual labor of the country realize that they are part of the country with duties, privileges, and responsibilities.

Training Camps for Citizens.
Citizens' training camps are one means by which the committee hopes to foster its work—training camps, where native Americans and foreign-born Americans work together for a common ideal; and what is wanted is the effect of the camps on the spirit rather than on the actual military preparation of the men who take part in them.

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Frank Trumbull, Chairman of the committee, who is a Director of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad, presided at the meeting. Miss Frances A. Keller, Vice Chairman, who has been working with a study of conditions among immigrant workmen. The industries particularly studied were those relating to national defense—munitions plants, railroads, mines, quarries, and other lines of work where the presence of unassimilated foreigners in time of war might be a national danger.

EMANCIPATE MEN DESCRIBE WORK

Dr. P. C. Claxton, Federal Commissioner of Education, told of the spreading of the America-first posters, which indicate the night school as the first aid to the immigrant, and of the work which the Bureau of Education is doing for the foreign-born in the State, through the National Americanization Committee, and of the work done to reduce illiteracy among immigrants in New York City. Commissioner of Immigration Frederick C. Howe pleaded for support of the present campaign to increase interest in the city's night schools and for the reception arranged by the Mayor's committee, which is generally said to be the best in the country, for the reception of immigrants in the City College Stadium on Oct. 22.

President Arthur T. Hadley of Yale and Benjamin H. Wheeler of the University of California spoke in support of the committee's work, and President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia sent a letter announcing that a course of training for adult immigrants in preparation for naturalization was being added to that institution's extension department.

An art contest on the subject of "The Immigrant in America" is being conducted by the committee with the National Americanization Committee. Prizes totaling \$1,100 have been offered and an exhibit of the works submitted is to be sent through the principal cities of the country.

Mrs. Stotesbury Aiding.
The dinner at the Astor home was the first of a series through which the movement is to gain a nation-wide character.

Terror Killed Nine During Zeppelin Raid; Others Blown to Pieces as They Slept

LONDON, Oct. 16.—The medical evidence at the inquest held today in the cases of eighteen persons who died in the London area as a result of the Zeppelin raid of Wednesday night disclosed that the death of half of them, the majority of whom were women, was due to heart failure or shock resulting from the terrifying effect of the exploding bombs and the gunfire.

One victim was an elderly woman who had sought refuge in her husband's arms. He had said to her: "Never mind, we will die together if the worst happens." He was not hurt.

Among those who died from injuries was a young man, who was found sitting against a wall, his severed arm lying loose in his sleeve. To those who came to his assistance he said: "I am still sticking to it."

In a house which was struck by one bomb and damaged by two others three boys who were sleeping in the same bed were killed. A young man who ran out of a house in the neighborhood of which bombs were falling received a mortal wound, but the other occupants, who remained behind to dress, escaped unhurt.

A father, mother, and daughter were found dead under the wreckage of a small villa on which a bomb fell. A dressmaker's assistant was found dead in a cellar in which she had taken refuge on the first alarm.

In nine cases of death from bodily injury a verdict was returned that the deaths had been caused by bombs thrown from an enemy aircraft, the Coroner having directed the jury not to adopt what he described as "the foolish precedent" of bringing in a verdict of willful murder against the German Emperor.

The King and Queen this afternoon visited the civilians at Charing Cross Hospital who were injured in the raid.

Passengers in Crowded Motor Are
Thrown Against Structure—
Chauffeur Lost Control of Car.

An automobile in which eight men were crowded, some seated on the laps of others, sped up Boston Road beneath the elevated section of the subway near Bryant Avenue, the Bronx, shortly before 1 o'clock this morning. The crew of an emergency wagon of the Union Railway Company saw the flying car as it neared the 177th Street Station of the subway and swung wide to avoid a collision.

The chauffeur of the touring car did the same, and the railway men noticed that he seemed unable to straighten out his car again. It wobbled back and forth under the elevated structure threatening each instant to strike a pillar, and presently it did so, with a crash which brought folk running from blocks around.

It was found that these men had been killed outright: KELLNER, JACOB, age and address unknown; killed outright. TERRIER, ANTHONY, 400 West Thirty-ninth Street, killed outright. WICKER, WILLIAM, 400 West Thirty-ninth Street, killed outright.

These four were injured: LEONARD, ALBERT, 446 West Twenty-ninth Street, injured. LOZANO, FRANK, 543 West Forty-sixth Street, contusions of face. MARTICELLI, CORNELIUS, 411 West Forty-sixth Street, injured. SCHACK, CHARLES, 418 West Thirty-ninth Street, general contusions.

The appearance of the wrecked car substantiated the statements of the railroad men as to the speed it was making. The front right seat was torn away. Both wheels on the left side were torn off. The tonneau was smashed into kindling. There were pieces of wood and metal, and bits of shattered glass for many feet about the wreck.

The car had plunged into the pillar and Wicker and Terrie landed on the pavement, where they died instantly. One man seems to have escaped, although the police could not learn who he was. However, Marticelli said that there had been a chauffeur whom he had not known, and that this man had been unhurt and had made off.

From the license plate the police learned the car was owned by Michael Schack, who lives at 418 West Thirty-ninth Street, and who is a chauffeur living at 306 West Fifty-first Street. According to the police he said he did not know the driver, but that he saw the automobile from the garage. He let it in charge of John Kennedy, who said to have been at the wheel of the car.

PARDONS BOARD DECIDES HILLSTROM MUST DIE

Refuses His Plea for Commutation
and Terminates Reprieve—
Will Be Resentenced.

SALT LAKE, Oct. 16.—The State Board of Pardons by unanimous vote tonight adopted a resolution denying commutation of sentence to Joseph Hillstrom, convicted of the murder of J. G. Morrison and Morrison's son in Salt Lake Jan. 10, 1914, and terminating the reprieve granted Hillstrom at the request of President Wilson on Sept. 30.

Hillstrom, who is known as the "Hobo Foot," was sentenced to be hanged Oct. 1, and was reprieved to give W. F. A. Ekstrom, the Swedish Minister, an opportunity to present new facts or reasons why sentence should be commuted.

ALLIED TROOPS LEAVE SALONIKI TO AID THE SERBS AGAINST BULGARS; FIERCE BATTLE ON FOR MAIN RAILWAY

Bulgarian Blockade Declared by Allies;
All Aegean Ports Mined Against Attack

BULGARIAN BLOCKADE DECLARED BY ALLIES; ALL AEGEAN PORTS MINED AGAINST ATTACK

LONDON, Oct. 16.—A blockade of the Bulgarian coast in the Aegean Sea by Entente allied warships of the Eastern Mediterranean Squadron was put into effect today, according to this announcement made by the Official Press Bureau.

"The Vice Admiral commanding the Eastern Mediterranean Squadron of the allied fleets has declared a blockade of the Bulgarian coast in the Aegean Sea commencing from 6 A. M. on the 16th inst."

"Forty-eight hours' grace for the moment of the commencement of the blockade has been assigned for the departure of neutral vessels from the blockaded area."

An Athens dispatch says: "Lighthouses on the Bulgarian coast have been extinguished. Entrance to the port of Dedagach, Bulgaria's principal port on the Aegean Sea, has been forbidden except in the daytime, when a pilot is required. All Bulgarian ports are said to have been mined."

The strip of Bulgarian coast bordering the Aegean Sea, against which warships of the Anglo-French Eastern Mediterranean Squadron have established a blockade, runs from Sartiaghian, Greece, to Enos, European Turkey, a distance of about eighty miles. It consists of territory obtained from Turkey as a result of the Balkan wars. The chief seaports along the coast are Dedagach, Porto Lagos, Maronia, and Mecri. Running parallel with the shore line at a distance of five to ten miles is the Saloniki-Constantinople railroad.

This success of British undersea craft is a climax of their recent operations in the Baltic Sea whereby they have stopped practically all traffic between Sweden and Germany, and incidentally hampered, for the moment at least, the manufacture of munitions in the latter country by preventing the importation of iron ore.

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FIGHTING FAVORS SERBS

Bulgarian Force Attacks
Bridge 20 Miles From
the Greek Border.

SEVERAL INVASIONS BEGUN

Frontier Fortress Partly Taken
by Ferdinand's Troops—Tey-
tons Advance Slowly.

ALLIES DECLARE BLOCKADE

Russia Holds That State of War
with Bulgaria Exists, but De-
clays Formal Declaration.

LONDON, Sunday, Oct. 17.—Allied troops left Saloniki yesterday (Saturday) for the Serbian front at the Serbo-Bulgarian frontier, according to an Athens dispatch to Reuters' Telegram Company.

An Athens dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, apparently of Friday's date, says: "The railway administration at Saloniki was ordered today to prepare seven trains for the transport of Allied troops to Gjevelli. They will start tomorrow."

Fierce fighting in the region of Doiran, near the Greek frontier, between the Serbians and Bulgarians, who are trying to cut the main Serbian railway outlet, has taken a turn in favor of the Serbs, according to an Athens dispatch received by the Exchange Telegraph Company by way of Zurich.

A Saloniki dispatch received by way of Paris says:

"Heavy cannonading is reported around Doiran, southeastern Serbia. The Serbians are said to have forced the Bulgarians to retire. The Serbians are advancing from Scuvovo in the direction of Strumitsa, which they claim they expect to take shortly."

An Athens dispatch dated Saturday says:

"Forty thousand Bulgarian troops, with artillery, are reported to have begun an attack on the Vardar Bridge, between Valandovo, on the railroad running from Saloniki into Serbia, and Hovodovo. The point of attack is about twenty miles north of the Greek border. The Bulgarians apparently are attempting to cut railway communication and prevent the Entente Allies from forwarding troops and supplies for the assistance of the Serbians."

An Athens dispatch to the Milan Secolo states that 50,000 Bulgarians attacked the Serbians on Oct. 14 near Valandovo region close to the Greek frontier and that desperate fighting is now proceeding.

From Sofia under date of Oct. 14 comes the following:

"The Bulgarian offensive began this morning, the entire line being very active. According to reports brought in by an aviator at noon, the Bulgarian troops had already penetrated Serbian territory at some places a distance of about six miles."

The Bulgarians are now said to have forced the frontier ridges at several points between Negotin and Strumitsa.

Today's official German announcement on the Balkans says:

The army group of Field Marshal von Mackensen is further progressing. We stormed Vranova Mountain south of Semendria, and the village of Smoljan, east of Pozarevac, (about twenty miles from the border.)

After fighting in Bulgaria, the German forces passed over the frontier range of hills at several points between Negotin and Strumitsa. The eastern forces of Zolcar have been taken.

The following official statement was given out by the Austrian War Office last night:

Austro-Hungarian troops, pursuing the Serbians southeast of Belgrade, have reached the Avala fortifications (about nine miles from Belgrade) and captured strongly entrenched positions south of Vinca.

Ten-ton Losses Now Put at \$5,000.
PARIS, Oct. 16.—Austro-German losses in the campaign against Serbia up to Thursday evening, Oct. 14, were estimated at 25,000 officers and men killed and 60,000 wounded, according to a dispatch received today by the Temps from Nish, the Serbian capital. The Serbian army, also sustained heavy losses.

The Nish dispatch, which is timed 11 o'clock Thursday evening, says:

"All Austro-German attacks on the Obrenovatz-Belgrade-Semendria front have been repulsed, the enemy sustaining serious losses. The German army, which attempted to turn the right wing of the Serbians at Semendria was driven back into the marsh of Godomine, situated on the right bank of the Danube near the fortress of Semendria. A Slavonian battalion was thrown into the swamp. Along this entire front it was quiet today."

"The pressure of German troops in the vicinity of Pozarevac continues. Enemy reinforcements in large number are reported to be coming from the north."

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Where the Teutons and Bulgaria Are Attacking Serbia



RUSSIA HOLDS HERSELF AT WAR WITH BULGARS

But Refrains from a Formal Declaration — Ferdinand Dismisses Minister.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 16. (via London.)—Russia regards herself in a state of war with Bulgaria from the moment the latter country attacked Serbia, according to a statement issued today by the Foreign Office here.

The formal declaration of war is awaiting the conclusion of an exchange of telegrams between Russia and her allies.

BULGARIA ADDS DENIAL.

Assures Greece No Treaty with Germany Against Her Exists.

LONDON, Sunday, Oct. 17.—An Athens dispatch to The Exchange Telegraph Company says: The German denial, the Bulgarian Minister at Athens has been directed by his Government to deny the existence of a treaty between Germany and Bulgaria relative to Greek territories.

SAYS ALLIED ENVOYS ARE LEAVING ATHENS

Cologne Gazette's Report of a Diplomatic Break is Scouted in London.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 16. (via London.)—According to a dispatch from Athens to the Cologne Gazette, the Ministers of Greece and Italy are preparing to leave Greece. The families of the diplomats, who are leaving Athens in haste, are leaving the Greek capital today on a warship, bound for Italy.

LONDON, Oct. 16.—The report from a German source that the Allies' Ministers are leaving Athens is scouted here, and it is without any confirmation.

SUGGESTS BLOCKADING GREECE

London Morning Post Demands That She Take Sides in War.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Oct. 16.—The Morning Post says editorially:

"These are desperate times and it is absolutely necessary for us to know who are our friends and who our enemies. It is not feasible to remain neutral through these times, while promises nothing more than to remain neutral, since this promise also might be broken, but what is feasible is to declare that Greece should be asked to declare either for us or against us. If she refuses to fight, she is not our friend, and if she does not fight, she is not our enemy. It is the duty of the Allies to demand that Greece should take sides in the war."

BULGARIA FAVORS GREECE.

Allows Export of Corn on the Latter's Request.

BERLIN, Oct. 16. (via Wireless to Sayville, L. I.)—The Overseas News Agency says today:

"According to the Cologne Gazette, the German Government has decided to permit the export of Bulgarian corn to Greece, and the request has been granted."

REFUGEES TAX GREECE.

Scarcity of Food Beginning to be Seriously Felt.

LONDON, Oct. 16.—Scarcity of food and the arrival of great numbers of Serbian refugees have resulted in a famine in Greece, according to a dispatch received by Reuters' Telegram Company today from Athens. As the Serbian Government is urging all the women and children in Serbia to emigrate, even greater numbers are expected, and it seems impossible at present to make provision for them.

VENIZELLOS TRUSTS IN ALLIES.

More Deeply Convinced Than Ever of Their Triumph, He Says.

PARIS, Oct. 16.—Earnest hope for the success of the Allies was expressed by former Premier Venizelos of Greece when asked by the Athens correspondent of the Matin to express his opinion of the refusal of the new Greek Government to send an army to the assistance of Serbia.

"It was because I foresaw the new Government would take this attitude that I made the speech I did in the Chamber on the 12th," he said. "I have nothing to add to it, but none hopes more ardently than I for an early and decisive success of the Allies. I am more deeply convinced today than I was yesterday of their final triumph."

JONESCUS SUPPORTS SLAVS.

Striving to Bring Rumania to Side of Serbia.

LONDON, Oct. 16.—Replying to a telegram from the Moscow Slav Committee, expressing the hope that Rumania speedily would come to the aid of Serbia, Take Jonescu, ex-Minister of the Interior of Rumania, according to a dispatch from Petrograd to Reuters' Telegram Company, telegraphed:

"The Rumanian Government, henceforth will be indissolubly bound to the interests of Russia. Like you, I am longing and striving for Rumanian aid."

Two points of the Bulgarian invasion of Serbia have prominence in the dispatches this morning—the attempt to gain possession of the Salonik-Nish Railway, twenty miles north of the Greek border, (4) and even which the Franco-English reinforcements to Serbia are passing, and the attack upon Zajevar (3) on the Nish-Radonjic railway, which runs along the valley of the Timok River just west of the Serb-Bulgarian boundary.

Forty miles north from Salonik, the Bulgarian territory makes a salient into new Serbia, the western extremity of which is only five miles east of the Vardar River, through whose valley the Salonik-Nish Railway ascends as far as Uskup. From Valandova and Thessalonica, the railway runs parallel to the Danube, and just south of Demir-Kapu—the Iron Gate.

to enable Serbia to expel the treacherous attack, Bulgaria is guilty of the most shameful crime in history."

POWERFUL DEFENSES CHECK THE TEUTONS

Four Tremendously Strong Lines Held by Serbian South of Belgrade.

Special to The New York Times.

BERLIN, Oct. 16.—A cable from its Berlin correspondent to The Daily News says:

The German and Austrian forces continue battering their way into Serbia, and the gateway to the strategically important Morava Valley are now in German hands. The Serbians are making a desperate resistance, and reports of the battles fought show that these are bloody, with but few prisoners taken. Instead of retreating at the first sign of the enemy, the Serbians fight hand to hand until crushed by overwhelming numbers. They seem to feel that the outcome of the whole war depends upon their resistance. The Serbians had entrenched themselves thoroughly, and their defense held wonderfully well on the river fronts, but the heavy artillery of the German forces made it impossible for their opponents to hold Belgrade, Semendria, and Pozarevatz.

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KING EXHORTS BULGARS.

Blames Serbia for the War—Stern Measures of Repression.

LONDON, Oct. 16.—A copy of the manifesto of King Ferdinand to the Bulgarians, portions of which were forwarded from Sofia recently by telegram, arrived in London today. The manifesto implies Bulgaria has no quarrel with the entente powers. It explains that they, like Germany, were prepared to give Bulgaria the greater part of Macedonia.

"Our treacherous neighbor, Serbia, alone remained inflexible in the face of the advice of her friends and allies, and she alone refused to listen to their counsel. Serbia, in animosity, stupidly attacked our territory, and our brave troops have been forced to fight for the defense of their own soil."

GERMANS GET COTTON CARGO.

Hint That Norwegian Steamer Purposely Sought Capture.

STOCKHOLM, Oct. 16.—The Norwegian steamer Elfr, with cotton bound from Bergen, Norway, for Copenhagen, was captured today by a German warship in the Kattegat, the arm of the North Sea, between Sweden and Jutland.

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 16.—The Norwegian steamer Elfr left Gothenburg, Sweden, with 6,000 bales of cotton ostensibly for Copenhagen, but got on a wrong course "through fog" and was captured by a German warship, according to a telegram to the Politiken from Mainz.

Captain Bredius, who was taken aboard the Elfr, has been released, and his vessel on board. Dr. Dumba gave an undertaking to the British Foreign Office in respect to his vessel, whose want of a passport caused some delay.

Dumba and Party Leave England.

LONDON, Sunday, Oct. 17.—The steamer Nieuw Amsterdam sailed from Southampton for Rotterdam today with Dr. Constantin Theodor Dumba, recently recalled as Austro-Hungarian ambassador to the United States, his wife and his valet on board. Dr. Dumba gave an undertaking to the British Foreign Office in respect to his vessel, whose want of a passport caused some delay.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR DIAMONDS

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of Zajevar, the chief point of Serbian defense in this region, evidently with the idea of forming a junction with the Bulgarian forces as soon as possible. Zajevar is the headquarters of the Serbian army, and is defended by five modern forts on an altitude of 3,000 or 4,000 feet, covering a narrow strip of land. Three of these forts face Bulgaria.

The Tarnarka highway, through which the Germans are advancing, is difficult and narrow, running through forests from 1,500 to 3,200 feet deep for nearly twenty miles south of Zajevar. The latter is beyond the junction of two V-shaped streams opening north and is defended by batteries raised on the hills behind the town, which command both the highway and the streams.

Berlin dispatches allege that the Germans have proceeded south on the Tarnarka, highway to within 25 or 30 miles of Zajevar.

COMMONS MAY DISCUSS GALLIOLI CAMPAIGN

Question of Its Abandonment to be Raised at Tuesday's Session.

LONDON, Oct. 16.—On the reassembling of the House of Commons on Tuesday, Robert L. Outhwaite, Liberal Member of Parliament for Hanley, and a native of Australasia, will ask Sir Edward Grey, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, whether the Russian Government still attaches the same importance to the Dardanelles operations as it did when the British Ambassador in Petrograd said that the operations had been undertaken at Russia's request for the purpose of drawing a Turkish force from the Caucasus.

The question is designed to show whether Lord Milner's suggestion in causing anxiety in Australia, that the Gallipoli campaign be abandoned finds any official support. No evidence of any such support is yet apparent. Lord Milner's suggestion is causing anxiety in Australia, that the Gallipoli campaign be abandoned finds any official support. No evidence of any such support is yet apparent.

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OBSERVER TELLS OF FAILURE.

Ashmead-Bartlett Says Every Blunder Was Committed at Strait.

LONDON, Sunday, Oct. 17.—An interesting contribution to the controversy regarding the abandonment of the Gallipoli expedition is made by the correspondent Ashmead-Bartlett, who has just returned from the Dardanelles. In an interview in The Sunday Times he says:

"One of the chief difficulties in the fighting there has been that neither the British nor the French troops have been able to make any progress against the Turkish forces, and the Turkish forces have been able to make any progress against the British and French troops."

"The fighting has been of the most desperate character and the results are highly unfavorable to the Allies. I have committed every conceivable blunder in my methods of attempting to carry out the expedition."

"I hear a great deal of talk about our loss of prestige in the Near East if we fail to carry the enterprise to a successful conclusion. Personally I take the opposite view. Even if our expedition stops today, our prestige will not suffer because of the splendid courage and endurance of our soldiers. The aim has come for us seriously to reconsider our position."

America to Act for Great Britain.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British Ambassador, notified Secretary Lansing today that a state of war exists between Great Britain and Bulgaria, and that the British Government has no objection to the United States taking any action in Bulgaria which may be looked after by the United States.

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HOW MUCH BATTLE A BRILLIANT SIGHT

British Attack a Stupendous Artillery Panorama Painted in Gorgeous Colors.

ROLLING CLOUDS OF GAS

They Marked British Trenches, While Varicolored Puffs Showed Where Shells Burst.

WOMEN WATCHED THE FIGHT

And British Reserves Played Football as Their Comrades Rushed the Hohenzollern Redoubt.

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, Oct. 15. (via London, Oct. 16.)

ALTHOUGH the British-Hungarian fight has been almost continuous since the taking of Loos, a correspondent had an unprecedented view of the British attack which took the Hohenzollern Redoubt.

From a vantage point in the flat country was witnessed a stupendous artillery panorama of rolling clouds of smoke and shells. So rapid was the fire that the British guns seemed to be firing in a continuous stream.

Smoke Clouds Marked Trenches. The line of both the British and German trenches was discernible in long clouds of smoke and dust from the bursting shells. That of the German trenches was more continuous and narrow, while the British trenches were more broken and irregular.

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TEUTONS CHECKED BY RUSSIAN ONSET

Petrograd Reports the For on the Defensive Along the Whole Line.

DVINSK FIGHTING VIOLENT

Berlin Reports Severe Russian Attacks There and at Several Other Points.

LONDON, Sunday, Oct. 17.—Unofficial reports from Petrograd assert that the Germans appear to be on the defensive along the entire line, except near Dvinsk, which, it is said, they have been ordered to capture at any cost.

Berlin official reports that Russian attacks have been made not only near Dvinsk, but at a number of other places, and adds that they have been repulsed.

These attacks were all comprised within the army group of Field Marshal von Hindenburg, which is taken to mean that the Russians have assumed something in the nature of a general offensive along the front, of which Dvinsk forms a vital salient.

The German headquarters bulletin says: Army group of Field Marshal von Hindenburg: A Russian attack west of Dvinsk failed. The Russian attack near Dvinsk was repulsed. The Russian attack near Dvinsk was repulsed.

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TRENTINO NOT EAGER
TO BE 'REDEEMED'

Populations of Captured Towns

Disgust Italian Troops by
Their Coldness.

FEAR TEUTONS MAY RETURN

Also That Deprivation of Austria's
Support of Their Wine Indus-
try May Spell Ruin.Special Correspondence of THE NEW YORK
TIMES.LAGO DI GARDA, Sept. 30.—The Lake
of Garda is Italian. Yet Riva and Tor-
bale, at the northern extremity of the
lake, are still "unredeemed." Slowly,
on both sides, from Monte Tremalco and
the Monte Baldo, the Italian grip is
closing in.Through the vineyards and olive
groves behind the towns, barbed wire
entanglements, masking an intricate
system of prepared Austrian trenches,
threat their way, like strands of silver.
On the commanding heights, fortified
positions of almost impregnable
strength are manned by the Austrians;
while down on the shores of the lake,
abutting on the precipitous cliffs, forts
of solid concrete masonry, armed with
heavy guns, defend the access to the
towns.As the Italians approach, and advance
positions are evacuated by the Aus-
trians, it is noticeable here, as else-
where in the Trentino, that the Aus-
trians have arranged their second line of
defenses by invariably placing the towns
and villages in the direct line of fire.
For they have vowed that if Italy "re-
deems" the Trentino, she will find a
land of devastation and ruin. The
Italians know this. They are loathe to
cause needless suffering to the in-
habitants, to whom they present them-
selves as "deliverers." So that, up to
the present, they have refrained from
advancing boldly on the towns.In fact, the cautious operations of the
Italians in this region, betrays an over-
whelming desire to wage war in a man-
ner as benevolent as possible, which
under the circumstances would seem in-
compatible with the very principles of
a successful, aggressive campaign and
in a large measure accounts for the
small success hitherto achieved. The
timidity of the Italians has in it some-
thing of the tragedy of the judgment of
Solomon. The Trentino is held up be-
hind the court of the civilized world.Sword in hand, the judgment is about
to be delivered, and from the attitude
of the contending "mothers" there can
be no shadow of a doubt that Italy is
the true one.

Attitude of the Population.

However, Italian difficulties are here
immeasurably increased by the behav-
ior of the people. With the exception
of a few ardent and impassioned pa-
triot, the vast majority of the inhabi-
tants of the Trentino, who are Italian
in language, customs and tradition,
look with amazement on the war that
Italy is carrying in to their homes.
Many, though in all probability desirous
of being united to their motherland in
the south, do not comprehend the broad-
er issues and motives which compelled
Italy to declare war on Austria after
the latter had promised a peaceful ces-
sation of the Trentino.They had been led to hope for a
peaceful solution of the thorny prob-
lem. Many had even been told by the
Austrian authorities that the cessation
had been arranged for; that it would
free from military obligations all the
men of the district, and that those who
were fighting for Austria in Galicia and
on the Russian front would soon be per-
mitted to return to their homes. The
rejoicing over this prospect, though
tempered by a skeptical attitude toward
Austrian promises, nevertheless was
widespread.Then, on May 18, like a thunderclap
out of the blue, came the order posted
throughout the Trentino: "All men
between the ages of 15 to 30 must re-
port within twenty-four hours for mil-
itary service." Squads of troops were
detached rigorously to enforce the order.
The new Italian recruits of the Em-
peror Francis Joseph were hurried in
patches to the nearest point of assem-
bly, and incorporated in units fighting
in Galicia, Poland, and the Bukovina.
The Trentino, in a few days, was swept
clean of able-bodied men. A week later
Italy declared war, three days afterward
the Italians stormed and captured Ala,
and war was raging along the snow-clad
Alps, awakening with the stupendous
crashes of heavy gunfire the quiet Al-pine passes, dotted with villages. Here
"peace" had been promised, and here
the inhabitants must endure the rav-
ages of war, which they had just been
assured.Can it be wondered that the Italian
troops meet with no very enthusiastic
reception in the territory they have
"freed" by force of arms? For when
Italy's detachment captures a position
which gives them undisturbed ac-
cess to a "redeemed" village, or even
higher positions and instead of being wel-
comed like heroes, with flags and re-
joicing, time after time, the Italian
troops find the inhabitants, who speak
their language and are of the same
blood, dumb and silent, even in some
cases, recalcitrant. The majority serve
their new masters, as they did the old,
without enthusiasm or show of feel-
ing. And the Italian soldier volun-
tarily expresses his surprise and disgust at
the cool reception he is receiving at
the hands of his "brothers" of the
Trentino.A partial explanation of this attitude
lies in the fact that long years of per-
secution and oppression have thoroughly
cowed the Trentino peasant; deadened
his sensibilities and instilled in him a
feeling of almost unquenchable
despair. Furthermore, with Michellian
cleverness Austria has succeeded in in-
spiring a large number of the peasants with
a feeling of animosity toward Italy. And
it would not be an exaggeration to say
that the vast majority of the population
of the Trentino, though Italian ethnically,
have been led by Austrian machinations to
open opposition to a union with Italy.
This can be briefly explained. The only
source of present wealth in the Trentino
is the vineyards. These have been
nursed artificially for political purposes
by the Vienna Government to a state of
relative prosperity. During the years of
the support and subsidy of the Government,
or competing in the open market with
the Italian wines, the Trentino peasants
believe they would soon be ruined.Notwithstanding the apparent apathy
of the Trentino, they have for over
century maintained their Italianism un-
shaken, though the Trentino has been
the field of incessant Austro-German
propaganda. In visiting various Tren-
tino villages, the only difference I was
able to detect between these and those
of free Italy is the clinging timorousness
of the people. There is a
whispered, subdued tone, which in-
vades all conversation; a general bend-
ing of the back, indicative of many
storms that have passed, which have
broken those who had the courage to
stand up for their rights.Otherwise I could find no distinctive
difference between Italy and the province
she is redeeming. The towns,
the villages, the fields, the methods of
cultivating the vineyards, the mulberry
trees and olive groves of the warm, fer-
tile valleys, are all Italian. Even the
sky has here the same tone of deep blue,
and the clustered cypresses here also
stand forth, the sentries of the Italian
landscape.

The One Heroine of the War.

Though the Trentino have shown them-
selves seemingly ungrateful toward Italy
and the task of redemption she has un-
dertaken, blood is thicker than water,
and the national spirit still burns
brightly. The one heroine of the Italian
war is a young girl of Ala. From the
terrace of her home, situated amid the
vineyards high above the valley of the
Adige, and dominating the Austrian po-
sitions in front of Ala, Maria Abriani
watched the battle that was raging for
the possession of the town. The Aus-
trians were firmly entrenched and had
succeeded in checking the attack. She
quickly realized the advantage that
would be gained if the Italians could
fire down on the foe from her terrace.Headless of the bursting shrapnel and
whirling bullets, she succeeded in mak-
ing her way through the vineyard to the
Italian lines. A brief parley ensued.
She readily persuaded the commander
of her sincerity; he detached a com-
pany of bersaglieri to follow her. By
devious paths she led the way safely to
her home, unmolested by the Austrians.
Going to the edge of the terrace, she
indicated to the officer in charge the
Austrian positions. Then suddenly from
the terrace a hundred rifles spoke and
began pouring an incessant leaden hail
on the Austrians entrenched in the val-
ley below. The latter replied, and the
terrace became the scene of a bloody ac-
tion. Soon the Austrian position became
untenable; they were forced to abandon
it and fled in confusion. A few hours later
the Italians were masters of the city.In recognition of her services she has
received the medal for valor in action
and is the only woman so honored by
Italy in this war.Today the Italian flag flies from every
house in Ala. Yet I found that it is dif-
ficult for the Trentino to forget that once
before Italian flags flew over many
households in the Trentino; once before
the Italians, under Garibaldi, in 1866,
stood on the heights overlooking Trent.
Then the population exultantly welcomed
the Italian liberators. The sequel is well
known. For political reasons Italy was
obliged to throw away the fruits of her
victories. The Trentino was abandoned
to its fate. The Austrians returned,
hanged, shot, banished, and persecuted
those who had sided or even shown sym-
pathy with the Italians. For decades
they continued this policy, vainly en-
deavoring to crush the Italian spirit.
Now once more they are being compelled
to retire before the Italian liberator.
Before departing the Austrians threat-
ened with the most dire punishment all
those who in the slightest manner should
assist or sympathize with the invaders.
The behavior of the Trentino would seem
to indicate that the lesson of '66 has
not been forgotten. It is Italy's duty to
prove that there will be no repetition of
those painful days, and Italy today in-
tends to fulfill her pledge to redeem the
Trentino, which by force majeure she
was obliged to abandon a half century
ago.

PADEREWSKI ESTATE RUINED

Letter to Pianist Also Tells of Star-
vation of Polish People.All that remains on the estate of
Ignace Paderewski in the Tarnow dis-
trict of Poland are the stumps of the
trees that once formed the park or for-
est, many of them planted by the pian-
ist and his especial pride. Everything
else has been swept away by the war,
according to a letter from a friend in
Poland to Paderewski.Mme. Paderewski said yesterday that
the people in this country had little con-
ception of what war had done in
Poland."There are millions starving today in
Poland," she said. "Whole towns have
been destroyed and the people are with-
out food and shelter. My husband has
received a letter in which his friend says
there are 2,000,000 persons living as best
they can upon the site of what was until
a few months ago the City of Wroclaw,
in Russian Poland. This multi-
tude is without food and almost unpro-tected from the severity of the weather.
In all Galicia it is now hard to find a
human habitation. The districts of Ger-
lice, Tarnow, Sarnow, and Grybow are
devastated. Of 1,500,000 inhabitants not
one is left there. Caught between the
contending armies, those who had not
been wiped out by the fighting be-
tween November and August."From all parts of Poland the cry is
now going up for food. In the effort to
stay the passage of hunger mothers are
feeding their children a mixture of chalk
and water in place of milk."Miss Henrietta Ely of Philadelphia,
who is one of the few women allowed to
enter Poland recently, has just returned
to this country. She came in to see me
the other day, and I cried as I listened
to her. Miss Ely said that she very
often could not watch the sight of the
starving children, who gathered about
to watch the visitors eat or to beg
food from them. Poland is desolate,
and to quote Miss Ely, beside her Bel-
gium is a country filled with prosperity."
Paderewski is head and organizer of the
National American Committee of the
Polish Victims' Relief Fund, and on
Saturday afternoon, Oct. 25, before his
Chopin recital in Carnegie Hall, he will
speak on "Poland, Past and Present."
The entire receipts will go to the relief
fund.

MRS. PULLMAN AS WARDNURSE

Arrives Here for a Rest After Year
in French Hospitals.Mrs. Sanger Pullman, a daughter-in-
law of the late George M. Pullman of
Chicago, who went abroad in June of
last year, taking her nephew, Fred-
erick West, for the benefit of his health,
came back yesterday. Mrs. Pullman
was in Paris at the outbreak of the
war, and immediately took a course in
nursing, and then volunteered her ser-
vices at the American Ambulance Hos-
pital at Neuilly. The last five months
before leaving France she and her
nephew, Mrs. Ely, spent as actual
nurses in the French Military Hos-
pital, the converted Elysee de
Gargons at Bordeaux, where all the
other nurses were French.Mrs. Pullman was worn out by work
that kept her engaged from 8:30 o'clock
in the morning until 7 at night, and
came over for a rest before joining the
Dental Department of the American
Ambulance Hospital. Her sister will
return to the United States soon."People over here can have no idea
of conditions in France, or of what the
actual results of battles mean," said
Mrs. Pullman at the Moulin restau-
rant. "When you have seen men who
are so nearly shot to pieces that it
seems impossible for them ever to grow
again into the semblance of their
original selves, and when you have
helped nurse such men, you feel the
weight of the war. In my ward I was
so fortunate as to lose only one man
of the number I had. We had lots of
German wounded prisoners, who got
just the same attention as the French."It was my experience that few, very
few, of those who recovered and could be
pronounced whole men again, ever want-
ed to get back into the war. They felt
justly, I think, that they had done all
that could be expected of them. I had
one man in my ward who had ten
wounds—both arms broken, one leg gone,
a shot through his lung, and so on, but
he gradually was able to get about
again."

Germans Sell Furs Here.

ZURICH, Oct. 16. (Via London.)—The
Leipzig market reports show, that de-
spite the blockade half the entire stock
of fox skins, numbering many thou-
sands, has just been sold to the Ameri-
can trade, and also that large consign-
ments of skunk skins were received last
week from America.Germany has refused to supply coal
to forty-two Swiss dyestuff factories,
on the ground that they are selling
goods to enemy countries.

CAPT. REVILLON WAR VICTIM.

Member of the Firm of Revillon
Freres Dead at the Front.A cablegram has been received at the
New York office of Revillon Freres
announcing the death at the front of
Captain Albert Revillon.Captain Revillon, who was 38 years
old, had been twice promoted for brav-
ery on the field and held the rank of
Captain at the time of his death. He
was a doctor of laws and a graduate
of the French School of Political Science,
where he studied under M. Leroy-Beau-
lieu. Captain Revillon was prominent
in the financial administration of Re-
villon Freres and was well known in
New York and Montreal, whither he was
frequently called by business.

Ticket Agent Slain by Burglars.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 16.—John Franka,
92, ticket agent at the Pennsylvania
Railroad station in Bridgeville, near
here, was shot and instantly killed to-
night by two burglars, who rifled the
cash box in the office and escaped.

SLEUTHS CAN'T FIND HEINK.

Son of Famous Singer Disappeared
After Warrant is Issued for Him.PATERSON, N. J., Oct. 16.—Chief of
Police John Egan this morning, act-
ing by direction of the Police and Fire
Commission, went before Recorder
James F. Carroll and swore out a war-
rant for the arrest of Henry Schumann-
Heink, ex-clerk of the Recorder's Court
and son of the famous contralto. The
affidavit on which the warrant was
based charged that Heink embezzled
\$800 of the funds of the court intrusted
to his care.Detectives Lord and Keppeler went to
Caldwell, where Heink has been living
at the home of his mother with his wife,
but found the house closed. They re-
ported that they were unable to serve
the warrant. Search for Heink will be-
gin at once. The same detectives went
to Caldwell yesterday with a summons,
and Mrs. Heink was there and accepted
the paper on behalf of her husband,
saying he would return later. While
the charge is based upon an apparent
shortage of \$800 reported by an expert
accountant, there is another matter of
\$3,000 in another fund not cleared up,
and which is still under investigation.
Heink was under \$5,000 bond.

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Women's Winter Apparel

Real Fox Fur Sets

Poiret Brown Fox Sets

Real Fox, Dyed Poiret Brown, Large Round
Animal Muff and Animal Scarf. Special 68.00

Natural White Fox Sets

Natural White Fox, Large Round Animal Muff
and Animal Scarf. Special 98.50

Dyed Blue Fox Sets

Real Fox, Dyed Blue, Large Round Animal
Muff and Animal Scarf. Special 95.00

Natural Cross Fox Sets

Natural Cross Fox, Large Round Animal
Muff and Animal Scarf. Special 150.00Franklin Simon & Co. are now showing a large assortment of exclusive models in
Women's Tailored and Dressy Suits in all the fashionable wool fabrics; also Chiffon
Velvet, Velveteen or Corduroy, trimmed with various high grade Furs,
featuring the new length Coats and latest model Skirts. 29.50 to 195.00Franklin Simon & Co. are now showing original creations and copies of Paris
models in Women's Afternoon and Evening Gowns, in the new silk fabrics; also
Georgette Crepe, Net, Velvet, Gold and Silver Brocades. 29.50 to 275.00Franklin Simon & Co. are now showing new models in the new colorings of
Women's Afternoon and Evening Wraps, Motor and Travel Coats, in all the
fashionable wool fabrics; also Chiffon Velvet, Mother of Pearl Velvet,
French Satin, Velour, Plush or Corduroy. 29.50 to 245.00Franklin Simon & Co. are now showing Paris and their own exclusive models in
Women's and Misses' Dressy and Tailored Waists, of Georgette Crepe, Soiree
Silk, Crepe de Chine; also French hand made Waists of white and
colored Handkerchief Linen or Batiste. 7.50 to 69.50

Special Offerings Monday

Women's Suits, Gowns, Coats and Waists

Hudson Seal Trimmed Suits

A new "Callot" model of Broadcloth in mahog-
any, Concord, brown, green, black or navy; muff
collar, cuffs and girdle of Hudson Seal. Special 45.00

Fur-Trimmed Georgette Gowns

"Jenny" Russian Afternoon Gown of Georgette
Crepe, combined with Chiffon Velvet, in brown,
green, Hague, prune, navy or black. Special 45.00

Velour Cloth Coats—Raccoon Collar

"Bernard" model, in Sulphur, Terra Cotta,
Purple, Green, Brown or Navy; smart belted
front military model; large roll collar of Natural
Raccoon; silk lined, warmly interlined. Special 39.50

"Soiree Silk" Waists

New tailored model of real "Soiree Silk" in
white, Ciel, sunset, peach, navy, brown or black;
pointed collar and cuffs; ribbon tie. Special 6.50

Real Skunk Trimmed Suits

A new "Drecol" model of Imported Broadcloth
in green, brown, navy or black; muff collar, cuffs
and girdle of Real Eastern Skunk. Special 59.50

Chiffon Velvet Evening Gowns

"Lanvin" Decollete Gown of Chiffon Velvet, in
rose, turquoise or black, trimmed with paillette
banding and wide band of Mouflon fur. Special 59.50

Cashmere Velour Coats—Fur Trim'd

"Jenny" model, of Cashmere Velour, in green,
purple, brown or deer; collar, cuffs, band down
front and around bottom of Skunk Raccoon,
novelty striped silk lining, interlined. Special 69.50

Beaded Georgette Waists

Paris hand made Waists, of Georgette Crepe
in flesh, white, champagne, Joffre blue, purple
or navy; richly beaded in design. Special 15.75

Misses' and Girls' Apparel

Franklin Simon & Co. are now showing new models in Misses' Suits in all the
new wool fabrics; also Velvet, Velveteen and Corduroy, trimmed with high grade
Furs, new length Coats and latest model Skirts. 14 to 20 years. 29.50 to 145.00

Special Values Monday

Girls' Winter Coats—Fur-Trimmed

Box plaited model of Camel's Hair Cheviot in green,
brown or navy. Velvet collar edged with Skunk Opos-
sum Fur. 6 to 16 years. Special 14.50

Misses' Wool Velour Coats—Russian Model

In brown, green, navy or black; convertible chin collar,
deep cuffs, belt in front, fastened with self-fur, silk
lined, warmly interlined. 14 to 20 years. Special 19.75

Misses' Evening Wraps—Iceland Fox Fur Trim'd

Mother of Pearl Velvet, in rose, maize, French or pea-
cock blue and white; fur collar and cuffs; fitted Iceland
Fox Fur; flowered silk lining. 14 to 20 years. Special 39.50

Girls' Serge Dresses—With Plaid Silk

Of navy Serge combined with plaid Taffeta Silk; serge
yoke, sleeves and box plaits; body of plaid taffeta;
plaited skirt of serge. 8 to 16 years. Special 6.75

Misses' Serge Dresses—Fur-Trimmed

Coat Dress model of navy blue Serge, broad bound and
trimmed with Skunk Opossum Fur; white Faux Sable
vestee. 14 to 20 years. Special 18.50

Misses' Silk Dresses—Fur-Trimmed

Of Charmeuse Silk in Copenhagen, rose, sand, brown
or navy; trimmed with fur; Georgette Crepe sleeves,
vestee and collar. 14 to 20 years. Special 29.50

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Will Hold the Following

SPECIAL SALES MONDAY

The New Circular Vell

Latest Paris Fashion.

Of octagon silk mesh, in black, taupe, navy, purple or brown;
velvet or chenille dots and lace scroll in various designs.

Special 1.95

Angora Wool Sport Scarfs

For Skating, Motor and Sport Wear.

For women and misses, of Angora brushed wool, in plain colors
and combination striped borders, fringe edge.

Special 1.95

Pure Thread Silk Hosiery

For Women and Misses.

"Richelieu" ribbed, Paris clox or plain silk Hose. Black,
white, gold, silver, bronze, grey, navy and all colors.

Special \$5 3 Pair for 2.50

Smart Winter Boots

For Women and Misses.

Buttoned or laced styles of selected black Russia leather
with battleship grey kid tops; also patent or black
Russia leather with grey buckskin tops.

Special 5.50

20-Button Glace Gloves

For Women and Misses.

Imported French White Glace Kid Gloves, overseam sewn,
arms cut broad and in one piece.

Special 2.35

Silk and Wool Combinations

For Women and Misses.

Of all Pure Wool and Silk mixtures, medium weight, low neck,
no sleeves, knee and ankle length.

Special 1.45

Satin Charmeuse Boudoir Gowns

Silk Lined, Swansdown Trimmed.

Women's draped model of Satin Charmeuse in pink,
light blue, rose, Copenhagen, maize or orchid.
Trimmed with swansdown, silk lined.

Special 9.75

French Hand Made Bodices

Women's Lingerie Evening Bodice.

Of sheer Batiste, elaborately trimmed with Val lace
insertions and daintily hand embroidered;
ribbon shoulder straps.

Special 2.95

Fur Trimmed Broadcloth Skirts

For Women and Misses.

New model of Imported Broadcloth, in black, navy blue,
green or African brown; fitted at waist line,
detachable belt, finished at bottom with
band of Skunk Opossum fur.

Special 9.75

Separate Velveteen Skirts

For Women and Misses.

Smart new yoke model of superior quality black
Velveteen, shirred back above yoke; fastened
in front with large jet button.

Special 9.75

CAMMEYER

STAMPED ON A SHOE
MEANS STANDARD OF MERIT
6TH AVE. AT 20TH ST.Women's Autumn
Boots at \$6.50that are
worth \$6.50Illustrated is a Black
Kidskin High Cut
Lace Boot, with a piping
of white calf around the
vamp, front and top.
Light weight, extension
welt soles and two inch
leather Cuban Louis
heels.The woman who pays Cammeyer \$6.50 for her foot-
wear secures in return the fullest value for her money.The model illustrated above is typical of the character
of shoes offered here at this price, and very clearly
establishes the fact thatCammeyer Shoes at \$6.50
are worth \$6.50!

The Store of a Thousand Styles

SUFFRAGE TO LOSE, N. J. LEADERS THINK

Poll of County Chairmen Shows Big Majority See Defeat for Amendment.

ONLY FOUR PREDICT VICTORY

Of 25 Who Express Opinions, 20 Believe Women Will Be Beaten in Tuesday's Election.

Four predictions of victory for woman suffrage, one estimate of a close vote and twenty predictions of defeat have been received from New Jersey county political leaders whom The New York Times asked to forecast the results of Tuesday's vote on the suffrage amendment to the Constitution.

The forecasts follow:

Where Suffrage is Strong.

CAPE MAY COUNTY.

Cape May, N. J., Oct. 15.

Indications for light vote in Cape May County in favor of woman suffrage.

E. O. HOWELL, JR.,

Chairman Democratic Committee, Cape May County.

OCEAN CITY, N. J., Oct. 15.

It looks as though suffrage might win in Cape May County.

JOSEPH G. CHAMPION,

Chairman Republican Committee, Cape May County.

GLoucester County.

Woodbury, N. J., Oct. 15.

Suffrage and Anti-Suffrage Committees are both conducting active campaigns in Gloucester County. Indications are that the State will be close.

FRANCIS C. DAVIS,

Chairman Republican Committee, Gloucester County.

PASSAIC COUNTY.

Paterson, N. J., Oct. 15.

Both John Brown and Francis Van Buren, Democratic and Republican leaders, respectively, said today that the outlook in Passaic County was favorable to the suffragists.

Where Suffrage is Weak.

ATLANTIC COUNTY.

Hammon, N. J., Oct. 15.

Although personally in favor of the amendment, Hammon, who is a Republican, said that the outlook in Atlantic County was unfavorable to the suffragists.

W. L. BLACK,

Chairman Democratic Committee, Atlantic County.

Bergen County.

Hackensack, N. J., Oct. 15.

Bergen County voters are apathetic on the suffrage question. The vote undoubtedly will be light, with a small majority in favor of the amendment.

RAYMOND PERKINS,

Chairman Democratic Committee, Bergen County.

BURLINGTON COUNTY.

Mount Holly, N. J., Oct. 15.

Indications are that the vote will be very light Tuesday, and my opinion is that the amendment will not be favored by a majority.

FRANCIS H. HEAD,

Chairman Democratic Committee, Burlington County.

Camden County.

Camden, N. J., Oct. 15.

Woman suffrage in Camden County is gaining rapidly. The President's declaration favoring it has given the movement new life. The Democratic Executive Committee is on record favoring it, and the vote will be a surprising one for the opposition next Tuesday. The people are just learning that the liquor interests are fighting it harder than any other power, and had we another month it would be in Camden County. I hardly expect it to carry in this county, but the vote will be small.

SAMUEL T. FRENCH,

Chairman Democratic Committee, Camden County.

ESSEX COUNTY.

Orange, N. J., Oct. 15.

Among the voters of Essex County the proponent of the amendment is decidedly in the minority. The women will be defeated by a large majority. Only a small number of women here favor it. The majority see no prospective advantage in having a vote, and are content to leave the machinery of Government in the hands of their natural protectors.

JAMES D. MORIARTY,

Chairman Democratic Committee, Essex County.

Hudson County.

Hoboken, N. J., Oct. 15.

I am unable to give an opinion at this time.

JOHN J. MCGOVERN,

Chairman Democratic Committee, Hudson County.

HUNTERDON COUNTY.

Lebanon, N. J., Oct. 15.

It looks as though woman suffrage would be defeated by a small majority in my county.

E. W. SUTTON,

Chairman Democratic Committee, Hunterdon County.

Lambertville, N. J., Oct. 15.

The Republican organization of New Jersey has been absolutely neutral on the woman suffrage question. There appears to be much indifference on the part of voters indicating a light vote, and in my opinion the amendment will be defeated.

B. FRANK BARKLEY,

Chairman Republican Committee, Hunterdon County.

MONMOUTH COUNTY.

Asbury Park, N. J., Oct. 15.

In my opinion, woman suffrage will be defeated by this county. It will be if those opposed to it come out to vote. If it rains, it will be defeated by reason of lack of organization of those who are against it.

S. W. KIRKBRIDE,

Chairman Republican Committee, Monmouth County.

MORRIS COUNTY.

Rockaway, N. J., Oct. 15.

The suffrage women of my county are waging a vigorous battle for the vote. I anticipate a very light vote. Probably 33 per cent of the registered voters will come out. Of the vote cast, three-sevenths will be for suffrage and four-sevenths against it. In my opinion, the amendment will be defeated by a large majority. I am against woman suffrage, believing that where there has been tried in color, California, and elsewhere, it has not proved of great advantage and has materially advanced the cause. There are certain times when, and conditions where, women's votes would be of advantage, but on a whole I am of the opinion that the added tax burden offsets these advantages.

E. EHLERS,

Chairman Republican Committee, Morris County.

Ocean County.

Toms River, N. J., Oct. 15.

My forecast of the vote in Ocean County is that it will be against woman suffrage.

E. C. DISBOROW,

Chairman Democratic Committee, Ocean County.

SALEM COUNTY.

Salem, N. J., Oct. 15.

It is my opinion that Salem County will go against the suffrage amendment. I think that suffrage is stronger in some parts of the county than it was six weeks ago.

Chairman Democratic Committee, Salem County.

Salem, N. J., Oct. 15.

Salem County will give a majority against the suffrage amendment. The Anti report that they find but little sentiment in the county.

D. HARRIS SMITH,

Chairman Republican Committee, Salem County.

SOMERSET COUNTY.

Wilmington, N. J., Oct. 15.

I believe the proposition will be defeated.

Chairman Democratic Committee, Somerset County.

SUSSEX COUNTY.

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HONOR CENTENARY OF DR. LILIENTHAL

Eulogies for the Character and
Work of Rabbi, Famed as
a Patriotic American.

LONG A LEADER IN PROGRESS

Always Opposed Separate Jewish
National Spirit and Put Coun-
try Above Religion.

How great the debt which modern
Judaism and the land of its adoption
owe to Rabbi Max Lilienthal, a leader
in Israel and an American citizen un-
hyphenated, was the theme of the serv-
ices held yesterday morning at the
Temple Emanuel, Fifth Avenue and
Forty-third Street, in commemoration of
the one hundredth anniversary of his
birth.

Prominent men, among them two trust-
ees of the Temple, who listened years
ago to the religious instruction of the
Rev. Dr. Lilienthal, were present, as
was also many of his kin.

Rabbi Joseph Silverman, who delivered
the eulogy, had himself sat at the foot
of the noted religious teacher and was
by him induced to become a rabbi.

The text of the occasion was taken
from the Second Book of Kings, second
chapter and portions of the eleventh and
twelfth verses, as follows: "There ap-
peared a chariot of fire and parted them
both sunder, and Elijah went up by a
whirlwind into heaven. And Elisha saw
it and cried out: My father, my father,
the chariot of Israel and the horsemen
thereof."

The speaker told of the turning points
in the life of Dr. Lilienthal as develop-
ing a great work which on his death in
1882 fell as the mantle of a prophet of
old upon the shoulders of the Elishas of
generations to come.

"On this very day," said the Rev. Dr.
Silverman, "one hundred years ago,
that is, on Oct. 18, 1815, the late Dr.
Max Lilienthal was born in Munich, Ger-
many. I feel constrained, I may say
strongly impelled, by many reasons to
devote this morning's discourse to the
life of Dr. Lilienthal and its signifi-
cance."

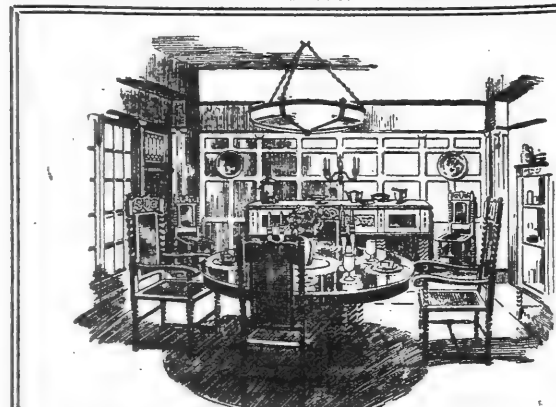
Meant Much to Many Men.

"Dr. Max Lilienthal has meant a great
deal in the formative period of many
men and women in this city and in this
congregation, especially to those who at-
tended his day school, which he success-
fully conducted here from 1850 to 1854.
To others, even of this congregation, he
was bound by ties of blood, of kinship,
and of friendship. He helped many friends
in Cincinnati and the West and in Eu-
rope, all of whom are united with us to-
day in spirit in doing honor to a man to
whom honor is due."

"Previous to his establishing of his
school in this city, Dr. Lilienthal was
chief rabbi of three New York congre-
gations. He was elected to head three
congregations in 1845, and held the po-
sition, a most difficult one, for five
years. There are many still living in
this congregation who heard him preach
in those days. He was not, however,
wedded to orthodoxy absolutely, for he
took his stand on the basis of traditional
Judaism with an open mind for such
changes as conservative progress dic-
tated."

He was charged by the reformers
with being inconsistent with his ad-
vanced thinking, and he was rebuked
by the orthodox as being untrue to the
strict interpretation of the Scriptures
and the law. Neither side understood
him. In those days of transition he con-
sidered the median line to be best. He
went in 1850 to Cincinnati, a time which
was regarded as the most important
period of American Judaism. I must
here pay my respects and tribute to the
Cincinnati Jewry. From 1854 until the
eighties Cincinnati was the storm cen-
tre of American Judaism. In those days
it contained a colony of intelligent, cul-
tured, truly religious, and American
progressive Jews.

Work in the West.
"They possessed foresight and in-
sight and practical sense in that they
recognized in the East two men of ex-
ceptional intelligence, talent, principle,
convictions, and character, Isaac M.
Wise and Max Lilienthal, who New
York nor Albany could hold those two."



How Furniture is displayed in The Craftsman Showrooms

A Special Sale of

CRAFTSMAN FURNITURE

WITH the arrival of new Furniture from
the Craftsman Workshops there arises
the necessity of providing space in our
showrooms for its display.

To that end we have re-priced all odd pieces
and discontinued designs in our present stock
at reductions of 25 to 50 per cent.
of our regular prices

Those who are familiar with the distinctive
character and sturdy quality of Craftsman
Furniture will recognize in this Sale a most
favorable opportunity to effect substantial
economies.

The Sale includes pieces suitable for the Dining
Room, Living Room, Library, Den and Bed
Room, and will commence at 9 o'clock Monday
morning, October 18th.

GUSTAV STICKLEY, The Craftsman
6 East 39th Street, near Fifth Avenue

LUNCH AT THE CRAFTSMAN RESTAURANT

In that Queen City of the West they
cast their lot. Their work as individu-
als in their respective congregations
and as colleagues in communal affairs,
built up a stalwart, healthy, reform
Judaism that set the norm for progress-
ive Judaism throughout America.

Every important institution in Re-
form Judaism started in Cincinnati or
received its impetus from Cincinnati.
There the progressive Jewish paper,
The American Israelite, of which in
the beginning Dr. Lilienthal was as-
sociate editor with Dr. Wise, was be-
gun. There the Union of American
Hebrew Congregations was born; there
the Hebrew Union College was in-
stituted. There the first real union of
rabbis was conceived by Dr. Lilienthal
and carried into effect in the Rabbinical
Literary Association, of which he
was the organizer and President. It
was the precursor of the Central College
of American Rabbis. There Dr. Lilen-
thal established the first Jewish reli-
gious paper for children, known as
The Sabbath Visitor. There the Ameri-
can ritual, known as the Minhag
Hagadol, was first tried in the con-
gregations of Drs. Wise and Lilienthal.
Thus a spirit was created throughout
the land for unified ritual which
eventuated in the Union Prayer Book
of the Reform Congregations.

Dr. Lilienthal, Dr. Lilienthal broke
entirely with the Orthodox wing and
allied himself with Reform Judaism.
The break came because he refused to
attend services on the ninth day of the
month Ab in commemoration of the
destruction of the Temple at Jerusalem.
He contended that while the destruc-
tion of Jerusalem may have been de-
plorable at the time there was no longer
need for mourning, as the event had
proved a blessing in disguise. He con-
sidered the time for the dispersal of Israel
and the beginning of the mission of Judaism
as a world religion. It is in his view
Jew was a missionary for Israel.

Dr. Lilienthal was uncompromisingly
opposed to the maintenance of the Jewish
national spirit. He regarded the
Jew not as a member of a Jewish na-
tionality, but of the nation in which
he had obtained citizenship.

Rabbi's Message to the World.

Dr. Silverman, speaking from his own
recollections of the life and teachings
of Dr. Lilienthal, said the distinguished
teacher had often said in the syna-
gogue at Cincinnati that the rabbi should
consider that he had a message not only
for the Jews but for all the people of the
world. Therefore Dr. Lilienthal himself seized
every opportunity to make his word
reach beyond the walls of the synagogue
and took a deep interest in civic and
political affairs. Hence he entered
the Cincinnati pulpit, spoke from political
rostrums, appeared at meetings of Ma-
sonic lodges. His interest in good gov-
ernment, in the education of the masses,
and in the progress of the American
people caused him to speak far beyond the confines of Cin-
cinnati. In all things he was a citizen
of the United States.

"He never," added Dr. Silverman,
"called himself a German-American.
He did not believe in hyphenated Ameri-
cans. He called himself an American
Jew. He defined an American Jew as
one who was bred with a month of
descent Hebrew, Israelite, or Jew; in all
public and private relations an Ameri-
can citizen."

"He waged war on the fanatics who
even in the time of the insertion of the
word 'in the Constitution or sought to
make allegiance to a church superior
loyalty to all his rights. With all his
up patriotism, with all his love of God
and man, he proclaimed on a Thank-
sgiving Day: 'Let us be Americans first,
then Jews, Catholics, and Protestants.'"

Against Human Slavery.

It was also explained that Dr. Lilen-
thal had antagonized the reading of the
Bible in the public schools for the rea-
son that such a course would be em-
barrassing to many of the pupils. His
views were upheld by decisions of the
Ohio courts. Ever a friend of liberty,
Dr. Lilienthal was an abolitionist, but
after the war he did much to heal the
breach between the North and the
South.

Dr. Silverman reserved for the last
the story of the career of Dr. Lilienthal
in Russia. As a young rabbi Dr. Lilen-
thal was induced by the Russian Gov-
ernment to leave Germany and to es-
tablish schools in the land of the Czar
for the ostensible purpose of systematiz-
ing the education of the Jews. He
found afterward that the enterprise was
really intended to force upon the Jews
the State religion, and abandoning
temping offers of preferment he came
to this country.

CANAL PLOT VERDICT STANDS

No New Trial for Pittsburghers Ac-
cused of Steel Conspiracy.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 16.—David J.
Simpson and Dennis K. Bullens, con-
victed of conspiring to furnish inferior
steel for the lock gates of the Panama
Canal, were denied a new trial in the
United States District Court today.
The court ordered that the verdict of
the jury stand.

Simpson and Bullens, with Samuel M.
Wetmore, Superintendent of the Carbon
Steel Company, were tried in the Fed-
eral court here at the same time. Wet-
more was acquitted. Sentence had not
yet been imposed on the other two.

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Thirty-fifth Street

FASHION TURNS AN INTERESTING PAGE IN THE NEW AUTUMNAL MODES

The Department for Velvet, Velveteens and Corduroys

emphasizes the important part these
fabrics will play in the mode of the
season to which they are so partic-
ularly suited. In exceptionally
beautiful and rich assortments will
be found French Chiffon Velvets,
Velveteens and the smart Corduroys.

For to-morrow (Monday) a Special
Offering will consist of

3,000 Yards of Imported Black Chiffon Velvet

(made in France) 39 inches wide at
the exceptional price of
\$2.85 per yard

Mail and Telephone Orders will
receive prompt attention.

A Special Sale

arranged for Monday in the Dress
Goods Department (First Floor) will
present an exceptional value in one
of the Season's most favored fabrics.

Broadcloths

54 inches wide (sponged) will be
offered in black, dark green, dark
brown, Burgundy, plum or navy blue,
at the special price of, per yd. \$1.50

An Exceptional Sale of Smart Neckwear

for to-morrow (Monday) will include
ultra-fashionable importations and
also American designs of charming
originality, shown exclusively by
B. Altman & Co. In high pointed
effects in satin, or lace, or net,
touched with fur, or button-trim-
med, or in the novel contrast of color,
the following styles will be offered
at extraordinary concessions from
regular prices:

French Hand-embroidered Collar of
Batiste, with organdie points, band
and bow of black velvet . . . \$1.00
High Collar of Lace, edged with fur,
at . . . \$1.85
Net Guimpe, with pointed collar of
satin . . . \$2.00
Front of White Satin, with pointed
collar . . . \$1.90
Georgette Crepe Guimpe, crochet
buttons . . . \$3.75
Front of sheer organdie, French
hand-embroidery . . . \$2.25
Introducing a chic note in color is
the newest design in stock and jabot
of white net, edged with lace; an
ultra-high roll collar adds to its
smartness and is trimmed with
satin in Peach, Gendarme Blue or
American Beauty, at the special
price of . . . \$1.50

Special Salespeople, will, if desired,
be detailed to accompany patrons to
the store's various departments; or
goods will be assembled for inspec-
tion in a private showroom.

Costumes Embodying the Highest Expression of the Couturiers' Art

are displayed in the greatly-enlarged Department devoted exclusively to
Women's Suits and Gowns. Included are:

Rich fur-trimmed Tailors, Afternoon and Evening Gowns of the new
Metallic Silk, Costumes for skating and other Winter sports;
also smart Riding Habits.

A new feature introduced this Season meets the demand for extra large
sizes (42 to 54 inches bust measurement). A large number of Tailor-
made Models afford every opportunity for the selection of becoming styles.

The New Models in Smart Millinery

From B. Altman & Co.'s own ateliers is assembled in the Trimmed
Millinery Department (Third Floor) a distinctive and interesting collec-
tion of Autumn and Winter Models, expressive of the most charming
styles that the mode of the moment calls forth. Included are many
designs whose youthfulness of poise indicates unquestionably in fabric
or fur-touch the styles for the younger set.

Silks Suitable for Mourning Costumes

For those requiring materials for the correct garb of mourning, a
carefully selected assortment of mourning silks may be found in the Black
Silk Department (First Floor) at very moderate prices.

An Important Sale of Persian Lamb Coats

Advantageous purchases having been made of exceptionally
fine Persian Lamb Skins a Sale will be held for the duration
of one week commencing Monday, October 18th.

From this collection garments will be made to order from individual
measurements, from advance models and at the following
remarkable prices (considering quality):

Persian Lamb Coats, in 36- and 40-inch lengths, plain, or with Skunk
collar . . . at \$150.00
Persian Lamb Coats, in 48-inch length, plain, or with Skunk collar,
cuffs and fur-bordered skirt . . . at \$225.00

A diversified assortment of Skins and Coat Linings has been arranged
for individual selection.

The Great Autumn Sale of Selected Oriental Rugs

is now in progress and will be continued during this month.
The assortments of weaves and sizes are enormous and pros-
pective purchasers are afforded an opportunity to secure the
best qualities of desirable Oriental Rugs at prices which offer
unequalled values.

Several thousand small and medium size Oriental Rugs are
being offered . . . at \$19.50 to 75.00
Oriental Rugs in room sizes . . . at \$90.00 to 2,500.00

Large and unusual sizes are being featured in this Sale.

The above prices are extraordinary concessions from the
customary quotations.

Wearing qualities of all Rugs purchased at this Sale are unreservedly
guaranteed by B. Altman & Co.

Another Special Sale of

Imported Hand-made Filet Lace Curtains, Window Panels
and Decorative Lace Pieces has been arranged
to commence Monday.

The merchandise (taken from the regular stock) is in every
way equal to that offered in the previous sale and presents
the same phenomenal purchasing opportunities.

(Lace Drapery section, Fourth Floor)

The Season's Smart Vells

may be seen in the recently enlarged
Veil Section on the First Floor.
Fascinating shipments arrive
weekly from Paris and in no pre-
ceding season have the French
milliners developed more charming
ideas—neither have veils as acces-
sories to the fashionable costume
ever reigned more supreme than at
present.

Introduced by B. Altman & Co.
are the smart Fur-edged Vells.
Included also are the gracefully
designed meshes whose becoming
charm lies in lace effects, the rich-
ness of which shows to advantage
in the slimly-gathered fullness
which stamps many of the most
fashionable veils. The newest de-
signs include both the large square
veils and also the circular shapes.

Distinctive Attire for Children and Young Girls

is being shown in original and fash-
ionable Models. Special attention is
invited to the Department where the
difficult-to-fit girl may be attired
in becoming styles, perfectly suited
to her years.

In the Blouse Department (Second Floor)

An Interesting Special Sale will be
held on Monday

when charming reproductions of di-
rectly imported models, will include:

Exquisite Blouses of Lace or of
Georgette Crepe, at the very unusual
price of . . . \$11.50
Blouses of Crepe de Chine, enriched
with hand-embroidery (imported)
special at . . . \$7.50
Smart Blouses of Crepe de Chine or
Georgette Crepe, with silk combina-
tions, at the exceedingly attractive
price of . . . \$5.75

On TUESDAY, October 19th

Misses' Tailor-made Suits (sizes 14, 16 and 18 years)

will be placed on Sale in the newly-
accepted styles, developed in the
varied materials most approved by
fashion, and attaining through their
charming fur trimming and their
well-tailored lines the piquancy and
grace so noticeable in the attire of
the well-dressed young woman.

The following exceedingly attractive
fur trimmed models will be offered
at unusual price concessions:

Suits of Broadcloth or Corduroy
at . . . \$25.00
Suits of Duvetyn or Broadcloth
at . . . \$28.50
Suits of Velveteen or Broadcloth
at . . . \$35.00
(Department on Second Floor)

TELLS HOW CANADA
LURED OUR FARMERSCol. A. L. Davidson, on Canadian
Northern's Transcontinental
Tour, Describes Methods.

WAR AUTHOR OF THE PLAN

After Gaining Control of 1,250,000
Acres of Land He Interested
American Bankers.

Special to The New York Times.

ON BOARD THE FIRST TRANS-CONTINENTAL TRAIN OVER THE CANADIAN NORTHERN RAILWAY, SASKATOON, Sask., Oct. 16.—The man who mulcted Iowa, Minnesota, and the Dakotas of some thousands of sturdy American farmers, and proportionally increased the able-bodied farming population of Canada, is on this train, viewing with a good deal of quiet satisfaction the results of his nefarious enterprise as shown in the smiling wheat fields, trim, well ordered homesteads, and bustling villages revealed through the car windows.

He is a chunky, comfortable looking Canadian, and he tells the story with a merry twinkle in his keen blue eyes and an accent which reveals that he is no stranger on the other side of the border. He is Colonel A. L. Davidson, and in Canada they call him "The Father of the American Invasion."

He had accomplices in the crime. The Canadian Government, the Canadian newspapers, the railways, and certain Western bankers in the United States all helped him. The Colonel originated the conspiracy and instigated the activities of the others.

The story of how it was brought about puts a new complexion upon a movement much discussed in the United States and still going on. The Canadian Government, the Canadian railways, attractive advertising, farming conditions and the fact that the American farmer was a tiny little group of frame buildings about the railway station, now a prosperous city of 30,000 inhabitants, with asphalt streets, electric lighting, and hundreds of handsome homes—there were exactly three settlers. By a quick deal, put through at the right moment, the Colonel and certain associates, some of them interested in Canadian railwaying, became suddenly possessed of some million and a quarter acres of rich prairie land in this unsettled district, through which the Canadian Northern Railway now runs. But, to sell cheaply and still come out on the right side, they had to dispose of it to settlers and to do it quickly.

Meditating upon how this was to be done, the Colonel found himself in Chicago with his hands at once unoccupied. Advertising for settlers, even with the advantages he had to offer—good land ready for planting, a fine climate, and a way to get the kind of farmers that he wanted—He needed help just at this moment; he chanced to run across a group of banker friends all in a mood to chaff the Canadian.

"Hello, Colonel," said one banker. "I hear you've gone into partnership with King Edward, and he has turned over most of Canada to you. Going to do any of your friends in?"

"Sure," said the Colonel promptly. "Let you all in—let you all in on the ground floor. But you'll have to come and see the land first. Come out next week. I'll take you all out in my private car."

Now, the Colonel didn't have a private car, but he was not to sell land and a happy inspiration had struck him. There was more money, but the Colonel wanted the investment, and he willingly let the bankers accepted. The date was then settled. The Colonel, thinking that he was not going to be invited, and hired, conditionally, not a car, but a whole train. Then he called up his banker friends in New York.

"Who are your correspondents in Blanton, Minn., and Farmerville, La.?" he asked. "All right," they replied. "We meet in St. Paul on the 20th—a week from today."

There was a Western Bankers' Convention in session in Minnesota, which would adjourn on the 20th. The Colonel got into communication with bankers of Winnipeg, and a delegation bearing an invitation to visit Winnipeg. Thus shortly after acquiring a million acres of prairie across the Colonel appeared in Winnipeg with two special trainloads of American bankers.

They had a good time and returned home appreciating the Colonel as a host and convinced of the value of the Davidson land company. Many of them, at their own request, were down at least a list of prospective purchasers of sections or half sections when the newly acquired territory should go on the market. All were enthusiastic.

It happened to be the right psychological moment for an agricultural exodus from American territory. Land which the farmers had originally taken up as free homesteads was then worth upward of \$10 an acre and readily salable. The American farmer was discontented. He did not like the land, he did not like the way the railways were treating him; he did not like the politicians. It was not long before the processions from the border States were there in scores. They came in groups of from three to a dozen families. They brought into Canada from \$10,000 to \$20,000 of capital, plows, and horses, and an even more important equipment—a knowledge of the English language, familiarity with the soil and climate, and ability to meet the conditions under which they intended to live. In most of the groups there was at least one holder of land sold to an American banker. They had brought their friends and neighbors with them. These joyfully acquired. Colonel Davidson's cheaper land and set about putting it in shape.

In one year 20,000 American farmers crossed the border and took up Canadian land in this hitherto deserted territory. By and by they wrote to friends they had left behind, commending the new enterprise and suggesting co-operation. More groups arrived. They are there yet, and are still coming.

Just about this stage of the story should come statistics, which, however, do not particularly matter here. What is more interesting is that at this particular juncture the train was speeding through a compact, prosperous-looking settlement, where folk stood in the doorways, waved handkerchiefs, and cheered the passing immigrants. "What's the name of that town?" someone asked the Colonel.

"The name of that place, I believe," said he, "is Davidson. They named it after me."

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Differ in no way from prevailing modes and do not betray their purpose. Fit when figure is again normal.

Artistically constructed to create proper balance for figure through changing proportions, allowing for necessary expansion without removal of fastenings.
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And here they are in quite the smartest styles seen for many a season. Muffs are small and snug, collars and scarfs extremely high and becoming. So inexpensive that one may indulge in several sets at the price you would pay other years for but one.

Specially Priced

Natural Raccoon Scarfs \$6.50
Natural Raccoon Muffs \$10.50
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Hudson Seal Muffs \$17.50
Genuine Skunk Muffs \$27.50
Genuine Skunk Scarfs \$22.50

Fashionable Fur Coats

Flaring garments made of selected, dependable perfectly matched skins, richly lined with silks.
Natural Muskrat Coats \$67.50
Caracul Coats \$85.00 and 125.00
Hudson Seal (dyed muskrat) \$95.00, 135.00 & 165.00

Plain or trimmed with contrasting fur.
Fur trimmings in all the wanted widths by the yard or cut to order.

Third Floor.

FUR COLLARED COATS
Special \$25.00

Practical Winter coats in soft, warm, light-weight materials, wool velours, fancy mixtures and checks in many smart models. Collars are deep and in the most becoming and wanted furs. Finely lined and interlined.

Black Silk Velour Coats

Handsome garments lined with contrasting peau de cygne and effectively trimmed with fur \$39.50

Fur Trimmed Plush Coats

Silk plush in two distinctive models, richly lined and with huge collars of the fashionable furs \$50.00

Fur Trimmed Coats of the Finer Sort

Models developed in shagreen velour, vicuna velour, broadcloth, cashmere velour and wool velour. Collars of fur are in every conceivable style and shape and in the most wanted pelts.

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Evening Wraps—Copies of Paris Models

Reproductions of the loveliest creations of

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Luxurious garments fashioned of silk chiffon velvets and chiffon plushes in Rose, Sapphire, Peacock, Nile Green, Gold, Porcelain, Royal, Taupe, Hydrangea and Black, trimmed with the finer furs, including badger, skunk, blue wolf, taupe wolf, natural wolf, Hudson seal (dyed muskrat). Exquisitely lined and wondrously beautiful models at
\$60.00, 75.00, 100.00, to 250.00

Third Floor.

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Simple and so exquisitely dainty that no woman who loves pretty underwear can resist them. Priced moderately, too:

Nainsook Gowns 98c, \$1.45 and \$1.95
Flesh Batiste Gowns 98c and \$1.25
Crepe de Chine Gowns \$3.95, 4.95 and \$5.95
Washable Satin Gowns \$5.95
Nainsook Envelope Chemise 98c, \$1.25 and \$1.95
Crepe de Chine Envelope Chemise \$1.95
Crepe de Chine Camisoles 98c and \$1.50

Second Floor.

Sale of Custom Made
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(All Have the New Open Edge Feature)

\$17.50

Regularly \$28.00

Made to order exclusively for the Lord & Taylor Store of selected mercerized Egyptian yarn, these hangings will surely delight the eyes of all who behold them and many fine country homes and spacious city apartments will be beautified by the elegance of these portieres.

The Sale of Imported

HAND MADE LACE CURTAINS

Is Attracting Considerable Attention

Late deliveries from abroad caused the reductions in the prices of the curtains. Each is perfect in design, motif and make.

Lace Curtains

Usually \$8.50 to \$22.00 a pair \$5.75 to 12.50

Panels

Usually \$8.75 to \$12.00 each \$5.75 to 7.50

Bed Sets

Usually \$16.00 to \$28.00 \$9.00 to 15.75

Fifth Floor.

Founded 1826

Greeley 1900

Lord & Taylor

38th Street

FIFTH AVENUE

39th Street

Another Example of Lord & Taylor Economy

FANCY TAILORED BROADCLOTH SUITS

At the Special Price, \$24.50

Certain of our Smartest
models

have been so cleverly reproduced that the collection surpasses our expectations.

One of our Best Manufacturers

collaborated with us to produce at what might be termed a popular price

The Best Suit Values
We Have Ever Offered

Broadcloth in black, navy, African, field mouse, bottle green, blackberry. The coats warmly interlined and lined in many fashionable models, the majority fur trimmed. Typical of the styles is the

Russian Suit Illustrated

Its collar of velvet and deep cuffs, bordered with soft rich bands of skunk opossum fur; compares favorably with the average suit at \$35.00.

Price \$24.50



Third Floor.

Clearance of
CORSETSAt About 1/2 Former
Prices

Several of the leading makes in the fashionable models, but in incomplete range of sizes. Corsets of

Imported and Domestic

Broche

Brocade Batiste

Suede and Coutil

\$1.95, 2.95, 3.95

5.00 and 7.50

Formerly \$3.95 to 15.00

Second Floor.

WOMEN'S

UMBRELLAS

\$1.95

Regularly \$2.75

Purchased especially for this event. Made of heavy quality fast dye silk. In black, blue or green and trimmed with sterling silver handles, or plain if you prefer.

Ground Floor.

Featuring the Lord & Taylor
HIGH-CUT BOOT

Patent Leather and Black Russia Calf, with cloth or kid tops. Glace Kid, Tan Russia Calf, lace or buttoned styles, on very slim, graceful lines with Louis XVI or straight Cuban heels. Also Smart Walking Boots for the growing girl. Laced and with low heels. Tan or black calf.



Special at

\$5.00

More Than

Thirty

Smart, New

Models.

Comparing favorably with any \$6.00 Shoe shown elsewhere. So finely finished that they have all the style, the grace, the distinctively smart appearance that the fashions of the day demand.

Special for Monday
WOMEN'S \$5.00 TO \$7.00 BOOTS
For Clearance \$3.35

Conservative but absolutely correct boots, in dull or patent leather with grey tops or in black kid with cloth tops.

Second Floor.

Women's Knit
Underwear

Special Values

Silk and Cotton Union Suits—Various styles; incomplete size range but excellent choosing. Usually \$1.65; for clearance 75c

Swiss Ribbed Cotton Union Suits—Medium weight garments. Usually \$1.25 75c

Swiss Ribbed Wool and Cotton Union Suits—Medium weight. Usually \$2.75 \$1.65

Glove-Silk Top Union Suits—with body and lower part of ribbed cotton; in pink or white. Usually \$1.50, 95c

Milanese Silk Vests—heavy quality with tailored band top. In pink or white. Originally \$1.75 \$1.35

Glove-Silk Bloomers—of serviceable weight and well reinforced. Usually \$1.95 \$1.65

Second Floor.

MILLINERY
OF THE MOMENT

Is there a new note in Millinery, some clever caprice of Fashion to be introduced? Lord & Taylor designers instantly feature it in all its alluring newness and at an attractively moderate price.

The Collection of Trimmed Millinery
at \$10.00

demonstrates to an amazing degree the results of this specialization. The Hats of the Hour are here.

Continentials, now in such high favor, developed in black, colored velvets and in white hatter's plush. \$10.00

An extremely smart Sailor in black hatter's plush, presenting a very novel trimming effect. \$10.00

Gold and Silver Lace Hats in over half a hundred styles. \$10.00

Hats for every occasion, tailored Hats, semi-tailored Hats, Dress Hats, Theatre Hats in this display at. \$10.00

Untrimmed Hats

Black Lyons' Velvet Hats—hand-blocked, French edged, so finely made and of such evident quality that every discriminating woman will recognize their worth. The shapes are the newest and include Continentals, Turbans, Sailors, and Large Dress Shapes. Better than the usual \$5.00 hat. Very Special. \$3.95

Fourth Floor.

NEW BLOUSES

Make Their Bow

If their loveliness is any indication of the favor they should win, their welcome is assured. The Lace Blouses are exquisite; those of silk and crepes, strikingly smart.

Scores of novelties are here, of which these are specimen styles and values.

Lace Blouses

Of cream or white embroidered net lace in bolero model; the draped fronts falling over a wide corselet of white or flesh pink satin. \$5.00

Radium Lace Blouses

Lace, creamy, delicately patterned, veiling the palest of flesh pink chiffon, with just a gleam of silver lace to outline the smart vestee. High collar and deep cuffs are of white satin with an edge of dark fur. Unusually effective. Very special at. \$6.95

A New Costume Blouse

Copied from an imported model and quite smart enough to complete the finest of tailored suits. In blue, green and black chiffon taffeta with underbodice and sleeves of heavy chiffon cloth. Through the slashes of a broad girde a patent leather belt is cleverly drawn. \$10.75

Third Floor.

Specials on the Ground Floor

Three New Blouse Models at \$3.95

Chiffon Cloth—in blue, black, green, brown and plum with high collar, vestee and cuffs of shadow lace. \$3.95

White Crepe de Chine—A dainty model; high-low collar, inset vestee and cuffs of sheer white crepe. \$3.95

Another Style—Tailored and hemstitched; has a novel shoulder yoke extending to form a waistcoat effect. \$3.95

The Greatest Linen Sale of the Year

Enters Its 2nd Week With Unprecedented Economies

This great economic event offers advantages over any previous Sale and we strongly urge our patrons to participate in the wonderful values it provides. The time is near when such an offering will not be possible. The savings over regular prices are extraordinary.

Table Cloths

Usually \$2.75 to \$16.50 \$1.88 to \$8.25

Napkins

Usually \$3.50 to \$21.50 a dozen \$2.50 to \$10.75

Miscellaneous Lot of Damask

Table Cloths

At 1/2 Regular Prices.

2 1/4 x 2 1/4 yds., usually \$4.25 \$2.12

2 1/4 x 2 1/2 yds., usually \$4.75 \$2.38

2 1/4 x 3 yds., usually \$7.00 \$3.50

2 1/2 x 3 yds., usually \$7.50 \$3.75

2 1/2 x 3 1/2 yds., usually \$10.00 \$5.00

2 1/2 x 4 yds., usually \$15.00 \$7.50

Hemmed Huck Towels—

Pure Linen

Usually \$4.20 a doz. \$3.35

Hemstitched Huck Towels—

Pure Linen

Usually \$4.50 a doz. \$3.65

Second Floor.

Hand Woven Italian
Huck Towels

Manufactured exclusively for Lord & Taylor
\$7.50 to \$13.50 a dozen.

Real Madeira Hand Embroidered
Linens

At Greatly Reduced Prices.

Tea Napkins, usually \$7.50 a doz. \$4.95

Scarfs, usually \$3.50 each \$2.25

Centre pieces, usually \$2.50 \$1.50

Luncheon Sets, usually \$7.50 each \$4.85

Linen Sheets

Extra quality, especially reduced in price.
Sheets, usually \$7.50 and \$9.50 a pair \$6.00 and \$7.50

Irish Hand Embroidered
Pillow Cases

Usually \$3.50 a pair. \$2.38

Another Shipment of
ORIENTAL RUGS

Chinese Rugs, Pekin Weave and Ting Sing Weave.
Indo-Chinese Rugs, Laristan and Shimir Rugs.

To Be Sold At Actual Importer's Cost

Lord & Taylor Rugs are selected with full thought of their future intimate association with hangings and furniture and every approved decorative scheme is anticipated in this collection, which has only just been released from the customs. The prices are comparatively little considering the scarcity of these desirable floor coverings.

Approximate Sizes and Prices in the New Shipment.

4 x 7 feet. \$50.00 to 90.00

6 x 9 feet. \$75.00 to 125.00

8 x 10 feet. \$140.00 to 195.00

9 x 12 feet. \$165.00 to 295.00

Persian Rugs at Special Prices

Only the Finer Weaves in the Collection.

Kirmanshah Rugs in Room Sizes

Usually \$275.00 to \$600.00 \$195.00 to 395.00

Sarouk Rugs in Room Sizes

Usually \$275.00 to \$450.00 \$165.00 to 265.00

Serapi Rugs in Room Sizes

Usually \$300.00 to \$400.00 \$195.00 to 295.00

Small Oriental Rugs

An assortment of about 3,000 "throw-about" select rugs in a variety of fine weaves. Sizes range from 2 x 3 feet to 5 x 12 feet.

Fifth Floor.

16 PLUNGE TO DEATH IN A DERAILED CAR

Union Pacific Motor Train
Wrecked in Kansas at Bridge
Weakened by Rains.

CAR ON END IN STREAM

88 Passengers, Largely Women
School Teachers, Pitched Into
a Struggling Heap.

RANDOLPH, Kan., Oct. 16.—Of the sixty-five occupants of a Union Pacific motor train who slid into a heap at the bottom of a passenger car when it plunged on end into Fancy Creek today, sixteen lost their lives, according to the best estimates tonight. Most of these were drowned in the car. Only four escaped unhurt.

Ten bodies have been recovered from the mud and water which filled the bottom of the upturned car to the depth of many feet. Here is a revised list of the recovered dead:

ATWOOD, Dr. LOUIS, Topeka, Kan.
GILES, MARY, Manhattan, Kan.
JELLINE, Miss ALMA J., Garrison, Kan.
CHAPMAN, Mrs. STELLA, Manhattan, Kan.
REPSER, Miss ETHEL, Stockdale, Kan.
SHAW, A. C., Tecumseh, Neb.
SMITH, THEODORE, Tecumseh, Neb.
RETZER, Miss ETHEL, Stockdale, Kan.
RETZER, S. O., Stockdale, Kan.
STONEBERG, CARL, Randolph, Kan.
PETERSON, Miss DELIA, Stockdale, Kan.

The train consisted of a passenger coach and a combination baggage and mail car. About fifteen feet of the forward end of the passenger car was buried in water and mud. The baggage and mail car remained on the rails.

Many of the passengers were young women school teachers on their way to a teachers' meeting to have been held here today. All went into a heap when the car struck a bridge weakened by three inches of rain and plunged downward into the swollen creek. The rescue of the passengers was extremely difficult, and many were badly injured after they had been extricated from the half submerged car. It was necessary for the survivors to crawl up the sides of the car, using the window ledges and seats as the rungs of a ladder, and many fell repeatedly after almost achieving success. Nearly all became unconscious from loss of blood or shock on finally reaching safety.

No occupant of the forward end of the car, used as a smoking compartment, has yet been discovered among the survivors. The smoking compartment was submerged almost immediately after the accident gave way, and these in

It had little or no chance to escape. Three bodies have been taken from this section and, though they were badly injured, death occurred from drowning. All of the bodies yet remaining in the car are in this section.

O. M. Warner, motorman on the wrecked car, was thrown through a front window into the water. He waded out and ran to summon aid. "I couldn't see anything the matter with the track ahead of me," he said tonight. "I suppose the earth had been washed from under the track at the end of the bridge. There was enough clinging to the ties to deceive the eye. The first knowledge I had that anything was wrong was when I was thrown through the glass in front of the car into about four feet of water. I was unhurt and got on my feet in time to see the car hanging with the front end straight down over the abutment. It seemed to hang there a half minute, then slowly settled down in the water, standing almost perpendicular all the time."

BOY ESCAPES FROM COURT.

Irving Weiss Tells Elevator Man Story That Wins Freedom.

Irving Weiss, 15 years old, escaped from the Children's Court yesterday by tricking his guard, when he was about to be arraigned with another boy on the charge of alleged complicity in the theft of dress goods valued at \$330 from a truck in front of the store of Ehrensohl & Deutch, 30 West Fifteenth Street, on Oct. 8. With William Geier, also 15, Weiss had been held by the Children's Society, and the two were taken to the court by Cornelius Leary, a special officer of the society. Geier was in a room on the first floor and Weiss was in the corridor with Leary. Leary placed Weiss on the elevator and instructed the operator to take him into the courtroom on the second floor, and went back for Geier. The operator did not hear what Leary said, and asked Weiss about it. Weiss replied:

"Oh, he's keeping the other boy for trial, and he told me to get out." "Go back to the street," ordered the elevator man, putting Weiss off on the second floor, where he passed the open courtroom door, walked down the stairs to the elevator, and went back for Geier, running around the corner, jumped on a Third Avenue car. Weiss was not missed until Justice Collins called his name. He lives with his parents at 339 Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn. The home of his school chum, Geier, is at 294 South Second Street, Brooklyn. The police were asked to find Weiss.

TRIST BOY'S TRIAL PUT OFF

Father Gets Word of Two Weeks' Postponement When About to Sail.

Gustav W. Triest, father of Kenneth G. Triest, who is held in London as a German spy, was ready to sail yesterday on the American liner St. Louis for Liverpool when he received a cablegram from London saying that the trial had been postponed until Nov. 15. Mr. Triest, canceled his booking on the St. Louis and reserved accommodations on the St. Paul on Oct. 30.

LAFAYETTE TO INSTALL HEAD

Varied Program for Induction of Dr. J. H. MacCracken as President.

Special to The New York Times.
EASTON, Penn., Oct. 16.—Lafayette College will induct as her ninth President Dr. John Henry MacCracken, former syndicate of New York University, next Wednesday. Delegates and guests will come from colleges from every part of this country and Canada.

At the ceremony the new President of Lafayette will deliver an address, a number of honorary degrees will be conferred, and Judge Elbert H. Gary, Chairman of the United States Steel Corporation, will speak.

These ceremonies will be followed by a dinner in the college gymnasium, where many speakers will be heard, including Cyrus H. McCormick of Chicago, Winston Churchill, Edward K. Graham, President of the University of North Carolina; Albert Ross Hill, President of the University of Missouri; and Governor Brumbaugh. In all more than 200 colleges and universities will be represented at the induction, more than half of them by their Presidents.

At the dinner on Tuesday evening that will precede the ceremony the speakers will be Edward J. Fox of Easton, Dr. John H. Pinley of Albany, President John Grier Hibben of Princeton, George Morris Phillips, Principal of the West Chester Normal School; President Harry B. Hutchins of the University of Michigan, President E. E. Sparks of the State College of Pennsylvania, and Chancellor S. B. McCormick of the University of Pittsburgh.

FILM PLANT BURNS; 2 DEAD.

Several Others Injured When Explosion Starts Blaze in Atlanta Factory.

ATLANTA, Oct. 16.—Two women lost their lives and two others were probably fatally burned today in a fire which swept the offices of the Mutual Film Corporation, on the second floor of an office building here. The explosion of an electric fuse in a room where picture films were being prepared for shipment is believed to have started the blaze, which spread so rapidly that the score of women and girls employed in the place were trapped. Firemen made several spectacular rescues.

The dead are Miss Clara Westbrook and Miss Lottie Ham and the seriously burned Mrs. Lucille Davis and Miss Beulah Yew. Several other employees sustained lesser injuries from the flames and from jumping.

CLAMORED TO SEE HANGING.

Three Thousand Were Turned Away from Execution in Illinois.

MURPHYSBORO, Ill., Oct. 16.—Joe Deberry, a negro, was hanged here today for the murder of Mrs. J. H. Martin, wife of a leading attorney of Southern Illinois. Two thousand persons crowded into a stockade to witness the execution. Three thousand more visitors were in town, unable to obtain admission to the stockade.

L. P. Hollander & Co.

Established 1848

Offer to their customers

French Hand-Made Lingerie

at very special prices.

French Night Gowns \$6.50 to \$50.00

Hand-made and hand-embroidered nainsook and linen.

French Chemises All hand made \$4.75 up

French Petticoats Hand made and hand embroidered \$5.00 up

FIFTH AVE., at 46th St.

Stern Brothers

42nd and 43rd Streets, West of Fifth Avenue

Continuation of the Autumn Sale of Rugs

ON THE FIFTH FLOOR, OFFERING EMPHATIC REDUCTIONS

Small and Medium Size Oriental Rugs,

Values up to \$92.50,

at \$9.00, 11.00, 14.75 and 19.75

Persian, Afghan and Beloochistan Rugs,

Values up to \$195.00,

at \$40.00, 58.00, 85.00 to 98.00

The following are examples of the Extreme Reductions available in Room Sizes:

MAHALS

Size	Were	Now
9 by 11 ft.,	\$115.00	\$75.00
8½ by 12½ ft.,	\$125.00	\$89.00
10½ by 13 ft.,	\$195.00	\$125.00
10½ by 17 ft.,	\$250.00	\$185.00

GHOERAVANS

Size	Were	Now
9½ by 12 ft.,	\$188.00	\$125.00
9½ by 13½ ft.,	\$185.00	\$125.00
10½ by 15½ ft.,	\$178.00	\$125.00
10 by 12½ ft.,	\$228.00	\$165.00

KIRMANSHAHS

Size	Were	Now
9 by 12 ft.,	\$248.00	\$188.00
8½ by 11½ ft.,	\$398.00	\$250.00
10½ by 12½ ft.,	\$325.00	\$228.00
10 by 13½ ft.,	\$578.00	\$425.00

Women's Tailored Suits and Coats

In which refinement, smartness and distinction characterize the style, fabric and trimming, are being shown in the Ready-to-Wear Sections on the Third Floor, in assortments that meet the requirements of every individual taste, whether conservative or extreme, at reasonable prices.

A MOST EXCEPTIONAL OFFERING

SPECIALLY PREPARED FOR MONDAY:

Women's Smart Tailored Suits

of gabardine, whipcord, broadcloth, faille de laine, kittens' ear cloth, diagonal velour, mannish worsteds, velour cloth, chinchilla, duvetyne, corduroys and velveteens,

at \$24.50, 35.00 and 45.00

Women's Coats

for street or motoring, of corduroy, shepherd checks, tweeds and various fancy mixtures, velour de laine, duvetyne, whipcord and broadcloth.

at \$29.75 & 37.50

Evening Coats

very modish models, made of superior chiffon velvet or velour, in deep, rich Autumn tones, handsomely accentuated with fur, warmly interlined,

Special at \$72.50

Distinctive Furs

of unusual reliability, correctly designed and moderately priced.

Included are

Natural Cross Fox Pieces, at \$35.00 to 150.00

Natural Blue Fox Pieces, at \$65.00 to 250.00

Superb Silver Fox Pieces, at \$275.00 to 1950.00

Also Russian and Hudson Bay Sable, Baum Marten and Kolinsky, in made-up sets or whole skins.

Women's Smart Coats

Are shown in Ermine, Broadtail, Baby Caracul, Persian Lamb, Beaver, Kolinsky, Squirrel, Mole and Hudson Seal.

Arnold, Constable & Co.

Founded 1827

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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

Final Eighteen Day Removal Clearance Sale of our Entire Surplus Stocks

Will Begin Wednesday, October 20th

and continue until the opening of our New Building, Fifth Avenue at 40th Street.

Reductions for This Sale Average
33 1/3 to 50 per cent. Below Former Prices

Special Offerings Arranged for Monday

Fashionable Fall

Dress Silks

For Street, Afternoon Costumes and Evening Frocks.

Satin de Luxe, 36-inch; exquisitely soft, lustrous and fine, in the most wanted day and evening shades, yard, 1.50

Faille Silk, 36-inch; a particularly handsome weave, in rich colorings, yard, 2.00

Printed Taffeta, 36-inch; of Chiffon finish, printed in various fashionable designs on light and dark grounds, yard, 1.50

Furs and Fur Coats

From Pelts of Beautiful Quality, in the Mode of the Hour

At Less Than Usual Prices

Women's Caracul Coats, ¾ length, Value \$100.00, 82.50

Women's Hudson Seal Coats, ¾ length, Value \$130.00, 110.00

White Fox Scarfs, 25.00 to 48.00, Value \$32.50 to \$55.00

Red Fox Scarfs, 20.00 to 25.00, Value \$27.00 to \$32.00

Skunk Scarfs, 6.00 to 50.00, Value \$9.00 to \$65.00

The Fashionable

Fur Trimmed Suits

An unusual collection of handsome suits, perfectly reproduced from Notable Imported Models, in the most favored Autumn fabrics and colorings, and trimmed with fine fur.

At Prices quite below the average

Women's Tailor Suits of fine Broadcloth or Whipcord, in a variety of chic models, smartly trimmed with fur. Actual value \$35.00 28.50

Women's Tailored Suits of velvet finish Corduroy, in a smart youthful model, originated by Lanvin and successfully copied in black, navy, Russian green and African. Actual value \$42.50 34.50

Women's Tailor Suits of lustrous Broadcloth, presenting a Bernard model in green, field mouse, brown and black, handsomely trimmed with seal. Actual value \$45.00 34.50

Tailor Suits in Extra Large Sizes

Comprising a number of distinctive and smart models, especially designed for large women, in fabrics and colors of the latest mode.

At the Very Special Prices

32.50 to 48.00

Broadcloth

and other

Smart Suitings

At Special Prices

Black Broadcloth, 56-inch, of charmeuse finish; highly lustrous; sponged and shirred, yard, 2.45

Colored Broadcloth, 54-inch; in the quality and shade most used this season for handsome tailor suits; yard, 1.95

Whipcord, 48-inch; of splendid quality in Burgundy, Belgian, Brown, Taupe, Bronze and Emerald. Regularly \$3.00 1.75

Special Offering of

Semi-Made Skirts

Smart, New Fall Models for street and sport wear, in Navy and Black serge, Blue and Green Checks and Plaids, Suitings and Corduroys.

For Monday only.

3.50 to 6.00 Each

Women's

Blanket Robes

Beacon Blanket Robes for bath or house wear; light weight, warm, beautifully made and trimmed with satin. Shades range from pastel to vivid Indian colorings. 2.25

Regularly \$3.50.

Women's Fur Trimmed

Velour Cheviot Coats

A very choice collection of handsome Coats for street, afternoon or motor use. Made from the fashionable wool velour cheviot of superior quality, in various colors; finished with high fur collar.

Specially priced

27.50

Misses' Fur Trimmed

Fall Tailor Suits

Of fine wool poplin in fashionable Autumn shades and black, presenting smart copies of Lanvin and Bernard models, trimmed with fur or braid and buttons. Sizes 14 to 20 years.

Specially priced

22.50

Misses' Fur Trimmed

Corduroy Coats

Handsome, full length, Russian models in Green, African, Navy, Mouse and Amethyst; silk lined throughout and high collar of fur. Also in Callot checks, fur trimmed. Sizes 14 to 20 years.

Value \$22.00

18.50

Blankets and Comfortables

At Important Reductions in Price

White Wool Blankets, of superior quality, finished with pink or blue borders. Single or double bed size. 4.25

White Wool Blankets, of most desirable weight and quality for Winter use. Double bed size. Regularly \$5.50 pair 4.50

Comfortables with Silkline Tops, in various dainty colors; full size, cotton filled. Regularly \$6.00 pair 1.85

Comfortables, Figured Cambric Tops, with plain border, full size, wool filled. Regularly \$2.25 4.50

Bigelow and English Carpets

4,500 Yards of

1/3 to 1/2 Reductions

Brussels and Axminster in an attractive range of colors and designs in our own private patterns. Now 1.10 to 1.50

Formerly \$1.65 to \$2.00 yard

Bigelow and English Wilton in an assortment of colors and patterns suitable for Fall furnishings. Now 1.75 to 2.75

Formerly \$3.00 and \$4.00 yard

Muslin Sheets, Pillow and Bolster Cases

AT REMARKABLE REDUCTIONS FROM PREVAILING PRICES

Pillow Cases	Bolster Cases	Sheets
21x36 ins. 22 1/2x36 ins. 14c 15c	21x54 ins. 28c 21x63 ins. 32c	Single 44c Three-quarter 63c
25x36 ins. 27x36 ins. 16c 17c	21x72 ins. 34c 22 1/2x76 ins. 38c	Double 75c Extra Large 82c

Blankets and Comfortables

Lambs' Wool Comfortables

Double Size

Figured Silkline, - - at \$2.95

Plain borders; regular price \$4.00

Printed Satin, - - at \$6.75

Floral designs; regular price \$8.50

Brocade Satin, - - at \$8.50

Plain colors; regular price \$10.00

White Blankets

Pink and blue borders.

Single Size, - - pair \$3.75, 4.25

Regular prices \$4.50 and 5.00

Double Size, - - pair \$4.75, 5.50

Regular prices \$5.75 and 6.50

Extra Large Size, pair \$5.75, 6.95

Regular prices \$6.50 and 8.00

Colored Blankets

Pure Wool, double size, pr. \$9.50

Plaid effects; regular price \$11.50

Upholstery

Fourth Floor

Inspection is invited of the large and unusually interesting line of interior decorative fabrics and exclusive novelties of high artistic merit for home adornment.

SPECIAL FOR MONDAY

Embroidered Velour Portieres

Beautifully finished; in designs for Library, Hall, Living and Dining Room,

at \$19.50 & 22.50 pair

Imported Lace Curtains

Values \$4.95 to 8.50 a pair, at \$3.75, 4.50 & 6.50

4000 Yds. Printed Cretannes

In light and dark effects, at 22c and 32c yard

Broadway & 19th Street

LITTLE WOULD SHIFT BLAME IN K-2 CASE

**Says Submarine's Commander
Assented to Builders' Promise
to Remedy Defects.**

NO SUCH AGREEMENT FOUND

**At the Admiral's Request the Court-
Martial is Postponed Until
November 1.**

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Rear Admiral William Nelson Little, whose trial by court-martial was ordered by the Secretary of the Navy yesterday, called on Secretary Daniels today and requested more time to prepare his case. The court-martial had been ordered to meet at Boston Monday, and Admiral Little explained to Secretary Daniels that so early a date would not give him sufficient time to prepare his defense. Mr. Daniels accordingly directed the court-martial be postponed until Nov. 1. Admiral Little was retired on Dec. 31, 1914, having reached the age limit.

In a statement to the Navy Department with reference to alleged defective work on the submarine K-2 for the inspection of which he was responsible, Admiral Little asserted that the commanding officer of the submarine assented to an agreement that the Fore River Shipbuilding Company, which was building the vessel, would make "good" for all time "any trouble resulting from alleged careless workmanship in the battery of the vessel." The Commander of K-2, which is now at the Brooklyn Navy Yard, is Lieutenant Radford Jones. The Navy Department's inspector of machinery at the Fore River plant, who succeeded Admiral Little in that capacity there, reported to the department that he could find no record on file of any agreement of the character indicated by Admiral Little.

The Navy Department today gave out a memorandum showing that on Oct. 1 Captain Ridley McLean, Judge Advocate General of the Navy, wrote at Secretary Daniels's direction to Admiral Little at his residence, 547 Riverside Drive, New York, that the department would make "good" for all time "any defects in the battery of K-2 due to careless workmanship and a statement of the inspector of machinery who succeeded Admiral Little that he could find no record of any such agreement.

Following are the extracts from Captain McLean's letter contained in the memorandum given out by the Navy Department:

"1. The question of the condition of the storage batteries of the K-2 at the time of its acceptance has by the direction of the Secretary been under investigation. It is noted that in the above reference, (Rear Admiral Little's indorsement dated June 2, 1915,) you state, Paragraph 3:

"After full deliberation on all the facts and the statements of said officers and contractor's representatives, and with the officer who was to command the boat concurring, the inspector informed the contractor that in consideration of his agreement to stand back of the battery for all time as to the alleged careless workmanship of burning, the thorough overhauling of the battery would not then be required."

"2. The Bureau of Steam Engineering inquired of the present inspector of machinery of the Fore River whether or not the files of that office showed that the above agreement had been reduced to writing. The inspector replied:

"There is no entry in the files or elsewhere on record in the file record here that can be found relating to the agreement between the contractors and the inspector of machinery regarding the making good of defects that might develop in the service."

SUBMARINES' ENGINES CAUSE MUCH TROUBLE

**Recent War Game Found Under-
sea Craft in Unsatisfactory
Condition.**

Special to The New York Times.
NEWPORT, R. I., Oct. 16.—Submarine K-2, the cause of the coming court-martial of Rear Admiral W. N. Little, is one of the four submarines composing the Fourth Division of the Atlantic submarine flotilla commanded by Rear Admiral Albert W. N. Little. She, with H-6, H-1, and K-3 made the runs to the

New York Navy Yard early last Spring from Pensacola, the four boats traveling under their own power and being reported as performing quite a feat. Then came the Spring war game, but none of the K type or other submarines were found to be in condition for the maneuvers.

Admiral Grant received a free hand in reorganizing his flotilla, with the understanding the submarines were to be left alone until every one was renovated and in the pink of condition. But the war game for Oct. 4 was announced, and Admiral Grant was ordered by Admiral Frank P. Fletcher, Commander in chief of the Atlantic fleet, to have his submarines in the game. This meant hurry up work, and the K boats went out with their repairs hardly completed.

When the game ended there were only one or two submarines in good condition. One of the D type, in a damaged condition, was towed in by the destroyer MacDonough from off Block Island. The engine troubles of some others caused Admiral Grant to send a special report to the Navy Department.

Yesterday one of 6 submarines broke a crankshaft on her port engine, and in the other submarines officers and men are working early and late on repairs.

For a year or so, before Admiral Grant took command of the submarine flotilla, Commander Yates Sterling, Jr., then commander of the flotilla and now Chief of Staff in the same organization, sent many reports to the department bearing on the troubles of submarines.

Last Thursday Admiral Grant lectured at the Naval War College on submarines and gave his opinion on the condition of the undersea fighters behind closed doors. It is said he was very meek in his criticism.

Early this month the M-1 was launched at Quincy. Just three years ago, which caused the remark in the flotilla here that the submarines were a number of submarines for the British Government in less than a year, with their engines tried out continually by British officers for ten consecutive days, against ten hours' running in trials for the United States Navy.

Admiral Grant is absent from the flagship Columbia, apparently en route to Washington for a conference with Secretary Daniels.

All the submarines, except the K type, are at New London, where they will remain for the winter for maintenance.

Admiral Grant is expected to return to the Navy Yard to oversee the torpedo target practice in Narragansett Bay they will go to the New York Navy Yard to overhaul for a month and thence to Pensacola for the winter.

CONSIDER CASTELLANE CASE

**Pope's Special Committee is Expected
to Decide Against the Court.**

PARIS, Oct. 16.—The Committee of Cardinals appointed by Pope Benedict to reconsider the decisions of the Tribunal of the Court of Cassation, which had pronounced the annulment of his marriage to Anna Gould, now the Duchess of Talleyrand, met yesterday to examine the positions of the litigants and the previous decisions of the Church courts.

The committee, composed of Cardinals Louis Billot, Jean-Baptiste Sarrasin, and Bilelet, adjourned without reaching a definite conclusion, but is expected to confirm the last ruling of the Rota, which maintained that in the eyes of the Church the marriage was indissoluble.

Count de Castellane's appeal to the Vatican courts has been pending since 1910. If he should be successful, he would have religious sanction for marrying again, and might obtain possession of his three children, who were in the custody of his mother when she obtained a divorce in the Paris courts, Nov. 14, 1906.

MORE CHARLTON CASE DELAY

**Asked Not Only by Prisoner's Law-
yer, but by a Medical Witness.**

COMO, Oct. 16.—In addition to the request of Miceli Picardi, counsel for Porter Charlton, for a postponement of Charlton's trial on the charge of murdering his wife at Lake Como, Dr. de Dominici, who had been asked to give an opinion regarding the autopsy on the body of the alleged victim, will also ask for a postponement, it was learned today. The expert desires additional time to complete his work.

The trial has already been once postponed, the new date set being Oct. 18. It was announced yesterday that Charlton's attorneys requested additional time to prepare his case.

TO ENFORCE COTTON ACT.

**Government Holds Tax on Futures
Originated in the House.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Provisions of the Cotton Futures act, held unconstitutional by the United States Supreme Court, will be enforced pending the outcome of an appeal to the Supreme Court. Officials of the Treasury and Agriculture Departments charged with administration of the act, have reached this decision after a conference.

Judge Hough declared that as a revenue measure the act should have originated in the House, not the Senate. It will be contended that the tax provision of the bill did originate in the House as an amendment to the Senate measure.

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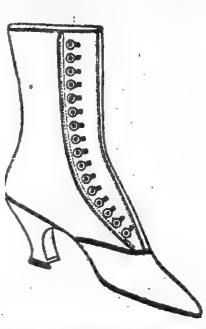
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SEEK TEUTON WHO HAD PLANS OF FORTS

Ex-Employee of Austrian Embassy Said to Have Taken Drawings to Berlin.

LOUDEN DENIES CONNECTION

Spy Suspect Says He Never Knew Tomory, Who Was \$12 Clerk Under Nuber.

Agents of the Department of Justice began a second inquiry yesterday into the activities of Eugene Tomory, an Austrian army officer, who lived in this country for two years and who is alleged to have carried plans of the fortifications around New York Harbor to the German Government. According to information received by the United States Secret Service, Tomory sailed from New York under an assumed name, "Count von Nuber," on July 24 last for Rotterdam. He is said to have eluded detection whenever the ship was searched for suspicious characters by wearing the uniform of a ship's steward.

The attention of the Department of Justice was called to Tomory after "Count" Max Lynar Loudon, also suspected of being a German spy, was arrested on the charge of bigamy. Secret Service agents heard a rumor that Tomory was Loudon's messenger, but so far they have established no connection between the two men. "Count" Loudon, when asked in the Tombs Prison yesterday whether he had ever had dealings with Eugene Tomory, replied:

"No such name is known to me." It was learned that Eugene Tomory, before sailing from New York, lived in rooms which he rented from Mrs. Blanche Haskins, at 146 West Eighty-second Street. Mrs. Haskins said yesterday that he was about 24 years old, and that she believed he had been employed as a clerk in the Austrian Consulate at 24 State Street. She said he was a man of very quiet habits, and talked very little. She received a post card from him recently, sending her his compliments as an "old boarder," and stating that he was on his way to Vienna.

At the Department of Justice yesterday it was stated that the New York Amsterdam, before sailing, was very carefully searched for a man in connection with another matter. Tomory assumed an ingenious disguise, according to the information received by agents of the Department of Justice. It is said this same disguise enabled him to escape detection when the ship was searched by the English authorities at Plymouth.

Alexander Nuber, the Austro-Hungarian Consul General in this city, said last night that Eugene Tomory was employed in the Consulate. He said the young Austrian's duties were of a minor character. He could not say whether Tomory was in America or in Europe at the present time. The Consul General laughed at the suggestion that Tomory had ever been employed to carry messages from Count von Bernstorff or Dr. Dumba to their home Governments. "That is ridiculous," said Captain Nuber. "He was only a \$12 a week clerk."

So far as Count Loudon is concerned, the officials of the Department of Justice intend to leave the disposition of his case to District Attorney Perkins. The "Count" failed to obtain bail yesterday, but his lawyers said he would have Loudon out of the Tombs early this week.

A dispatch received yesterday from Aurora, Ill., contains a statement from Thomas Dunham, a manufacturer of automobile supplies, who had dealings with Loudon in Buffalo in 1914, that he had been an intimate friend of Loudon and, with Mrs. Dunham, often visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loudon at Fort Erie.

"The Mrs. Loudon my wife and I met in 1913," Mr. Dunham said, "was a handsome woman, about 29 years old. She said her parents were Swedish people, who brought her to Mexico, where her father went into business. She met Mr. Loudon in the United States."

Of the three women who claim to be wives of the Count, his present wife, Talia Florence Jansen, whom he married in 1911, would correspond to Mr. Dunham's description. "Mr. Loudon was an inventor of military equipment," said Mr. Dunham, "and about two years ago was hired by Buffalo capitalists in the manufacture of a self-lighting lantern to be used by sentries."

"My father, John Dunham, who lived next door to Mr. Loudon at Fort Erie and who is in close touch with the military authorities, writes me that the Count has been accused by Canadians of being a spy."

Mr. Dunham said the "Count" was a colonel of American volunteers during the Spanish-American War, serving with Colonel Roosevelt. He said Loudon was also honorary colonel of the Seventy-fourth New York National Guard.

Canal Ship Forced to Return Cargo.

The Panama-Pacific liner Finland, which returned last night from Colon because of the stoppage in the canal, will discharge the 12,000 tons of cargo she carried away on Sept. 25 for San Francisco, and load for London. The officers said that the Panama Railroad did not have the facilities for handling big cargoes, and they had to bring the freight back. The Finland will leave at 11 p. m. on Sunday under the American Line flag for London, and will carry first, second, and third class passengers, calling either at Plymouth or Plymouth.

The Korea and Siberia will be put on this service when they get to London from San Francisco.

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David Blaphem's Benvenuto play will not be presented this afternoon. The performance, at first scheduled for the Harris Theatre and later withdrawn on account of the objection raised by the Sabbath Society, then transferred to the Church of the Messiah, has been ruled out by the trustees of the church, and the playlet will not be produced on Sunday at all.

The Rev. Dr. John Haynes Holmes, pastor of the church, and David Blaphem issued a joint statement last night in which they said:

"In spite of their best endeavors, Dr. Holmes and Mr. Blaphem have found the technical provisions of a ridiculous law to be insuperable and therefore the only performances of 'Adelaide' will be given at the Harris Theatre on the afternoons of Oct. 21, 22, 23, and 24." The church trustees met yesterday to consider the Sunday law and William S. Miller, Acting Chairman of the board, later called Dr. Holmes and told him that the trustees thought it inadvisable to have the production in the church.

NEW ASTOR MARKET OPENS TO BIG TRADE

Stallholders Surprised by Size of the Crowd and Liberality of the Buying.

USUAL PRICES CUT A TRIFLE

Robert W. Goellet May Establish Similar Institution in Park Avenue—Vincent Astor Pleased.

Large crowds attended the opening of Vincent Astor's new market in the block in Broadway, at Ninety-fifth Street, yesterday.

It was a buying crowd of prosperous-looking people and stallholders were sur-

prised by the first day's business. The management, which undertakes to deliver all goods, had two wagons at hand, but hired five more soon after the market opened. A butcher said that, besides fruits and vegetables, he took in \$700 in \$400.

Prices were a trifle below the average along Broadway in the neighborhood. A woman who lives near-by said she intended to shop regularly at the market because she could buy everything under one roof. Another woman who came in a black car said she could do so as well as her home stores and that the market's advantages were not worth the time and expense.

Food dealers in the neighborhood apparently are not much disturbed, and several offered wagers that the market would not be in existence a year. They pointed to the failures of other markets and said New York people did not care enough about saving a few cents to travel far.

The management of the market points out, however, that with the low rates charged the market men can make lower prices than stores. A butcher's stall rents for \$1,000 a year. Stalls facing the street range from \$1,000 to \$1,500, while smaller stalls in the rear bring from \$500 to \$600. Light and cleaning are free, and ice is furnished at \$3 a ton. There were rumors among dealers along Broadway yesterday that the

market building had been designed so that it could be readily transformed into a garage. The idea was denied by the builder, James MacWaters, who explained the rumor by the fact that Mr. Astor had intended to build a garage on the site before the idea of a market came to him.

Robert W. Goellet, who visited the market on Friday, said he was much pleased with the idea, and that he might build one on land he holds in Park Avenue, near the Grand Central Terminal. Mr. Astor visited the market in the morning. He was gratified with the way the public took to the scheme, and with the display of dealers.

The market will be open from 7 A. M. until 8 P. M., except on Saturdays, when it will remain open until 11.

Church 250 Years Old.

The Dutch Reformed Church at Fort Richmond, S. I., will begin the celebration of the 250th anniversary of the founding of the congregation today. There will be a Sunday School rally in the morning, followed by a sermon by the Rev. Cornelius Brett, pastor of the Bergen Reformed Church, Jersey City. On Thursday Mayor Mitchell and President McAnany of the Board of Aldermen will speak. The first church building was erected in 1680. This was burned just after the Revolutionary War, and the present church building was then erected.

LIGGETT CO. TO BUY RIKER & HEGEMAN

George J. Whelan Arranges Sale of Controlling Interest in 90 Drug Stores.

UNITED DRUG CO. PURCHASER

Plan Calls for Same Terms to Minority Stockholders as to Selling Majority.

Transfer of the controlling interest in the Riker & Hegeman Company, which owns about ninety drug stores in the leading cities of the East, to the United Drug Company, was arranged for yesterday by George J.

Whelan and his associates. The deal comprises an exchange of Riker & Hegeman stock for stock of the United Drug Company, and minority stockholders will have the opportunity of securing the same terms as the majority. A special meeting of Riker & Hegeman stockholders will be called in a few days to ratify the agreement, which has to have the consent of 75 per cent. of the shareholders before the Riker & Hegeman system can become a part of the United Drug Company.

The arrangement made by Mr. Whelan with Louis K. Liggett, head of the United Drug Company, calls for the exchange of \$100 in common and \$45 in second preferred 6 per cent. stock of the United for each \$100 share of common stock of the Riker & Hegeman Company. The Corporation of Riker & Hegeman Stock owns \$4,300,000 of the \$8,460,000 common stock of the Riker & Hegeman Company, but has none of the drug concern's preferred shares. This is a company under the domination of the Whelan group that built up the United Drug Stores Company.

Owners of Riker & Hegeman preferred stock will receive \$100 of 7 per cent. stock will first preferred stock for

each \$100 of Riker & Hegeman stock. The Riker & Hegeman preferred stock pays 6 per cent. dividends yearly, and that the exchange will bring a higher return to stockholders. At the present time the United Drug common stock pays 8 per cent. dividend, against 6 per cent. paid by the Riker & Hegeman Company.

The plan calls for a change in the capitalization of the United Drug Company, which at the present time has no second preferred stock. The company has authorized capital of \$20,000,000, equally divided between preferred and common, of which \$2,774,000 of the former and \$4,883,000 of the latter is outstanding.

The United Drug Company was incorporated in Massachusetts in 1911 primarily for the manufacture of drugs, toilet articles, etc., but was later extended to include a large retail business. The Louis K. Liggett Company, which operates sixty retail stores in the United States and Canada, was taken in and a Canadian manufacturing branch was organized a few years ago.

Louis K. Liggett is one of the best known drug men in the country. George J. Whelan was recently quoted as saying that Mr. Liggett and his fellow officers that Mr. Liggett was the most efficient factors in the drug industry of North America. It was learned yesterday that the change of control, if it occurs, will not affect the operating forces of either company.

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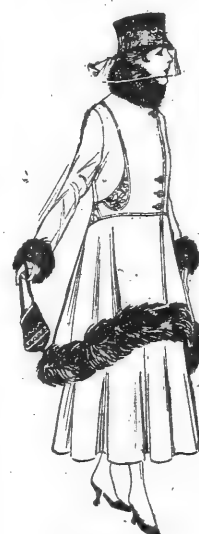
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Newest Cream Shadow-Lace-and-Chiffon Blouses at \$2.98

Made over chiffon; broad bands of filet lace; and hemstitched. Lace cuffs.

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The combination of quality and price is an irresistible one. Perfect matching assured by experts in attendance.

At \$2.45 Gray or White Switches, 18 inches long
At \$3.45 Gray or White Switches, 20 inches long
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The almost daily advance in the cost of fine skins makes this special offering particularly important

Women's Hudson Seal Coats

(dyed muskrat)

remarkable at \$125.00

Three-quarters length with fine skunk collar, cuffs and deep border around bottom of the skirt.

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Exceptionally Fine Cross Fox Sets, very specially priced at \$90.00

Red Fox Scarfs, \$22.50; Muffs.....\$25.00

Black Fox " \$22.50; "\$27.50

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Natural Lynx Sets, special at.....\$39.50

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Changeable street shades in a fine quality of taffeta; flounce trimmed with cluster tucking, two narrow ruffles and a band of fur.

Silk Petticoats that wear splendidly

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All the desired street shades, including changeable silk and solid colors.

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Washable Satin Bodices at \$1.00
Lace-trimmed yoke; front and back alike.

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Three remarkable Special Values in Women's Richly Fur-trimmed Coats

None of the Coats can be duplicated at anywhere near these prices when the present special offering is exhausted

Coats of Salt's "Sealette," special at \$39.50

Three-quarters length, belted model, full sweep. Large collar and band at bottom of natural raccoon or skunk opossum. Lined throughout with peau de cygne and warmly interlined.

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Seven-eighths length, full-belted model, choker collar and cuffs and bottom of Coat luxuriantly trimmed with skunk opossum. Lined throughout with peau de cygne and warmly interlined. Black only.

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Russian blouse and ripple effects, liberally trimmed with beaver, skunk, natural opossum, raccoon or Hudson seal. Splendidly tailored in chiffon broadcloth, wool velours or whipcords. Black and newest Fall shades; 14 to 18.

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ALL NATIONS AGREE AS TO CARRANZA

The Pan-American Conference, Called for Tomorrow, May Decide for Recognition at Once.

VILLA REPORTED KILLED

Story of Execution by His Own Men Reaches Border, but is Denied by Secretary.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—All of the Latin-American Governments whose diplomatic representatives participated in the Pan-American conference with Secretary of State Lansing have given their approval to the plan devised by the conference in favor of the recognition of the Carranza faction as the de facto government in Mexico.

As a result of the receipt of the responses made by Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Bolivia, Uruguay, and Guatemala, Secretary Lansing has called a meeting of the Pan-American conference members for 3 o'clock on Monday. It will be the fifth and the final meeting of the members of the conference, before the formal recognition of the Carranza Government is extended. Recognition will probably be proclaimed next week.

The impression is strong that formal announcement of recognition of the Carranza Government will be made immediately after Monday's meeting.

Secretary of State Lansing, in his statement, but explained that the purpose of the conference was to devise the ways and means of extending recognition.

It is understood that Señor Eliseo Arrando, the Carranza agent in Washington, will be present on Monday. It is probable that the recognition will take the form of a note to Señor Arrando.

After Monday's conference Señor Arrando will go to the Mexican border to confer with General Carranza and to inform him of the decision of the United States and the Latin-American nations.

When after the notification of recognition is presented to General Carranza the United States Government, it is understood that the Government will be in a position to take the necessary steps to the shipment of munitions of war from this country to the Government that has been recognized. This will be expected to materially aid the new Government in crushing opposition and restoring law and order.

The Carranza agency here received today a cablegram from Jesús Acuña, Carranza's Foreign Minister, saying the Carranza Government had received a cablegram with several thousand men, had offered to surrender to General Carranza if amnesty were granted to them.

AGAIN REPORT VILLA SLAIN.

But Story of His Death Lacks Confirmation.

EL PASO, Oct. 16.—Reports have been current here all day that General Francisco Villa, chief of the Conventionist forces in Mexico, had been arrested by his own men at Casas Grandes, convicted and put to death, but the reports could not be confirmed here today. Messages from General Villa in his private code were received at Juarez at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Late tonight a cablegram had been received and court martialed came from Casas Grandes, in a message, signed by Colonel Silva, Military Secretary to General Villa.

Another official message from the Villa Headquarters confirmed the report of the death of General Villa.

A Mexican passenger from Casas Grandes arriving Thursday night, was said to have brought the first story of Villa's death, but his story became public only late yesterday, when it received apparent confirmation from an American arrival, who said he had been so informed by a railroad employee.

The report that General Roldofo Pío was dead was received last night over the military wires from Casas Grandes. It was said that General Pío had been drowned while fording a river.

Pío was the Villista who sprang into prominence at the death of William Benton, a British subject, at Juarez, two years ago. Benton's death, which has never been satisfactorily explained, has been laid to Pío, Villa's bodyguard.

During one of Villa's critical battles.

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Later Pío became notorious as an executioner. One of his exploits, as reported from the battlefield, was the shooting of more than 300 prisoners taken in battle. He is reported to have killed the men as they stood in a row and as rapidly as the aid could feed him.

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Oct. 16.—General P. E. Carranza, Carranza's commander at Agua Prieta, said today he had been notified that General Villa was en route from Casas Grandes to Sonora. He believes his information is correct.

MONTEREY HAILS CARRANZA.

First Chief Warmly Welcomed by Big Northern City.

MONTEREY, Mexico, Oct. 16.—This city, capital and metropolis of the State of Nuevo Leon, warmly welcomed General Venustiano Carranza, who with a large party of military and political leaders is making a tour of Northern Mexico.

Carranza was entertained by the civil authorities. An open-air carnival was given here last night in his honor.

General Carranza will visit Saltillo before moving west to Torreon.

It is reported that the big refinery here will resume operations within a few days. The smelter is likely to open next March.

VILLISTAS ASK AMNESTY.

Among Applicants is the Former Convention President, Chazaro.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. MEXICO CITY, Oct. 16.—Several members of the convention that supported Villa in his revolt against Carranza sent a representative today from the town of Salazar to General Pablo Gonzalez requesting amnesty.

Among the applicants was Francisco Chazaro, who at one time figured as a Conventionist President.

Gonzalez sent word to make an individual written application.

WON'T ASK DUTY ON WOOL.

Country Emerging into Better Times, Says Secretary McAdoo.

DENVER, Colo., Oct. 16.—William Gibbs McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury, accompanied by Mrs. McAdoo, spent an hour here today on their trip to the Pacific Coast.

"The National Treasury is in better shape than for some time," said Secretary McAdoo, "and we are emerging into better times. While it has been necessary to recommend retaining the duty on sugar and it is probable emergency legislation will be needed to provide revenue, yet conditions everywhere are on an upward movement. I have no intention of making any recommendation that the duty on wool be continued.

Commerce was completely disorganized at the beginning of the European war. Captains of industry from all parts of the Union were asked to come to the White House, and as a result business has been wonderfully improved. The passage of the Federal Reserve Bank law has liberated business from a strait-jacket with a decidedly beneficial effect in expanding commerce.

The immense trade we are now getting from South America will be lost to us after the war is over unless we take some means to retain it. Part of this has been done in the establishment of agencies through the Federal Reserve act, and now the next step is the building of American ships to carry and hold this trade."

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SAYS GUIDED HAND SIGNED BAIRD WILL

Testator Unconscious and on His Death Bed, Brother Avers in Starting Contest.

LEFT ESTATE TO HIS WIFE

Lawyer Hopkins Denies That She Had Him Direct Dying Husband's Signature.

SPECIAL TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 16.—The assertion that the hand of Charles T. Parry Baird of this city and Paris was guided in making his will less than an hour before he died in New York on Jan. 16 last was made in a petition filed in the Orphans' Court today by W. Mercer Baird, only brother and next of kin of the decedent and a grandson of Charles T. Parry, deceased, one-time head of the Baldwin Locomotive Works. At the time Mr. Baird signed the will he is alleged to have been unconscious in Hahnemann Hospital.

The will, which has been probated in this city, bears the date of Jan. 16, 1915, and is signed "Charles T. Parry Baird" and again with an X, which appears to represent the testator's mark in place of his full signature. This peculiarity, according to W. Mercer Baird, is due to the fact that James E. Hopkins, a New York lawyer, at the direction of Marguerite J. Baird, a sister of the decedent, who is named in the will as the wife of the decedent and to whom is bequeathed by its terms the entire estate of \$100,000, guided the hand of the testator.

To procure this much of the signature, it is alleged, the paper was placed upon a pillow of the bed and a pen placed in the decedent's hand. His performance is alleged to have taken place fifty minutes before the death of the testator, and while he was unconscious and unable to comprehend the meaning of a testamentary act. He had been in a state of semi-consciousness, according to the petition, for twelve hours immediately preceding his death.

The decedent had come to New York on a visit shortly before his death. He was at the time of his death at the Hotel Marlborough, near Paris. He was stricken with an acute attack of appendicitis, from which he died a week after he was taken ill.

The woman referred to in the will as the wife of the decedent is not known to the petitioner, although the legality of her marriage to the testator is not questioned in the petition. It is said she is of French birth and resides at Lima, Peru, or many years having been his heir to the trust estate left by his grandfather, Charles T. Parry.

Marguerite J. Baird was also named in the will as executrix, but to facilitate settlement of the estate, part of which is in the form of real estate in this city, she nominated Attorney Frederic R. Couderc of New York as administrator. Letters of administration were granted to him when the will was probated recently by the Register of Wills of this city.

Mr. Couderc has also acted as administrator of the petitioner, W. Mercer Baird, insofar as the latter's share in his grandfather's estate is concerned. Judge Oest today awarded citation directed to Mr. Couderc and Marguerite J. Baird, commanding them to show cause why the petitioner's appeal from the decision of the Register of Wills in

admitting the alleged fraudulent writing to probate, should not be sustained.

The petitioner is owner of the Baldwin Hotel at Beach Haven, N. J., and makes his home in this city.

Mr. Hopkins Denies Charges.

James E. Hopkins of the firm of Couderc Brothers, 2 Rector Street, denied last night at his home, 4280 Broadway, the charges made in the suit brought by W. Mercer Baird. He said Charles T. Parry Baird, when lying in the Hahnemann Hospital, sent for the will which he had drawn at Philadelphia some time previously.

Mr. Hopkins said he had read the will to Mr. Baird in the presence of Dr. Henry B. Safford of 238 Central Park West, and Mr. Baird said he was satisfied with it and asked to sign it.

Mr. Baird started to sign it, but was seized with sinking spell while he was writing his name. Later, Mr. Hopkins said, the sick man rallied, but it was explained to him that it was not necessary for him to make the exertion of signing the document and that it would be enough for him to make the cross.

Mr. Hopkins said that he held but did not guide the hand of Mr. Baird when he made the cross. He said that he did not aid Mr. Baird in any way when he made the first attempt to sign his name.

Mr. Baird, while he lived in Paris, had employed the branch of Couderc Brothers there as his counsel, and so called upon the same firm when he was ill in this country.

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NO BID FOR "BROOKHOLT."

Real Estate Men Balk at \$100,000 for Mrs. Belmont's Place.

There were no bidders yesterday for "Brookholt," the country place of Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, near Hempstead, L. I., when it was put up at auction, although a number of real estate dealers had come prepared to buy. Auctioneer Joseph P. Day announced at the outset that no bid under \$100,000 would be considered.

"Brookholt" is a thirty-acre tract with a five three-story mansion, hot-houses, flower bed, fruit trees, sunken Italian gardens, and artificial lake. It was originally improved by Mrs. Belmont at a cost of more than \$300,000.

Some years ago Mrs. Belmont entertained her daughter, the Duchess of Marlborough, there. Three years ago she set aside a part of the property for a colony of "farmers," little from the east side, who went to "Brookholt" to the height of the elements of agriculture. After one season this project was abandoned.

It was decided to sell the place, and the Duchess of Marlborough moved to a new country place near Great Neck. Most of the furnishings of "Brookholt" were auctioned yesterday at low prices to New York dealers.

New French Classes at Columbia. The fall term of the free French classes, sponsored by the Alliance Française in co-operation with Columbia University in Kent Hall, on Columbia Heights, will begin tomorrow. The instruction is given by French teachers and is of a practical character. The beginning class meets on Tuesday and Friday evenings at 7:30 o'clock, in Room 401, Kent Hall. Another class for students who have made some progress in French is held on Monday and Thursday evenings at 8:20 o'clock.

EMINENT CITIZENS JOIN PATRIOT BAND

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act. The next will be held in Philadelphia, at the home of Mrs. Edward T. Stotesbury, on Jan. 7, and meantime Mr. Stotesbury is working to get the Pennsylvania Department of Education and the University of Pennsylvania enlisted in the campaign and to extend the plan of the issuance of Americanization alphas.

The members of the National Americanization Committee are Mary Antin, Robert Bacon, Nicholas Murray Butler, Richard Campbell, P. P. Claxton, R. T. Crane, 3d, Henry P. Davidson, Coleman du Pont, Thomas A. Edison, Howard Elliott, John H. Fahy, Maurice Felt, John H. Finley, David R. Francis, Elbert H. Gary, James Cardinal Gibbons, Myron T. Herrick, Clarence H. Godwin, John Grier Hibben, Henry L. Higginson, Frederic C. Howe, Clarence H. Ingersoll, Dr. Abraham Jacoby, Judge Manuel Levine, Clarence H. Mackay, C. H. Merckham, Alfred E. Marling, Wyndham Meredith, George von L. Meyer, John Mitchell, A. J. Montague, John H. Mott, Samuel R. Newland, William C. Sanders, Jacob H. Schiff, Bishop Thomas Sheahan, Melville E. Stone, Mrs. William C. Story, William H. Truesdale, Rodman Wanamaker, S. Davies Warfield, Charles B. Warren, Benjamin Ide Wheeler, and General Leonard Wood.

Staff officers and Executive Committee are Frank Trumbull, Chairman; Percy R. Fyne, 2d, Mrs. Edward T. Stotesbury, Alfred E. Marling, Vincent Astor, Miss A. Keller, Peter Roberts, Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Felix M. Warburg, and William Fellows Morgan.

Ethical Culture Services. Regular Sunday morning services of the Society for Ethical Culture will be resumed this morning at 11 o'clock in the Meeting House, Sixty-fourth Street and Central Park West. Dr. Felix Adler, president, and Alfred W. Martin, will address the society on "The Deeper Meaning of the Moral Life," contrasting Plato's view with that of the Apostles. Next Sunday Mr. Martin will speak on "International Morality and the Cessation of War."

Chinese Girl Runs Hotel Lounge. The first Chinese woman to be employed in a New York hotel is in charge of the lounge at the Hotel Claridge. She is Miss Alice Lee, who, though of Oriental parentage, was born in Mott Street. Miss Lee attended the Washington Irving High School and speaks and reads Chinese as fluently as English.

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NOT A WILSON ANNOYER.

Belgian Visitor's Interest Cost Him Dearly in Baltimore.

Dispatches received from Baltimore last Sunday told of how Joseph Pruijk, a Belgian, was stopped by police and detectives at the door of the Franklin Street Presbyterian Church, where President Wilson was attending service. Yesterday Mr. Pruijk, who is a member of the Brussels Chamber of Commerce, a sociologist, and former Secretary of a charitable institution in Brussels, and is touring America to gather material for a book and as an agent of the Oeuvre du Vêtement des Soldats Belges, a war relief work, told a Times reporter that the widely spread story of his being taken for a suspicious character was due to a reporter in Baltimore who misrepresented the circumstances.

"I had never seen the President," said Mr. Pruijk, "and was anxious to get a glimpse of him, so I went to the church door where I was stopped by a policeman who asked me what I wanted. I told him I wanted to see the President, and he said that I was not to go in. I was then taken to the President's room, where I showed him my personal card, my 1914 card of the Touring Club of Belgium, several news-

paper cuttings and a number of letters; then a detective came up and I had to explain to him—I even had to tell him what my Baedeker was and why I carried it.

But when they had talked to me they said that it was all right; that I could go in. By that time, though, I had given up the idea, and so went to the Cathedral. A reporter for a Baltimore paper who was at the church door talked to me, and I told him who I was, explained the circumstances, and begged that he mention the Oeuvre du Vêtement des Soldats Belges if he mentioned the matter at all. Imagine my surprise when I saw what the papers said about me."

DEAN DELANEY HERE TODAY.

Will Join Staff of Church of St. Mary the Virgin.

The Very Rev. Selden P. Delaney, who has just relinquished his post as Dean of All Saints Cathedral, Milwaukee, to join the staff of the Protestant Episcopal Church of St. Mary the Virgin, in this city, is expected here today. He will not actually be in residence until Nov. 1.

Dean Delaney is one of the best known of the younger clergy of the high church element in the West. He was born in Fond du Lac, Wis., forty years ago, and was graduated from Harvard University and the Western Theological Seminary in Chicago. He is considered an able and progressive organizer in religious work and is an eloquent preacher.

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India and Ceylon, per lb. pkg. .50 .60 1 1/2 lb. pkg. .28 .35

CHURCH OPPOSITION HALTS GARY PLAN

Board of Education Hesitates to
Adopt Religious Feature
for Public Schools.

CITY CLUB DEBATES SYSTEM

Program to Remedy Part-Time Evil
May Be Ready for the Board of
Education Next Friday.

The Gary "work, study and play school" system and the feasibility of adopting it on a wholesale scale in this city were warmly debated at a meeting of the City Club yesterday afternoon. On account of the recent attacks of churchmen, aimed particularly at the religious feature of the Gary or Wirt plan, a great deal of attention was paid to this feature in the discussion.

These attacks have caused the Board of Education to hesitate in adopting the plan. This fact was brought out in the discussion by John Martin, a member of the Board, who is the Chairman of its Vocational Committee.

Superintendent William Wirt of Gary, Ind., who was brought to New York by Mayor Mitchell to install the Gary plan, outlined the system. His idea was that the weekly instruction of the Sunday schools should be supplemented by daily religious instruction for public school children and that the churches of all denominations should supply the religious teachers instead of calling on the public school teachers to give this instruction in addition to their regular work. The children should be sent from school to the churches for this instruction, he said.

"This question is fraught with danger," said Mr. Martin, who is an advocate of the Gary plan in the main, "but I think I can speak with authority for the School Board regarding it at the present time. It is my opinion that unless the opposition to this feature of the Gary plan disappears, the Board of Education will not be justified in going ahead with that part of the plan. It is, after all, a matter for the parents to decide, so that the board can go ahead without the possibility of encountering the charge that it is encouraging one sect at the expense of another."

The Board of Education expects to

have its plans for remedying the part-time evil ready to submit to the Board of Education by Friday night, Mr. Martin said. The plan is to extend the Gary system throughout the city. Mr. Martin said there were 40,000 school children obliged to submit to the part-time plan, and 90,000 were on the "Extinguish double session system," which was devised in 1904 by Dr. William L. Eitinger, the Associate Superintendent of Schools, to help solve the part-time problem.

Dr. Eitinger criticized some of the theories advanced by Professor Wirt yesterday, but said most emphasis on the argument that the Gary system should not be adopted on a wholesale scale in New York until it had had a more complete trial at the public schools in the Bronx where it has been put into effect. "My one fundamental interest is to make the city the best place in the world to rear children," Professor Wirt said. "Play is a very essential part of a child's education, and work is equally important. The Gary plan is simply a plan to give the child a chance to play and work along the most advantageous lines while studying."

Director Howard W. Nudd of the Public Education Association supported the Wirt idea and advocated extending it at once throughout the public school system. He said the idea had made it necessary to have "an individual seat for every pupil." This theory, it was said, had made it necessary to run under the old school system to make such large demands on the Board of Education for new schools every year.

The Wirt supporters argued that the same classrooms could be used by different classes during the year. William E. Grady and Angelo Partl, Principals, respectively, of public schools run under the Eitinger and Wirt plans, spoke briefly, each championing the system under which he taught.

SWEAR OFF 97 PER CENT.

Of \$7,190,800 Assessment of 111 Persons, \$218,350 Remains.

The Tax Commissioners examined yesterday 111 persons who had been tentatively assessed for the 1916 personal property tax at \$7,190,800. The examiners were able to hold but nineteen for a final assessment of \$218,350. Yesterday's examinations bring the total of those who have been examined since the board was opened to 1,500 on a tentative assessment of \$122,401,400. Of this number only 247 have been held for a final assessment of \$1,648,000.

Among the examinations made yesterday by Tax Commissioner White was the assessment of the executors of the estate of Eleanor L. S. Leach. Albert B. Bondin of 130 Broadway appeared as one of the executors. The estate is tentatively assessed at \$1,000,000. The examination showed that the estate consisted largely of unmarketable stocks, but there were taxable securities and money to the amount of \$104,000. Two-thirds of the entire estate is taxable here, and after deducting legal debts the local executor was held for an assessment on \$108,000. The other executors are the United States Trust Company of New York City and Donald Harper of Paris.

ARMENIAN LEADERS ANSWER DJELAL BEY

Call Turkish Consul's Denial of
Atrocities a Mass of
Inaccuracies.

EXPLAIN FIGHTING AT VAN

Say Christians There Acted in Self-
Defense—Protest Meeting To-
day at the Century Theatre.

Dr. M. Simbad Gabriel, President of the Armenian General Inquisitorial Association, the leading Armenian organization in the United States, and Arshag D. Mahdesian of the Society of Armenians in America, issued replies yesterday to the statement made to Times last week by Djelal Munir Bey, the Turkish Consul General in New York, who branded as a fabrication the report made by the American Committee on Armenian Atrocities, and added whatever measures the Turks had been compelled to take against the Armenians were due to the hostile activities of the latter.

Mr. Mahdesian said that the Consul General's statement was a mass of inaccuracies, and was "a feeble effort on the part of Djelal Bey to prove his countrymen guiltless of the most terrible atrocities committed against a whole race of people in centuries."

"One statement that Djelal Bey makes," said Mr. Mahdesian, "and which he knows to be inaccurate, is when he refers to a visit to Van made by Noel Buxton, M. P., in which he gives the reader of his statement to understand that Mr. Buxton visited the city of Van after the present war started, and as he puts it, attempted to start a revolution against the Turkish Government. The visit he so cleverly cites as a justification for what has happened occurred many months before the war started in the early part of 1914, and nobody knows that better than does Djelal Bey. Of course Mr. Buxton never tried to start any uprising before the war, during the war or at any other time."

Why Names Were Not Made Public.

"Then again Djelal Bey asks why the committee, on which are such men as Bishop Greer, Cardinal Gibbons, Rabbi Wise, Oscar S. Straus, and Cleveland H. Dodge, did not give the names of the people who had reported to them concerning the atrocities the Turks are now committing against the Armenians in the Ottoman Empire. Well, I will tell him. It was because the committee knew that if they did Djelal Bey would cable all the names to Turkey, and that

would mean the death or the torture of every person named.

"Horrible" as were the disclosures made in the report of the Atrocities Committee it did not disclose by any means all of the horrors of the present situation. For instance, it did not tell of the mutilation of young girls, the cutting up of their bodies, and the strapping up in the market places of the poor remains of their bodies, with signs on the limbs and torsos marked "for metallic per pound."

"And furthermore, that report did not state that the Turkish order to bombard the 'dirty Armenian' quarter of Van was signed by an officer with a German name and that the bombardment was directed principally against the Armenian section and the reserve Turkish troops, after the recapture of the city, not by the Turkish troops, but by the revolutionists with gloved hands."

"Such is the Consul's argument. It would be worth listening to if it were not horribly twisted to suit his case. The fact is that the Turks had already inaugurated the new reign of terror and massacre in the province of Van, and Van was compelled by the course of 'harrowing events' to resort to self-defense. Other towns and villages had surrendered their arms, believing in the pledges of Turkish authorities that they would not be molested, and had been put treacherously to the sword. The revolutionists stepped until the Turkish troops began to attack them and bombard their quarters, not sparing even the houses of the American missionaries."

"If some Armenians in a city like Trebizond were of the suspected elements, they might be removed 'into the interior of the country' to such provinces as Sivas and Harput, which are situated in the very interior of Asia Minor, but why should all the 10,000 Armenians of Trebizond be evicted from their houses, and even then why should they be men, women, and children, dumped into the Black Sea? The Italian Consul was an eyewitness of this inconceivable savagery. Who dares to deny it? Ambassador Morgenthau telegraphed from Constantinople that the majority of the Armenians in Turkey have been killed. Would the Ambassador say so if he was not convinced of the certainty of the fact?"

"How many does that majority mean? At least 500,000. That is the number mentioned in the latest reports, and is a very conservative figure. Everything that is being done to save the number of victims is over one million."

Delegations from more than a thou-

sand churches and religious organizations will attend the mass meeting to be held today at the Century Theatre as a protest against the massacre of Armenians by the Turks. They will represent all denominations.

It was announced yesterday that Cardinal Farley had officially designated Mr. Leavelle, rector of St. Patrick's Cathedral, to represent him at the meeting. Some of the speakers are missionaries and travelers who have just arrived from the scene of the massacre. Other speakers will be W. Bourke Cockran, Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, and Dr. James L. Barton of Boston. Hamilton Holt will preside.

ARMENIANS THANK WILSON.

Students Deliver Message of Gratitude to American Consul.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 16.—John A. Ray, the American Consul at Odessa, was visited today by a deputation of Armenian students attending the University of Odessa, says a special dispatch from the American Consul at Odessa. The students expressed their gratitude to the Consul for the advocacy of their cause in Turkey by the American Government.

ORDER TO EXAMINE HUNTER.

Court Grants Plea in Lawyer's Wife's Divorce Suit.

Supreme Court Justice Ford signed an order yesterday directing the examination on Oct. 26 of Frederick William Hunter, a lawyer, before the trial of the suit of Annie Belleville Hunter for divorce. Hunter has a suit pending against John Barrett Kerfoot, a critic and author, for \$50,000 for the alleged alienation of the affections of Mrs. Hunter. The two men were chum at Columbia in 1881 and the friendship grew closer when Mr. Kerfoot married Mrs. Hunter's sister in 1886. His wife died a year later.

In his answer to the alienation suit Mr. Kerfoot said that Hunter had destroyed his wife's affections by harsh and tyrannical conduct.

Mrs. Hunter's application for the order was based on an alleged adventure in a New Orleans hotel. She said that when her husband returned from the trip South she sent a representative to New Orleans to investigate. A photograph of the hotel register showed the signature of Mr. Hunter and just below it the name of a woman written, it was alleged, by Mr. Hunter.

Ryan Assault Charge Dropped.

Following the withdrawal of Stephen Anton's complaint against Clendenin Ryan, son of Thomas Fortune Ryan, who Anton alleged struck him in the face early last Tuesday morning, Magistrate Levy in the West Farms Court yesterday dismissed the charge. Ryan was not in court. The alleged assault took place in front of a cafe in West Fordham street after Ryan had taken a hat which did not belong to him and which Anton said he would not return. The assault and during the latter part of the week the committee will go up-State, probably to Buffalo.

MILLS COMMITTEE AT WORK ON LAWS

Will Incorporate Some Tax Sug-
gestions Into Bills for
Introduction.

FAVOR SMALL INCOME LEVY

Committee Convinced That Present
Personal Tax Law Is
Unworkable.

Members of the Mills Legislative Committee, which has been holding hearings in the rooms of the Merchants' Association in the Woolworth Building for the last two weeks in an endeavor to solve the State tax situation, held a secret session yesterday at the home of Senator Ogden L. Mills, the Chairman, to put into shape the principal suggestions already made by the many witnesses. Ultimately some of the suggestions will take the shape of bills and amendments to the present laws.

The committee is convinced that the present personal property tax is unworkable and that some other form of taxation will have to take its place. Whether the substitute is to be an income tax, a tax on habitation, or a classified and limited form of personal tax none of the members would say. Nearly every witness examined has strongly urged a State income tax. Some have suggested that it be applied to incomes as low as \$500, while others are in favor of a tax of 1 per cent. on incomes above \$2,500. It is known that the majority of the members of the committee lean strongly to the latter proposal.

The question of putting a stiff tax on mercantile corporations doing business in the State was also considered by the committee, but Chairman Mills said nothing definite had been decided on. "The committee at its executive session today," said Senator Mills, "decided to have the principal suggestions as to possible substitutes for the personal property tax put into the shape of definite bills and amendments to the present law. We hope to make our tentative plans public in the early part of November and to hold further hearings both in New York and in the principal up-State cities."

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High and Low Episcopalians to

Fight Out the Issue at
Meeting Oct. 26.

PRELATE DENOUNCES IDEA

Forbids Catholics to Take Part in
Congress for Evangelizing
of Latin America.

Discussion in the Protestant Episcopal Church between the High and Low parties on the question of whether the Board of Missions should reverse its decision to send delegates to the Panama conference on the evangelization of Latin America has reached an acute stage. The final clash will come on Tuesday, Oct. 26, when the ritualistic wing will demand at a meeting of the board that no delegates be dispatched to the Pan-Protestant gathering at the isthmus next February on the ground that the sending of delegates would be a direct insult to the Roman Church.

In a pastoral letter of the Catholic Bishop of Panama, a translation of which has just reached this city, he prohibits "under penalty of mortal sin all Catholics subject to our jurisdiction to assist at the sessions of the proposed Protestant Congress." Under his influence, the President of Panama, according to dispatches, has withdrawn consent for the use of the National Theatre for the conference.

The current number of The Living Church, the avowed organ of the ritualists, puts the issue squarely before communicants, whether it would not be well, if the board appointed delegates for the Church to declare its independence of the board. In other words, it would sweep the board out of office.

Opposed by Dr. Manning. The leader of the forces against the appointment of delegates is the Rev. Dr. William T. Manning, rector of Trinity Church. The Very Rev. William M. Grosvenor, Dean of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, yesterday granted an interview in which he espoused the side of the board, and expressed the hope that the way would be clear for the Roman Catholics to join with the Protestants in the work for Central and South America. The official name of the conference is now the Congress for Christian Work, the word missionary having been dropped out of deference to the Roman Catholics, when criticisms were hurled against the policy of the organization.

The Living Church in its leading editorial says that the denunciation by the Roman Catholic Bishop of Panama supports the view which John Barrett of the Bureau of Latin American Republics and others had taken with respect to the effect which the "Panama movement" might have on Latin America. It asserts that this conference will do more harm than the Pan-American Bureau will be able to overcome for years.

"It may indeed be said," the editorial states, "that American citizens cannot be shut out of Panama by this protest of a Roman Catholic Bishop. But, as it is, by the President of the United States, of course, they cannot, but most of us do not care to propagate our religion by an appeal to force, and it is enough for us to know simply that for the purposes that have been advertised, we are not wanted in Panama, nor wanted very likely in Latin America as a whole. Let it be remembered that the City of Panama is not in the Canal Zone; the United States has no control over it whatever. Neither do we care to appeal to the United States Navy to overawe our youngest neighbor among the nations."

The Panama Bishop says in his pastoral letter that "without doubt these Protestants consider the Republic of Panama as something which belongs to them, where they can come to hold meetings, congresses, conventions, at will, as they might in any part of the United States, taking possession of our public buildings for their purposes."

"Of what will the congress treat? Why, of 'Christian work,' that is to say, of our evangelization, for, according to them, we are ignorant of our morals! In their conception, we are outcasts. They would place us in the road of civilization, for to them we wander in the darkness of heathenism."

"We, in fulfillment of our pastoral duty and in the use of our authority, formally prohibit, under penalty of mortal sin, all Catholics subject to our jurisdiction to assist at the sessions of the proposed Protestant congress, even though it should be from curiosity."

There are those, said Dean Grosvenor last evening, "who think that this movement might be regarded as an intrusion into another country which, for many generations has been Catholic and is today largely so. The Roman Catholic Church cannot reasonably object to other bodies coming into so large a country as South America. The Roman Catholic Church claims a worldwide dominion, for its missionary activities go everywhere. It sends missionaries to countries more or less remote, members of the Eastern Church, the church of Russia and Greece. It also establishes missions in England and in all British colonies and in other countries presumably Protestant, such as Scotland and Scandinavia."

South America must expect to have within its borders people of different religions, and the sending of missionaries of Protestant Churches is an intrusion, while the use of our authority, then the criticism should be based on the fact that we have established missions in South America, and that we are the fact that we confer with other Christian bodies."

George Zabriske, discussing the "acute dissension," as he calls it, in the current number of The Churchman, maintains the board.

The Roman Catholics declare Franciscan monks came over to this continent with Columbus, and that in South America for more than four centuries there has been an unceasing effort on their part to spread the Christian religion. The Executive Committee of the congress is conducting a well-organized propaganda from an office at Fifth Avenue. Many circulars are being sent throughout the country, and bulky reports and papers are being sent among prominent clergymen for discussion and criticism.

SMUTS ANSWERS OPPOSITION

Boer Minister Says Government is Ready for Armed Protest.

CAPE TOWN, Oct. 16.—In a campaign speech at Potchefstroom, Transvaal, General Jan O. Smuts, Minister of Interior, Mines and Defense of the South African Union, taking as his text the demand of the Nationalists in the recent electoral campaign that "Premier Botha and General Smuts must go," declared nothing would suit him better than a deliverance from the hell in which he had lived for two years, but that the Government would stand by the people in the end. He added:

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A tiny Gnome will precede the mannequins representing
The Spirit of All Fashions, past and present.

He has no name, no habitation. He speaks no language. His spirit is one of whimsy. He smiles, and the mauve of today's style changes to the rose of tomorrow's. He points but a finger at the tiny dolls which are his toys, and the world of Fashion changes. He will show you in pantomime the Spirit of All Fashions, Past and Present, that dominates this Fashion Show of country-wide fame.

The Mannequins Will Wear the Costumes. At 10.30 A. M. to 12 M. At 1.30 to 3 P. M. Eighth Floor

Gimbel-Paris

Millinery

\$6.75, \$8.75 and \$10

One specific example is the

\$10 High Crown Hat of Black Lyons Velvet (as illustrated.)

It is an exact copy of a French Hat, one of the very latest imported by us. The high peaked crown is encircled with broad black grosgrain ribbon, finished with bow.

Over 400 GIMBEL-Paris Hats in Our Medium-Price Room

Every Hat is a copy of an adaptation of French Hats and made by our own expert milliners.

Smart Tailleur Hats, \$5 to \$8.75

These are also made by our own milliners and of the very finest materials, the majority of which have been imported by us. These are displayed on the Third Floor, Thirty-third Street side.

Introducing the New "Hurlingham"

Men's Fall and Winter Overcoat, at \$30

This new model was created exclusively for GIMBEL BROTHERS by one of the greatest clothing manufacturers in America. Lined with the finest silk, hand-finished and double-breasted. It is a model suitable for the well-dressed man of any age. The new peaked lapel, the slight narrowing in at the waist line, and the new wide gussets in the skirt are individual touches. To be had in Oxford gray wools. Conceded to rank as

The Smartest Coat of the Season
Fourth Floor

New Arrivals! All Linen Bleached Damask Table Cloths

In several new designs for round and square tables. Bleached snow-white and imported by GIMBELS direct from Belfast.

70x70 inches...\$1.85 | 70x88 inches...\$2.45 | 70x106 inches...\$3.15

Napkins to match, 22x22 inch size, at \$2.75 a dozen.

\$2.75 Napkins (doz.), \$2. Damask, 95c Yd. Sheets, \$6 Pair (doz.), \$2. All linen, extra heavy bleached satin damask. Size 22x22 inches.

Hemmed and Hemstitched Bleached Huck Towels (doz.), \$3

Extraordinarily low in prices. Neat and attractive border effects. Size 19x36 inches.

Fine Madeira Work Hand embroidered and hand scalloped 12-piece Luncheon Sets, at (set) \$3.75.

Turkish Towel Specials Big, bleached, spongy, absorbent Towels; usually \$3.75; now (doz.) \$2.75. Second Floor

38c Silk-and-Cotton Wash Fabrics, at 28c yd.

In a complete range of charming and new shades for street and evening wear. Durable weaves and dainty designs, including the following:

Crepe de Chine Brocade Tussahs All are 36 inches wide.

Brocade Crepe de Chine Coin-Spot Tussahs Second Floor

Women's Suits and Frocks at \$22.50 to \$37.50

Frocks inspired by perhaps every fashion period of the past. Here a sleeve from this epoch, a collar, a bodice, a bit of drape from that give to the modes for 1915 an ensemble altogether new, different and charming.

From our complete new assortments have been chosen the Frocks and Suits pictured. The long Russian coat effect is of velvet, but the skirt and sleeves of satin; white satin collar and revers. Navy and black.

New Semi-Fitted Broadcloth Suits, \$37.50

This beautifully tailored suit features a straight panel front with rippling fullness at sides and back from a fitted upper. Full skirt set into a fitted yoke.

These are only suggestions from a most comprehensive showing of latest Autumn models in all the newest styles and colorings at \$25 to \$200. Third Floor



\$22.50 \$37.50

Room Size Wool Wilton Rugs, \$25 & \$33.50

Size 9x12 ft. Offered at Radical Reductions

This is only ONE of the extraordinary values provided in a great floor-covering Sale. In the smaller sizes, similar qualities are \$6.75 for the 36x63 in. size, and \$3.75 for the 27x54 in. size.

\$30 One-Piece Sanford Axminster \$20 \$23.50 Seamed Sanford Axminster Rugs, at \$17.50

\$8.50 and \$11.50 Hall Runners, Now Priced at \$6.25 and \$7.75

Whittall's Anglo-Persians Hardwick & Magee French Wiltons (Not Imitations) Sanford's Beauvais Axminsters

Size 22 1/2 x 36 inches \$4.50 Size 22 1/2 x 36 inches \$4.25 Size 27 x 54 inches \$6.75 Size 27 x 54 inches \$6.50 Size 36 x 63 inches \$10.00 Size 4 ft. 6 in. x 7 ft. 6 in. \$11.50 Size 4 ft. 6 in. x 7 ft. 6 in. \$11.50 Size 6 ft. 3 in. x 10 ft. 6 in. \$25.00 Size 6 ft. 3 in. x 10 ft. 6 in. \$25.00 Size 9 ft. x 12 ft. \$33.50 Size 9 ft. x 12 ft. \$33.50

A Wonderful Collection of Rich Oriental Rugs

Picked by our experts for their beauty and durability and including all the finest weaves of the Far East. Hearth size rugs, \$5 up. Carpets, \$75 up.

Carpets of Whittall, Alexander Smith and other fine makes

Whittall's \$3.25 Royal Wilton Carpets; yard, \$2.25. Whittall's \$2.50 Royal Carpets; yard, \$1.65.

Whittall's \$2.25 Oxford Carpets; yard, \$1.85. Whittall's \$2.25 Leicester Carpets; yard, \$1.65.

Smith's \$1.75 Wilton Velvets; yard, \$1.35. Smith's \$1.25 Wool Velvets; yard, \$1.10.

Inlaid, Printed, Battleship and Granite Linoleums

50c square yard for very special double width printed linoleum; slight defects.

75c square yard for fine quality inlaid linoleums, in very attractive designs.

95c square yard for the heavy quality of fine inlaid linoleum in new Fall patterns.

Sixth Floor

Ready Monday—A New Shipment of The Famous Wardrobe Trunks

1915 Model

Repeating the tremendous success of the first week of the "Fifth Birthday" Sales.

The response for the first sale was so unexpectedly generous that some sizes were quickly sold out. But now, through the co-operation of the makers of Innovation Trunks, we will be able to meet any demand made upon our resources.

All Regulation 45-Inch Size, New and Perfect, Men's and Women's Styles

With 6 arms and hangers, for men or women... \$15

With 10 arms and hangers, for men or women... \$17.50

Another style and hangers... \$28.50

A special model with 10 arms and hangers... \$35

Another great Innovation Trunk 10 arms and hangers... \$39.50

Special Note—GIMBELS is the only store in Greater New York where genuine Innovation Trunks are sold at these low prices during this sale.

Main and Fifth Floors

\$27.50 Austrian China Dinner Sets, \$19.50

Just off the steamer, in time for our Birthday Sale. Complete service of 100 pieces for 12 persons. Transparent China, with dainty decoration, each piece gilt and all handles with coin gold.

Fifth Floor

Library Furniture Reduced

Fine Pieces and Suites at 1/4 to 1/3 Less

Over a hundred different styles are involved in this under-price Fifth Birthday offering. Splendid designs and quality.

\$200 Leather 3-Piece Library Suites, \$150

All-over upholstered in American "Morocco" leather, in choice of several shades. Flat arms and loose cushion seats.

\$115 Mahogany Suites. Three pieces, covered in brown Spanish leather. At \$80.

\$65 Suites. Three pieces, covered in brown Spanish leather. At \$55.

\$95 Mahogany Suites. Three pieces, with velvet seats and cane panel back. At \$75.

\$225 Mahogany Suites. Three pieces, all-over upholstered in blue velvet. At \$175.

\$75 Tapestry Davenport. Six feet six inches long and with high back. At \$60.

\$95 Easy Chairs, covered in American "Morocco" leather. At \$65.

\$60 Settees, covered in brown Spanish leather. At \$40.

\$45 Easy Rockers, covered in green leather. At \$30.

\$40 Wing Chairs or Rockers, upholstered in tapestry. At \$25.

\$36 Arm Rockers, with loose cushion in back. At \$27.50.

\$20 Arm Chairs, tapestry covered, with wings and high back. At \$15.

Seventh Floor

\$1750 Worth of Beautiful Pyralin Ivory

1/3 Less

Mirrors, Hair Brushes, Clothes Brushes, Hat Brushes, Trays, Combs, Tooth Brush Holders, Talcum Powder Holders, Pin Boxes

Many handsome sets may be completed by selections from this lot. Subject to very slight imperfections, which are negligible.

Comb, Brush and Mirror Sets, French ivory finish; monogrammed without extra charge, \$5.

\$13.50 Du Barry Toilet Sets. 9 pieces—hair brush, comb, mirror, nail polisher, nail file, button hook, cuticle knife, Pomade box—monogrammed with initial, in Old English. \$8.

\$50 Nail Files, 10c. 50c Button Hooks, 10c. 50c Cuticle Knives, 10c. \$2 Clocks, \$1.25. \$1.50 Perfume Bottles, \$1.

\$1.50 Picture Frames, 1c. 75c Picture Frames, 50c. 75c Trays, 50c. \$2.50 Candle Holders, 5c.

Pyralin Ivory Manicure Articles

85c Nail Files, 10c. 50c Button Hooks, 10c. 50c Cuticle Knives, 10c. \$2 Clocks, \$1.25. \$1.50 Perfume Bottles, \$1.

Main Floor

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1915.

Sale of Oriental Rugs at 25% Less
MANY of Macy's finest Oriental Rugs are now reduced 25% in price. Kirman, Sarouk, Coravans, Mahals, Shirvans and many others are included. Come and inspect the wonderful rugs offered at this sale. Note the prices and remember that they are the "Lowest-in-the-City"—verified.
Macy's—Oriental Rug Bazar, Fourth Floor.

R. H. Macy & Co.'s Attractions Are Their Low Prices
Macy's
Herald Square, Broadway, 34th to 35th St.

A Great Sale of Drugs
THE event you've been waiting for—Macy's semi-annual Sale of Drugs—begins Wednesday and continues Thursday and Friday. Each of the hundreds of items included in this sale means a real saving—one that you cannot afford to overlook. Medicines—Chemicals—Toilet Articles—Druggists' Supplies—Imported and Domestic Toilet Ware. Wednesday, Thursday & Friday. Macy's—Main Floor, Rear.

Misses' Suits and Coats

Featuring New Style Phases

FEW suggestions from our Misses' Department; styles adapted to the requirements of the petite woman or the miss of 14 to 18 years. Cleverly fashioned of rich fabrics and moderately priced.

Corduroy Trousseau Suit, \$28.75
The illustration does not do justice to the clever, tailored lines of this suit. Belted coat, lined throughout with satin, jaunty pockets, skirt with shirred back and girdle. All suit shades.

Misses' Long Coat Suits, \$48.75
A very handsome model of Wool Velour in green and navy. The long coat is lined with satin striped silk, Chin-Chin collar, cuffs and pockets trimmed with bands of Hudson Seal. Wide belt of material, new shaped skirt. Sizes 14, 16 and 18 years.

Fur-Trimmed Corduroy Coats, \$17.74

Brown, green, navy or black, made of excellent quality wide wale corduroy; full silk lined and belted. Convertible collar of Natural Raccoon. Very smart model.

Macy's—Misses' Dept., Third Floor, 33th Street.



The Beaded Blouse

One of Fashion's Favorites

The vogue of Black and White dominates in this charming Blouse of White Georgette Crepe, ornamented with Jet Beads in novel design. Bound with silk braid and hemstitched. (Illustrated.) \$11.49

Georgette Crepe Blouse, \$8.74
Featuring the new woolen embroidery in artistic designs and harmonious colorings. Sailor collar, cuffs and front of Taffeta silk. Black, navy and brown.



A Tailleur Blouse of lustrous Taffeta Silk, in light and dark shades, is very effective with its Sailor Collar, Revers and Cuffs of eyelet embroidery. Price, \$4.89

Tailored Blouse, \$4.89
Satin Taffeta in checker-board design; convertible collar; fastens with two large pearl buttons. All suit shades.

Shadow Lace and Flesh color Chiffon combine to make a very handsome Blouse. Wide revers, yoke and collar of radium silk lace. Finished with bright colored ball buttons. \$5.49
Macy's—Third Floor, 34th Street.

Exclusive Modes in Dainty Lingerie

THE newest fancies of the hour are portrayed in these delightful undergarments of Crepe de Chine, Crepe Taffeta and Tub Satin, the fabrics sanctioned by fashion, the new "Redingote Combination" (described below) promises to be quite a favorite.

Envelope Chemises, \$1.89
Three styles of Crepe de Chine in flesh and white, one has elaborate yoke and shoulder straps of lace and net; a tailored model simply finished with hemstitching; and another effectively trimmed with cream shadow lace.

Envelope Chemises, \$3.89
Marguerite style of Crepe de Chine with hemstitched scallops finished with picot edge; another trimmed with rows of fine Val lace and pleated net frill around the bottom. Flesh and white.

Crepe Taffeta Envelope Chemises, \$4.89
A new model of lustrous quality silk, buttoned down the front, trimmed with rows of Val lace and hemstitching.

Combinations, \$2.89
Two styles in Crepe de Chine elaborately trimmed with rows of Val lace and lace medallions.
Combinations, \$4.89
Of Crepe de Chine in Redingote style, with pleated flounce, lace trimmed. Tiny bows. Flesh and white.

Combinations, \$3.89
"Redingote" model in plain tailored effect with pleated flounce and hemstitching.
Combinations, \$5.89
Crepe de Chine Princess model with elaborate lace trimming and embroidered organdy inserts.

Redingote Combination of Tub Satin, \$6.89
Bands of hemstitched Georgette Crepe at neck and bottom of pleated flounce trim this charming model. Shoulder straps of Crepe and ribbon.

Tub Satin Bloomers, reinforced; trimmed with rows of shirring and net. Special, \$2.89.
Macy's—Third Floor, Rear.

Sterling Qualities in Black Broadcloths

Attractively Priced

NO matter how many Gowns you may have in the new Autumn shades, there is always use for a handsome Black Broadcloth—it seems to suit any occasion. And the offerings scheduled here are typical Macy values.

54-inch Black Belgian Broadcloth (yd.), \$2.12
Macy's Usual Price \$2.49.
Sponged and shrunk; the correct weight for tailored costumes.

54-in. Imp. Black Chiffon Broadcloth (yd.), \$1.74
Macy's Usual Price \$1.98.
Rich, lustrous cloth sponged and shrunk, ready for the needle.

54-inch Black Costume Broadcloth (yd.), \$1.54
Macy's Usual Price \$1.79.
Desirable weight; sponged and shrunk.

48-inch Black Broadcloth (yd.), \$1.19
Macy's Usual Price \$1.44.
Pure worsted warp cloth in a rich, lustrous cloth.

Costume Corduroys in Autumn Colors
27 inches wide; street shades (yd.), 69c
27 inches wide; pastel and street shades (yd.), 76c
36 inches wide; street and pastel shades (yd.), 94c
Macy's—Second Floor, 33th Street.

Women's Handbags

"Made in America"

That Europe Might Well Envy

"MADE IN PARIS"—"made in Vienna." Hitherto the magic of these words has controlled the market for novelties in women's bags. But this year only a few samples have come from foreign centers, and American designers have had their first real opportunity to originate. The results are here—they are wonderful.

Not even those Old-World artisans—expert of eye and hand, with generations of skilled workmen behind them—have created things finer in workmanship, or more pleasing in conception. American workmen have evolved the first really successful departure from the stereotyped

metal frame. They have done things to celluloid that no man ever thought of doing before. They have glorified it—made it semi-transparent and tinted it to harmonize or contrast with miladi's richest fabrics. It is jade, shell or amber and other wanted colors—it is hand-engraved—it is inlaid with gold or silver or pearls.

Formerly all fine bead-work was done across the water. Now exquisite work is turned out in the little shops of our own City.

Bags of Velvet and Silk

are here in pouch, bracelet, and other shapes—with frames of sterling silver, French gilt, and the new celluloid. Some are studded with steel beads. All are exquisitely lined with broadcloth or striped silk, and variously outfitted—some with purses attached to chains.

A pouch bag of velvet, run through with a hair-line of gold, has French gilt frame and pale gold silk lining. Fitted with purse and mirror. \$14.89

A black velvet bag, with hand-engraved silver frame, lined with gold silk, and fitted with silk purse and mirror, is \$38.50

Leather and Suede Bags

Pin, long-grain seal and suede are the popular leathers this season. Dull seal is in especially high favor. In colors, browns, dark greens, and deep blues are chosen. Some of these leathers are so fine and soft that they lend themselves to shirring like silk.

One of these shirred bags, of pin seal, topped with a carved rose knob of real elephant ivory, exquisitely lined, and fitted with purse on chain and horseshoe mirror, is \$13.89

A pin seal bag with pleated gusset all around the outside has hand-decorated shell top and richly colored silk lining in Chinese design. This is \$14.89

Macy's—Main Floor.

Charming Draperies for Fall and Winter

AN unusual assortment of colors, patterns and materials in our Drapery Department. Suitable for hangings, furniture coverings, pillows and fancy articles at seasonable and reasonable prices are given in the following list:

50-in. Cotton Repps	for	46c	and	64c	the yd.
50-in. Figured Armure	for	54c	and	74c	the yd.
50-in. English Poplins	for	89c	the yd.		
50-in. Sunfast Shiki	for	98c	the yd.		
50-in. Sunfast Poplin	for	\$1.19	the yd.		
50-in. Sunfast Armure	for	\$1.49	and	\$1.59	the yd.
50-in. Cotton Velour	for	98c	the yd.		
50-in. Verdure Tapestry	for	\$1.29	and	\$4.49	the yd.
50-in. Silk Velour	for	\$2.89	to	\$4.96	the yd.

Our Own Importation of French Jute Velour Portieres

In plain colors of red, brown, green, rose, and blue, at \$16.24 the pair.

Marie Antoinette Lace Bed Sets

Hand made on a splendid quality of French cable net, white or Arabian, for \$7.89 the set.

Macy's—Fourth Floor.

Decorative Details for Miladi's Boudoir

PARTICULAR attention is directed to our re-modeled department for Boudoir Accessories and Art Needlework. A woman's personal room is generally the outward expression of her inner self. The Louis periods most frequently influence her choice, and among the following delectable luxuries and necessities will be found a charming tendency to the French school of decoration.

PILLOWS—Round, square, bolster-shaped, an infinite variety of styles. Copies of imported models in rich materials, as well as original designs. Prices range from \$2.97 to \$37.50. Our special pillow is a medium-sized, round pillow, in solid color silk with the double corded shirring on one side. In biscuit, reseda, old rose, and old blue. At \$2.97

PHOTOGRAPH FRAMES—Oval-shaped frames in heavy gold lace and decorated with hand-made silk rosebuds and a lover's knot of velvet ribbon. In all sizes, from the smallest at \$3.49 to the largest at \$9.94
A special group of very small frames similar to the larger ones range in price from 89c to \$2.49

A FULL LINE OF DOMESTIC brocade-covered articles for the dressing-table and boudoir writing table.

LAMP SHADES and CANDLE SHADES in all colors of silk, plain or shirred or trimmed in gold lace and silk flowers.

A visit to this department will convince you that its scope is wide and its equipment for meeting your requirements is complete.

Macy's—Third Floor.

Imported Carpets & Rugs at Remarkable Prices

THE world-famous mills of Scotland and England have sent us carpets and rugs that in beauty and weave really can only be compared to Orientals.

No adequate description of the wonderful colorings can be given here, nor can the surpassingly excellent weaves be fairly described. We believe these rugs and carpets include the best now being shown in New York without a single exception. We have priced them in strict proportion to the phenomenally low prices we paid for them.

Seamless French Weave Wiltons—Correctly regarded as the finest Wilton rugs made.
9 x 10 1/2 ft. \$71.80
9 x 12 ft. \$81.20
10 1/2 x 13 1/2 ft. \$109.00

Seamless Tapestry Brussels—Highest grade made. Incomparable for bedroom use.
7 1/2 x 9 ft. \$12.48
9 x 9 ft. \$14.48
9 x 10 1/2 ft. \$17.74
9 x 12 ft. \$19.89

French Weave Wiltons—Exquisite Old English designs, suited to dining room or living room.
27 in. x 64 in. \$6.48
4 ft. 8 x 7 ft. 6 \$19.48
6 ft. 9 x 9 ft. 6 \$35.20
8 ft. 9 x 10 ft. 6 \$53.20
9 ft. x 12 ft. \$78.50
11 ft. 3 x 13 ft. 6 \$85.50
11 ft. 3 x 15 ft. \$89.50

Seamless Axminsters—A very unusual rug. Patterns for all rooms.
24 in. x 54 in. \$1.99
29 in. x 60 in. \$2.74
34 in. x 66 in. \$3.49
39 in. x 72 in. \$4.24
44 in. x 78 in. \$4.99
49 in. x 84 in. \$5.74
54 in. x 90 in. \$6.49
59 in. x 96 in. \$7.24
64 in. x 102 in. \$7.99

ENGLISH WILTON VELVET Hall and Stair Carpets, \$1.48 yd. Beautiful Axminster Carpets at \$1.74 to \$3.24 yd.

Inlaid Linoleums

Better than any domestic linoleum made. Tile, block and parquetry effects. 98c to \$1.48 sq. yd.

Macy's—Fourth Floor.

Furs—Macy's Furs

BEFORE you buy your furs this year visit Macy's Fur Department. If you know values you will immediately appreciate the superior quality of our fur garments and fur sets. This is distinctly a fur season, and in some cases the prices have become almost prohibitive—but Macy's ever-alert foresight has provided against these exorbitant prices, and is prepared to meet the demand for Furs at the most reasonable prices.

Compare our furs with those sold in other reputable houses. Then compare the prices. You'll see then what cash buying means to YOU and what you can do with ready cash at Macy's.

CARACUL COATS—3/4 length, rippled back or semi-fitted models, contrasting collars in a variety of furs; broadcloth linings. \$69.75

BABY CARACUL COATS—3/4 length; several smart models, collars of skunk beaver, Australian opossum, broadcloth linings; made of flat moired skins. \$89.75

HUDSON SEAL COATS (dyed muskrat)—40-inch, rippled back models; made of selected skins, skunk collar, broadcloth linings. \$64.75

HUDSON SEAL COATS (dyed muskrat)—45-inch full flare models, new and decidedly handsome garments. \$74.75

HUDSON SEAL COATS (dyed muskrat)—3/4 length, semi-fitted, flare skirt models, with collar, cuffs and borders skunk trimmed. \$119.00

BLENDED SQUIRREL COATS—3/4 length, made of full furred skins of unusually fine quality. \$139.00

PERSIAN LAMB COATS—3/4 length, rippled back or semi-fitted models, made of selected skins; lustrous and silky; broadcloth linings. \$139.00

Matched Fur Sets

BLACK FOX SETS—Made of fine, silky skins; double fur boa and melon muff. \$39.75

NATURAL RACCOON SETS—3/4 double fur or lined scarf, with melon or pillow shaped muff. \$19.74

GENUINE SKUNK SETS—Smart double fur scarf and melon or pillow shaped muff. \$28.75

ROSE WOLF SETS—Long full animal scarfs of double fur and handsome melon muff trimmed to match. \$39.75

HUDSON SEAL SET (dyed muskrat)—Smart shaped scarf and novelty banded muff. \$34.75

RED FOX SET—Made of deep red full-furred skins; whole animal scarf and fancy melon muff. \$34.75

BAUM-MARTIN FOX SETS—Long, whole skin scarfs and smart novelty shaped muffs. \$34.75

BLACK LYNX SETS—Double fur animal scarfs and melon muffs. \$49.75

BLACK FOX SETS—Comprising long double fur scarf and smart melon muff. \$19.74

SEPIA FOX SETS—Full animal scarf and melon muff of excellent quality. \$69.75

BEAVER SETS—Smart Chin-Chin collar and melon muffs. \$39.75

A full and varied assortment of Women's Fur-lined Coats—proportionately low in price. Also fur trimmings in all furs, any width desired, at "Lowest-in-the-City" prices. Macy's—Third Floor.

BALTIMORE MAN FOR A. A. U. HEAD

George J. Turner Leads for Job of Directing America's Amateur Sports.

NO CHANCE FOR HUMPHREY

President of the Olympic Club Positively Will Not Accept the Position.

PAWLING ALSO A CANDIDATE

Philadelphia Man Has Been in the Running for This Post for Several Years.

As the time approaches for the annual convention of the Amateur Athletic Union, it is becoming more evident daily that there is certain to be a scramble for the position of President, which will be vacated by Alfred J. Lill, Jr., of Boston, who will retire this year after serving the customary two-year term. William F. Humphrey, of the Olympic Club, San Francisco, has flatly asserted that under no circumstances will he accept the nomination, which Justice Bartow S. Weeks, Frederick W. Rubien and others high up in the Amateur Athletic Union are trying to induce him to take. It has been repeatedly rumored that Humphrey would reconsider his refusal of the berth, but he stated yesterday that under no conditions would he be a candidate for the leading office of the A. A. U.

After Humphrey's stand became known three weeks ago, local athletic leaders turned their attention to George J. Turner, of Baltimore, present Third Vice President of the A. A. U., who is regarded highly throughout the East and wherever he is known.

The mastery manner in which Mr. Turner directed the national championships at Baltimore last year won for him the admiration of all who attended the sports, including the late James E. Sullivan, and with Humphrey out of the running by his own choice, Turner seems to have the best chance in the race for Lill's position.

Pittsburgh has come to the front with John Tom Taylor, long prominently connected with amateur sports, but it is believed here that Mr. Taylor is not anxious for the job and will retire in favor of Mr. Turner.

George F. Pawling, President of the Middle Atlantic Association of the A. A. U., will have to be strongly considered as a candidate, for if nothing else his campaign has lasted six months' start on all his prospective rivals. Mr. Pawling believes this is his year. He has waited some time for it to arrive. The Middle Atlantic President has been imbued with fighting spirit since he won a family squabble at the annual meeting of his association this year, and he will come to the Waldorf-Astoria next month prepared to make the best of his several struggles for the Presidency.

In local athletic circles there has been talk of raising Frederick W. Rubien from the position of Secretary-Treasurer to that of President of the A. A. U., but this move does not meet with the approval of Mr. Rubien or of those who believe he should be retained in his present capacity. He has filled the berth made vacant by the death of Mr. Sullivan to the satisfaction of all.

There are bound to be other candidates in addition to Turner and Pawling, but the chances are that these two will be the rivals when the actual voting takes place.

GILMORE DENIES RUMOR.

Federal League Not Seeking Peace with Organized Baseball.

The Federal League Club owners are not importuning any officials of organized baseball in an attempt to bring about peace, said President James A. Gilmore of the independent circuit, in a statement issued yesterday. Gilmore denied the reports that the Federal Leaguers had visited the world's series in any other capacity than that of spectators. He said there was a deep motive in the reports that were circulated to the effect that the Federal League was in distress and was making strong efforts to bring about peace.

Gilmore said that many of the players, who were in organized ball this season have not signed for 1916, and the reports that the Feds are seeking peace are being circulated with the intention of keeping these players from signing with the independent circuit. He said that it was ridiculous to suppose that the Federal League Club owners were attempting to reach an agreement with organized ball in regard to a salary limit for players. He said that the fact that the Feds were able to pay large salaries to players was one of the league's strongest weapons, and there was no intention of throwing it away.

President Gilmore said that the showing of the Federal League clubs in the West was satisfactory, and that the Feds were rapidly gaining in favor in that section of the country. With the establishment of a Federal League club in this city, Gilmore feels certain that the league will win popularity in the East.

McNamara Star "Pro" Golfer.

Without doubt, the most successful golfer professional in America this year is Tom McNamara of Boston. He is American-born and one of the triumvirate of celebrated home-breders, the other two being Brady and Holmstrom. It will be remembered that McNamara finished second in the open championship of the United States, which was played at Latmor, at which time his score of 298 for 72 holes was but a single stroke behind Jerome Travers, who won the title. He followed this up by capturing the open championship of Philadelphia at Philadelphia Club with 286 for 72 holes. McNamara went to Chicago and won the Western open title at the Glen Oak Country Club, returning a score of 304 strokes. Such a performance is one of unusual merit, for it will be seen that in the three big tournaments his total for 216 holes was 886 strokes, or an average of a little more than four strokes to the hole.

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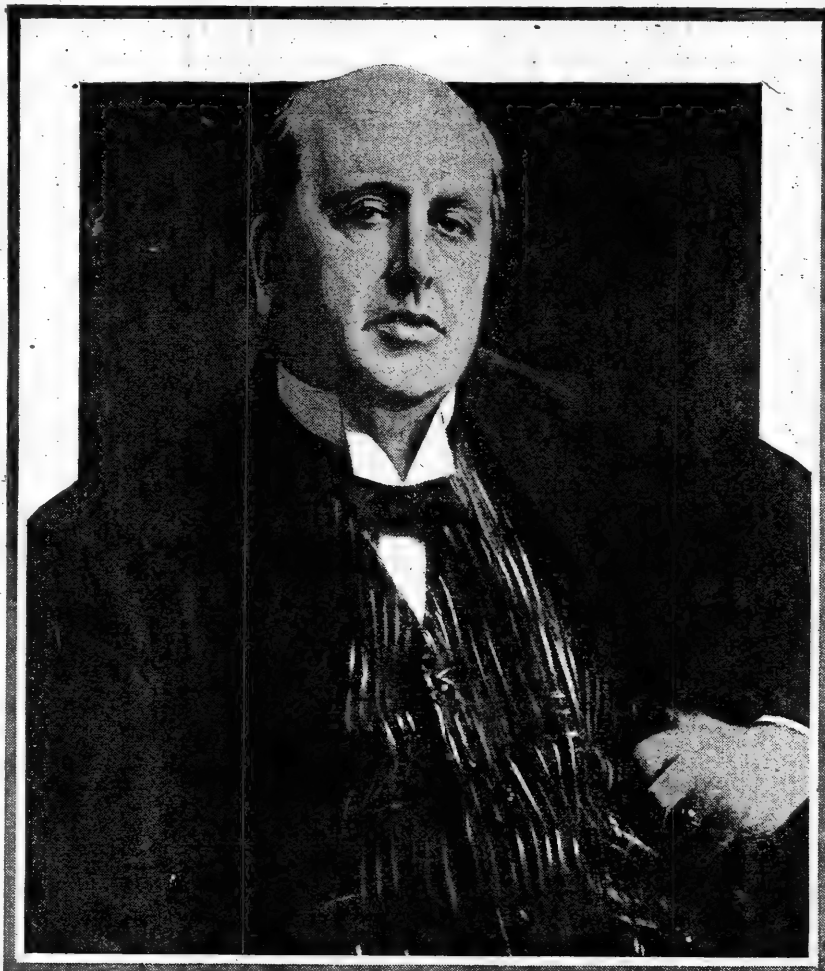
Noted Novelist Is Moved by the Interesting and Inspiring Work at Chelsea in Aid of the Belgians Driven from Their Native Country by the War

By Henry James

The following essay, although dealing with but one important phase of the great body of relief work, comes so to the core of national traits in their relation to the psychology of pity, that it ranks among the most important contributions to the pitiful literature of the war.

THIS is not a report on our so interesting and inspiring

Chelsea work since November last, in aid of the Belgians driven hither from their country by a violence of unprovoked invasion and ravage more appalling than has ever before overtaken a peaceful and industrious people; it is the simple statement of a neighbor and an observer deeply affected by the most tragic exhibition of national and civil prosperity and felicity suddenly subjected to bewildering outrage than it would have been possible to conceive. The case, as the generous American communities have shown they well understand, has had no analogue in the experience of our modern generations, no matter how far back we go; it has been recognized, in surpassing practical ways, as virtually the greatest public horror of our age, or of all the preceding, and one gratefully feels, in presence of so much done in direct mitigation of it, that its appeal to the pity and the indignation of the civilized world anticipated and transcended from the first all superfluity of argument. We live into, that is we learn to cultivate, possibilities of sympathy and reaches of beneficence very much as the stricken and the suffering themselves live into their dreadful history and explore and reveal its extent; and this admirable truth it is that unceasingly pleads with the intelligent, the fortunate, and the exempt not to consent in advance to any dull limitation of the helpful idea. The American people have surely a genius, of the most eminent kind, for withholding any



Henry James.

From a Portrait by John S. Sargent.

such consent and despising all such limits; and there is doubtless no remarked connection in which they have so shown the sympathetic imagination in free and fearless activity, that is, in high originality, as under the suggestion of the tragedy of Belgium.

The happy fact in this order is that the genius commits itself, always does so, by the mere act of self-betrayal; so that just to assume its infinite exercise is but to see how it must live above all on happy terms with itself. That is the impulse and the need which operate most fully, to our recognition, in any form of the American overflow of the excited social instinct; which circumstance, as

I make these remarks, seems to place under my feet a great firmness of confidence. That confidence rests on this clear suggestibility, to the American apprehension of any and every aspect of the particular moving truth; when these aspects are really presented, the response becomes but a matter of calculable spiritual health. Very wonderful, I think, that with a real presentation, as I call it, inevitably affected by the obstructive element of distance, of so considerable a social and personal disconnection, of the very violence done, for that matter, to credibility as well, the sense of relatedness to the awful story should so have emerged and so lucidly

insisted on its rights. To make that reflection indeed might well be to feel even here on our most congested ground no great apparatus of demonstration or evocation called for; in spite of which, however, I remind myself that as Reports and Tables are of the essence of our anxious duty, so they are rather more than less efficient when not altogether demudded of the atmosphere and the human motive that have conduced to their birth.

I have small warrant perhaps to say that atmospheres are communicable, but I can testify at least that they are breathable on the spot, to whatever effect of depression or of cheer, and I should go far, I feel, were I to attempt to register the full bitterness taste, by our Chelsea water-side, all these months, of the refugee element in our vital medium. (The sweet, as I strain a point perhaps to call it, inheres, to whatever distinguishability, in our hope of having really done something, verily done much: the bitter ineradicably seasons the consciousness, hopes and demonstrations and fond presumptions and all.) I need go no further, none the less, than the makeshift provisional gates of Crosby Hall, marvelous monument transplanted a few years since from the Bishopate quarter of the city to a part of the ancient suburban site of the garden of Sir Thomas More, and now serving with extraordinary beneficence as the most splendid of shelters for the homeless. This great private structure, though of the grandest civic character, dating from the fifteenth century and one of the noblest relics of the past that London could show, was held a few years back so to cumber the precious acre or more on which it stood that it was taken to pieces in the candid commercial interest and in order that the site it had so long sanctified should be converted to such uses as would stuff out still further the ideal

number of private pockets. Dismay and disgust were unable to save it: the most that could be done was to gather in with tenderness of care its innumerable constituent parts and convey them into safer conditions; where a sad defeated piety has been able to re-edify them into some semblance of the original majesty.

Strange: withal some of the turns of the whirligig of time; the priceless structure came down to the sound of lamentation, not to say of execration, and of the gnashing of teeth, and went up again before cold and disbelieving, quite despairing eyes; in spite of which history appears to have decided once more to cherish it and give a new consecration. It is in truth still magnificent; it lives again for our gratitude in its noblest particulars and the almost incomparable roof has orb'd all this Winter and Spring over a scene probably more interesting and certainly more pathetic than any that have ever drawn down its ancient face-off blessing.

The place has formed then the headquarters of the Chelsea circle of hospitality to the exiled, the broken and the bewildered, and if I may speak of having taken home the lesson of their state and the sense of their story it is by meeting them in the finest cult conditions conceivable that I have been able to do so. Hither, month after month and day after day the unfortunates have flocked, each afternoon, and here the comparatively exempt, almost ashamed of their exemption in presence of so much woe, have made them welcome to every form of snore and reassurance. Certain afternoons, each week, have worn the character of the huge comprehensive tea party, a fresh well-wisher discharging the social and financial cost of the fresh occasion—which has always festally profited, in addition, by the extraordinary command of musical accomplishment, the high standard of execution, that is the mark of the Belgian people. This exhibition of our splendid local resource has rested, of course, on a multitude of other resources, still local, but of a more intimate hospitality, little by little worked out and applied, and into the detail of which I may not here pretend to go beyond noting that they have been accountable for the large house and fed and clothed and generally protected and administered numbers, all provided for in Chelsea and its outer fringe, on which our scheme of sociability at Crosby Hall itself has up to now been able to draw. To have seen this scheme so long in operation has been to find it suggest many reflections, all of the most poignant and moving order; the foremost of which has, perhaps, had for its subject that never before can the wanton hand of history have descended upon a group of communities less expectant of public violence from without or less prepared for it and attuned to it.

The bewildered and amazed passivity of the Flemish civil population, the state as of people surprised by sudden ruffians, murderers, and thieves in the dead of night and hurled out, terrified and half clad, snatching at the few scant household goods nearest at hand, into a darkness mitigated but by flaring incendiary torches, this has been the experience stamped on our scores and scores of thousands, whose testimony to suffered dismay and despoliation, silence alone, the silence of vain uncontributive wonderment, has for the most part been able to express. Never was such a revelation of a deeply domestic, a rootedly domiciled and instinctively and separately clustered people, a mass of communities for which the sight of the home violated, the objects helping to form it projected and the cohesive family, the Belgian ideal of the constituted life, dismembered, disemboweled and shattered, had so supremely to represent the crack of doom and the end of everything. There have been days and days when under this particular impression the mere aspect and manner of our serried recipients of relief, something vague and inarticulate as in persons who have given up everything but patience and are living, from hour to hour, but in the immediate and the unexplained, has put on such a pathos as to make the heart sick. One has had just to translate any seated row of figures, thankful for warmth and light and coloring, for sustenance and human words and human looks, into terms that would exemplify some like exiled and huddled and charity-fed predicament for our superior selves, to feel our exposure to such a fate, our submission to it, our holding in the least together under it, darkly unthinkable.

Dim imaginations would at such moments interpose, a confused theory that even at the worst our adventurous habits, our imperial traditions, our general defiance of the superstition of domesticity would dash from our lips the cup of bitterness; from these it was at all events impossible not to come back to the consciousness that almost every creature there collected was indebted to our good offices for the means to come at all. I thought of our parents and children, our brothers and sisters, aligned in borrowed garments and settled to an as yet undetermined future of eleemosynary tea and buns, and I ask myself, doubtless to little purpose, either what grace of resignation or what clamor of protest we should, beneath the same star, be noted as substituting for the inveterate Belgian decency.

I can only profess at once that the sense of this last, round about one, was at certain hours, when the music and the chant of consolation rose in the stillness from our improvised stage at the end of the great hall, a thing to cloud with tears any pair of eyes lifted to our sublime saved roof in thanks for its vast comprehension. Questions of exhibited type, questions as to a range of form and tradition, a measure of sensibility and activity, not our own, dwindled and died before the gross fact of our having here an example of such a world tragedy as we supposed Europe had outlived, and that nothing at all therefore mattered but that we should bravely and handsomely hold up our quite heavy enough end of it.

It is because we have responded in this degree to the call unprecipitated that we are, in common with a vast number of organizations scattered through these islands, qualified to claim that no small part of the inspiration to our enormous act of welcome resides in the moral interest it yields. One can indeed be certain of such a source of profit but in the degree in which one has found one's self personally drawing upon it; yet it is obvious that we are not treated every day to the disclosure of a national character, a national temperament and type, conformed for the time to their plainest and stoutest features and set, on a prodigious scale, in all the relief that the strongest alien air and alien conditions can give them. Great salience, in such a case, do all collective idiosyncrasies acquire—upon the fullest enumeration of which, however, as the Belgian instance, and the British atmosphere combine to represent them, I may not now embark, prepossessed wholly as I am with the more generally significant social stamp and human aspect so revealed, and with the quality derived from these things by the multiplied examples that help us to take them in. This feeling that our visitors illustrate above all the close and comfortable household life, with every implication of a seated and saturated practice of it, practice of the intimate and private and personal, the securely sensual and genial arts that flow from it, has been by itself the key to a plenitude of observation and in particular to as much friendly searching insight as one could desire to enjoy.

The moving, the lacerating thing is the fashion after which such a reading of the native elements, once adopted, has been as a light flaring into every obscurest retreat, as well as upon any puzzling ambiguity, of the state of shock of the rational character under the infamy of the outrage put upon it. That they of all people the most given over to local and patriarchal beatitude among the admirable and the cherished objects handed down to them by their so interesting history on every spot where its action has been thickest—that is on every inch, so to speak, of their teeming territory—should find themselves identified with the most shamelessly cynical public act of which the civilized world at this hour retains the memory, is a fact truly representing the exquisite in the horrible; so peculiarly addressed has been their fate to the desecration of ideals that had fairly become breath of their lungs and flesh of their flesh. Oh! The installed and ensconced, the immemorably edified and arranged, the thoroughly furnished and provided and nourished people!—not in the least besotted or relaxed in their security and density, like the self smothered society of the ancient world upon which the earlier Romans and Vandals poured down, but capdilly complacent and admirably intelligent in their care for their living tradition, and only so off their guard as to have consciously set the example of this care to all such as had once smoked with

them their wondrous pipe of peace. Almost any posture of stupefaction would have been conceivable in the shaken victims of this delusion; I can speak best, however, but of what I have already glanced at, that temperamental weight of their fall which has again and again, at sight of many of them gathered together, made the considering heart as heavy for them as if it too had for the time been worsted.

However, it would take me far to tell of half the penetrating admonitions, whether of the dazed or of the roused appearance, that have for so long almost in like degree made our attention ache; I think of particular faces, in the whole connection, when I want most to remember—since to remember always, and never, never to forget, is a prescription shining before us like a possible light of dawn; faces saying such things in their silence, or in their speech of quite different matters, as to make the only thinkable comment or response some word or some gesture of reprove to dumb or to dissimulated anguish. Blessed be the power that has given to civilized men the appreciation of the face—such an immeasurable sphere of exercise—for it has this monstrous trial of the peoples come to supply. Such histories, such a record of moral experience, of emotion convulsively suppressed, as one meets in some of them, and this even if on the whole one has been able to think of these special allies, all sustainingly, much rather as the sturdiest than as the most demonstrative of sufferers. I have in these rapid remarks to reduce my many impressions to the fewest, but must even thus spare one of them for commemoration of the admirable east of working countenance we are rewarded by the sight of wherever we turn amid the quantity of helpful service and all the fruitful industries that we have been able to start and that keep themselves going.

These are the lights in the picture, and who indeed would wish that the lights themselves should be anything less than tragic? The strong young men (no young men are familiarly stronger), mutilated, amputated, dismembered in penalty for their defense of their soil against the horde and now engaged at Crosby Hall in the making of handloom socks, to whom I pay an occasional visit much more for my own cheer, I apprehend, than for theirs, express so in their honest concentration under difficulties the actual and general value of their people that just to be in their presence is a blast renewal of faith. Excellent, exemplary, in this manly, homely, handy type, grave in its somewhat strained attention, but as once lighted to the briefest, sincerest humor of protest by any direct reference to the general cruelty of its misfortune. Anything but unaggressive, the range of the "quiet" physiognomy when one feels the consciousness behind it not to have run thin. Thick and strong is the good Flemish sense of life and all its functions—which fact is responsible for no empty and really unmodulated "mug."

I am afraid at the same time that if the various ways of being bad are beyond our reckoning, the condition and the action of exemplary goodness tend rather to reduce to a certain rich unity of appearance those marked by them, however dissociated from each other such persons may have been by race and education. Otherwise what tribute shouldn't I be moved to pay to the gentlemen of Flanders to whom the specially improvised craftsmen I have just mentioned owe their training and their inspiration!—through his having, in his proscribed and denuded state, mastered the craft in order to recruit them to it and, in fine, so far as my observation has been concerned, exhibit clear human virtue, courage and patience and the humility of sought fellowship in privation, with an unconscious beauty that I should be ashamed in this connection not to have noted publicly. I scarce know what such a "personality" as his suggests to me if not that we had all, on our good Chelsea ground, best take up and cherish as directly and intimately as possible every scrap of our community with our gentlemen of Flanders. I make such a point as this, at the same time, to remember how, almost wherever I have tried sustainably to turn, my imagination and my intelligence have been quickened, and to recognize in particular, for that matter, that this couldn't possibly be more the case for them than in visiting a certain hotel in one of our comparatively contracted but amply de-

cent local Squares—riverside Chelsea having, of course, its own urban identity in the multitudinous County of London; which, in itself as happy an example, doubtless, of the hostel smoothly working as one need cite, placed me in grateful relation with a lady, one of the victims of her country's convulsion and in charge of the establishment I allude to, whom simply to "meet," as we say, is to learn how singular a dignity, how clear a distinction, may shine in active fortitude and economic self-effacement under an all but crushing catastrophe.

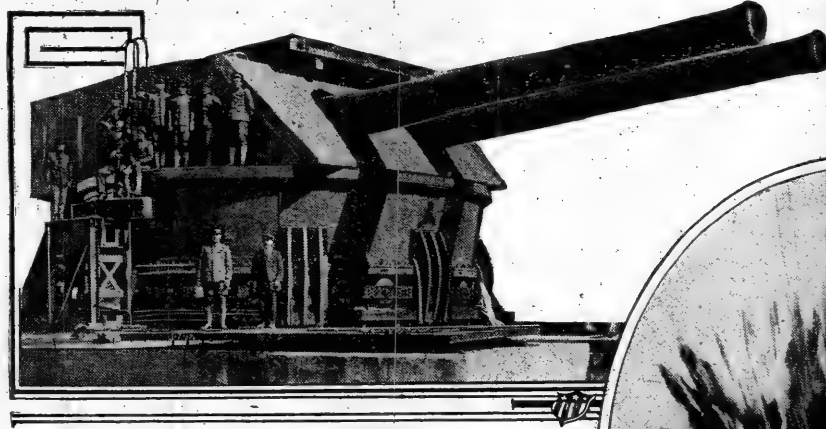
"Talk about faces!" I could but privately ejaculate as I gathered the senses of all that this one represented in the way of natural nobleness and sweetness, a whole past acquaintance with letters and art and taste, insisting on their present restrictedness to bare sisterly service.

The proud rigor of association with pressing service alone, with absolutely nothing else, the bare commodious house, so otherwise known to me of old and now, like most of our hostels if I am not mistaken, the most unconditional of loans from its relinquishing owner; the lingering look of ancient peace in the precincts, an element I had already as I passed and repassed, at the afternoon hour, found somehow not at all dispelled by the presence in the central green garden itself of sundry, maimed and hobbling and staling convalescents from an extemporized small hospital close at hand, their battered khaki replaced by like uniformity of the loose light blue, and friendly talk with them through the rails of their inclosure as blessed to one participant at least as friendly talk with them always and everywhere is; such were the hovering elements of an impression in which the mind had yet mainly to yield to that haunting force on the part of our waiting prospectors which never consent to be long denied. The proof of which universally recognized power of their spell amid us is indeed that they have led me so far with a whole side of my plan for them still unspoken.

This, however, I hope on another occasion to come back to, and I am caught meanwhile by my memory of how the note of this conviction was struck for me, with extraordinary force, many months ago and in the first flush of recognition of what the fate that had overtaken our earliest tidings of arrival and appeal really meant—meant so that all fuller acquaintance, since pursued, has but piled one congruous reality after another upon the horror. It was in September, in a tiny Sussex town which I had not quitted since the outbreak of the war, and here the advent of our first handful of fugitives before the warning of Louvain and Aerschott and Termonde and Dinant had just been announced. Our small hilltop city, covering the steep sides of the compact pedestal crowned by its great church, had reserved a refuge at its highest point, and we had waited all day, from occasional train to train, for the moment at which we should attest our hospitality. It came at last, but late in the evening, when a vague outside rumor called me to my doorstep, where the unforgettable impression at once assaulted me. Up the precipitous little street that led from the station, over the old grass-grown cobbles, where vehicles rarely pass, came the pattering procession of the homeless and their comforting, their almost clinging entertainers, who seemed to hurry them on as in a sort of overflow of expression or fever of charity. It was swift and eager, in the Autumn darkness and under the flare of a single lamp—with no vociferation and but for a woman's voice scarce a sound save the shuffle of mounting feet and the thick-drawn breath of emotion.

The note I except, however, was that of a young mother carrying her small child and surrounded by these who bore her on and on, almost lifting her as they went together. The resonance through our immemorial old street of her sobbing and sobbing cry was the voice itself of history; it brought home to me more things than I could then quite take the measure of, and these just because it expressed for her not direct anguish, but the incredibility, as we should say, of honest assured protection. Months have elapsed, and from having been then one of a few hundred she is now one of scores and scores of thousands; yet her cry is still in my ears, whether to speak most of what she had lately or what she actually felt, and it plays to my own sense, as a great fitful tragic light over the dark exposure of her people.

Testing Uncle Sam's Big Guns at Sandy Hook



Fourteen-Inch Coast Defense Turret with a Range of Twenty-one Miles.

FORTY-THREE earth tremors—at least that was the sensation created—were felt along the Jersey coast from the Highlands to Asbury Park a few days ago. Each was the aftermath of the discharge of a giant 12-inch gun at the United States Army proving grounds on Sandy Hook, and on each of these forty-three occasions, when a 1,000-pound projectile was hurled seaward to a distance of about twelve miles, a board of experts from the Ordnance Department of the regular army noted something that will be of value when in the near future the improvement of the defensive situation of the United States gets under way.

And every day something like what took place last week happens at Sandy Hook, the one piece of ground in this part of the world where even American citizens have to be vouched for before they are permitted to visit it.

The proving grounds at Sandy Hook, famous wherever the art of war is studied, is as interesting an establishment as there is to be found in all America. There about one dozen picked officers, every one of them an expert in matters pertaining to guns of all sizes, kinds and degrees, mortars, explosives, mines, and other ordnance things in general, are constantly on duty. Under them are about seventy enlisted men, specially trained in one or more branches of what is perhaps the most intricate and scientific branch of the United States Army, with the possible exception of the engineers.

A few days ago a representative of THE NEW YORK TIMES was permitted to visit the proving grounds. He witnessed the firing of one of the shots in the great forty-three test now under way. He viewed an acre of projectiles ranging in size from the 2,400-pound monsters of the 16-inch gun to the little death-dealing shrapnel shells of the 3-inch variety. He saw the great Manila turret, in which two 14-inch guns are mounted all ready for dissembling, and which within a few weeks will be started on its long journey to Manila, where it will become the most important unit in the defensive scheme, for the protection of our great Far Eastern port.

Likewise THE TIMES man saw the latest creation in 12-inch mortar ordnance. He saw a dainty-looking 3-inch gun destined to throw shrapnel, which experts believe is to prove a world wonder in efficiency. He saw the portable 4-inch guns that are going to Panama, and a newly mounted gun of the 3-inch type which it is hoped will go a long way toward simplifying the problem of defense from aerial attacks. He saw one of the new 7-inch howitzers destined for the use of the field artillery arm of the service. And, last of all, he looked down into a great concrete hole as big as the recent cave-in on Broadway, which is to form the emplacement of the giant 16-inch gun that is soon to arrive at Sandy Hook for a series of tests as important as any conducted in the army in years.

These were just a few of the things THE TIMES man saw. It is not permissible to go into great detail concern-

ing what goes on at Sandy Hook, but in this instance THE TIMES can give to the public, in whose interests these brilliant men at the Hook are working, some of the details of what its representative saw during a day at the noisiest, busiest place on the Atlantic seaboard.

In the first place, it should be pointed out that ordnance officers of our army are among those who are convinced that the day of the giant gun, the high explosive, and the little shrapnel has come, and that it has come for a long stay. Big shells, charged with the most destructive of high explosives, such as, for instance, the great 42-centimeter projectiles used by the Germans and those used in howitzers and field pieces of lesser calibre, are absolute essentials in every modern and properly equipped army.

In the old days, before intrenching became a science and when men fought in the open and made war as nearly as it was possible to make it, "a stand-up-and-take-it" affair, the shrapnel was supreme. But today all has changed, and when an army "digs in" the shrapnel is of no use until that army is "dug out," or, to express it more correctly, blown out with the big shells charged with high explosives. And the bigger the shell and the more powerful the explosive charge the better. Blow up the trench, and the survivors, if they wish to continue to survive, have got to get out. Then comes the time for shrapnel.

"Blow him out with a high explosive charged shell, and when he comes out welcome him with a rain of shrapnel," is the way one of the ordnance experts of the French Army recently expressed the situation created by the new trench warfare.

At Sandy Hook this problem of big shell and high explosive is constantly a matter of study and experimentation. Near the proving battery—and of this battery something will be said later on—there stands on end a great piece of metal five and one-half feet from base to apex. It weighs 2,400 pounds and carries an explosive charge that is about 12 per cent. of the total weight.

The explosive—and this is independent of the propelling charge—is generally what is known among men of the ordnance arm as "T. N. T." which is the easy way of designating a terrible explosive compound, the tech-

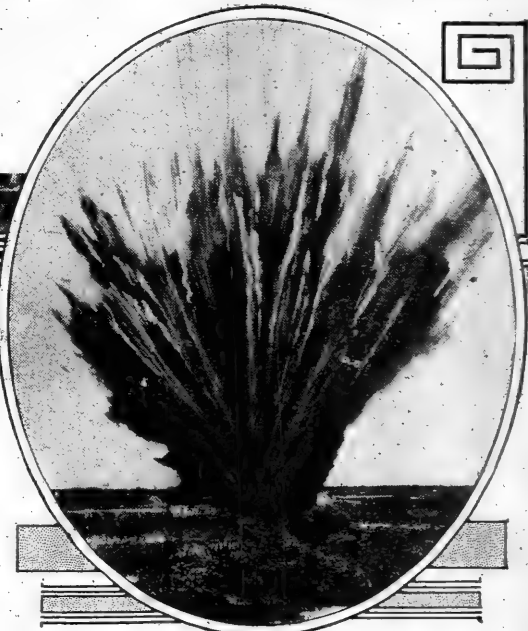
nical name of which is Trinitrotoluol. This new giant shell, which is about the same size or perhaps a trifle larger than the great projectiles hurled from the German 42-centimeter howitzers, has been developed to practical perfection by the ordnance officers at Sandy Hook.

The 16-inch gun from which this projectile is fired is also the work of the ordnance experts of our army. There is no greater gun at present in the world, although there is reason to believe that a greater is coming, and will probably originate on this side of the water. It may be of a calibre of anywhere from 18 to 24 inches. But that is another story, and time alone can tell it.

In about three weeks the second 16-inch gun to be tried out at the proving grounds on Sandy Hook is due to arrive. As already stated, the great concrete foundation is ready to receive the 285,000-pound monster. These new guns can hurl a 2,400-pound projectile more than twenty miles, and to do it there is needed a propelling charge of nearly 650 pounds of the finest possible grade of smokeless powder.

One of these projectiles will sink any ship afloat and can penetrate more than twenty inches of the finest Krupp steel before the explosive charge is detonated and finishes the job. It is estimated that these giant projectiles can be fired into the air to a height of nearly 30,000 feet.

Big Proving Ground
Active These Days
Trying Out the Latest
Weapons for Defense



Explosion of a Ground Mine at Sandy Hook.

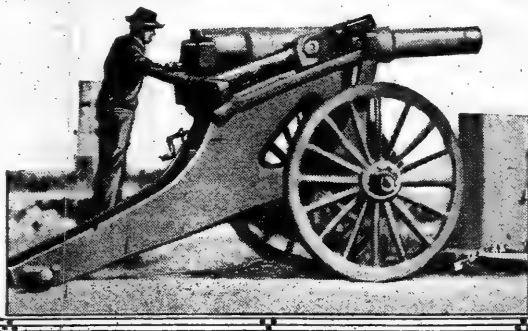
They are or will be mounted on specially constructed carriages, and the angle of elevation possible is certainly 60 degrees, and may be even higher when certain experiments now being carried out are completed.

Each of these new defenders, which, it is hoped, will soon be authorized for all the main fortifications of the country and its foreign possessions, cost about \$150,000 to build. Each gun is fifty feet long. The muzzle velocity is 2,300 feet per second. Everybody along the Jersey coast in a radius of about thirty miles of Sandy Hook will be notified when the new 16-inch gun that is coming is being tested. And it won't be necessary to write a letter to impart this information, either.

For the Manila fortifications the ordnance officers at the proving grounds have just concluded an exhaustive series of tests of the new revolving turret that is to form one of the main units in the Manila Bay scheme of defense. It is the first turret of the kind built in this country, and the tests indicate that it will prove one of the most efficient ideas involving coast defense devised in this or any other country in years.

This great turret, with its two giant 14-inch guns sticking out from its armored ports, is now at the proving grounds and may be seen with glasses from the deck of any ship that passes in or out of the Ambrose Channel. Each of the guns in the turret, which is of the revolving type and is electrically operated, weighs about sixty-two tons, and each has a maximum range of about twenty-one miles. The guns are 45.6 feet long. They fire a projectile weighing 1,660 pounds, to propel which a charge of about 430 pounds of smokeless powder is required. The weight of the projectiles fired from these Manila Bay guns indicates the progress made in 14-inch-gun construction, for in the original type of 14-inch gun the weight of the projectile was 1,400 pounds.

Also at Sandy Hook, mounted and under test, is a 12-inch mortar that represents the very last word in high-angle artillery. The picture of this great gun shows its resemblance to the big howitzers of the Austrian and German types. This type of mortar is now the accepted standard of the coast artillery arm of the United States Army and is mounted and fired in groups. An experiment, the



The New 7-Inch Army Field Howitzer.

purpose of which is to make certain of these giant mortars portable and render it possible to ship them from one part of the country to another in quick time, is another matter now receiving the close attention of artillery and ordnance experts in this country.

The aerial phase in modern war is, as every one knows, one of the newly created problems of the present great European struggle. In every army in the world ordnance officers are at work trying to devise an anti-aircraft gun that will be found efficient in attacking aeroplanes and dirigibles at low as well as at great altitudes. It goes without saying that this problem is receiving the proper attention at Sandy Hook, and experiments will soon begin with a gun of the 3-inch naval type that it is hoped will go a long way toward solving this problem, at least so far as the United States of America is concerned. The gun fires a 3-inch shell. It violates no confidence to state that there is reason to hope that this gun will prove effective even when fired at an angle of at least 70 degrees. Another gun under test at Sandy Hook

is the 4.7-inch howitzer for the Panama defenses. This gun, which is a perfect piece of mechanism, will be mounted in such a manner that it can be placed on a railway car or an auto truck and rapidly transported to any part of the Canal Zone and will be ready to be put in action the moment the destination is reached.

These are just a few of the interesting things in the way of ordnance that are to be seen at Sandy Hook, provided you can get there. And now a word about the proving battery where these big and little monsters are tried out, approved or found wanting. The picture printed with this article gives a far better idea than any word description of what this battery is. Mounted on the concrete emplacements are the guns of all sizes and kinds, from those of the 14-inch type to the little 3-inch shrapnel fellows. The big 16-inch has an emplacement all to itself. Alongside each of the guns, as the picture shows, are scores upon scores of projectiles, and all guns point the same way, a sort of crosswise direction, so to speak, seaward.

When the big guns are tested, all win-

dows on Sandy Hook are raised. It makes no difference what kind of weather prevails, the windows must go up, else every one of them would probably break as a result of the detonation of the piece. If the test is one to involve penetration, the projectile is fired at a target made of the finest and toughest of steel. All ranges figure in this test. If the test involves ascertaining the velocity of the projectile, which likewise indicates the power of the propelling charge, a very ingenious system is used. About 150 yards in front of the muzzle of the gun to be tested are two high poles. Between them, at the point through which the projectiles will go, is a wire screen. A hundred yards or more beyond are two more poles, exactly like the first, and also fitted with the little wire screen that the projectile will penetrate.

These wires are electrified, and as the projectile strikes the screen the current is broken and the exact fraction of the second at which the projectile passes through the wire screen is automatically indicated in one of the ordnance labora-

tories half a mile away. The same thing happens when the second screen is pierced. It is then an easy matter to figure the exact speed of the projectile between the two points indicated, and that is how they found out that a 2,400-pound 16-inch projectile has a muzzle velocity of 2,300 feet per second. The better the propelling charge the greater the speed, and this is another of the ordnance problems that the electrified wire screen always solves, and solves correctly.

Mine experimentation is one of the jobs assigned to the officers of the proving grounds. The mines are planted from five to eight feet deep or more in the desert part of the Hook and electrically exploded. Every land mine and every submarine that is devised for the use of our army is tested at Sandy Hook.

Much more might be written about the day THE TIMES representative spent at Sandy Hook with the officers of the ordnance arm of the American Army, but it is better to stop before something is written that for any reason should be left unsaid.

Intimacy with War Destroys Writer's Socialism

Arthur Gleason, Back from the Front, Tells How He Discovered the Importance of Nationalism and Honor and Reality of Original Sin

A STUDIO apartment in South Washington Square—a few Japanese prints on the walls—in one corner a huge brass bowl holding one great long-stemmed red rose, from which many petals had drifted to the floor, where they lay piled in admired disorder. At a desk heaped with books and papers a young man obviously of the "literary radical" type was smoking a fat briar pipe. On a chair near by a slender young woman in a picturesque frock, somehow suggesting very advanced portrait photography or ultra-modern sculpture. It was Mr. Arthur Gleason and his wife, back from a year's service with the Red Cross in Belgium. And they were talking about original sin.

Now original sin is not a common topic for discussion in New York's Quartier Latin. There was a time when Arthur Gleason, settlement worker and Socialist, thought as little about original sin as he does now about griffins. But several months of hard service as a stretcher-bearer in Belgium, running out under fire to rescue wounded soldiers, bandaging the stumps of arms and legs, eating and sleeping within the sound of shell fire and in the constant company of men fighting for their countries and their lives, have given Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gleason several things to think about that were not dreamed of in their Socialist philosophy.

One of these things is the desirability of nationalism instead of internationalism. Another is the value of that ancient ideal which is called honor. And another is the tremendous and undying significance of original sin.

When Mr. Gleason came back last June from a month's service in the battlefields of the West, he had a talk with James Oppenheim, the novelist, which was reported at length in THE NEW YORK TIMES MAGAZINE. At that time he had advanced—or retreated—so far from the Socialist position as to say "Our peace is wrong, and their war is right." Then he went back to his dangerous task, and since then he has discovered many things.

Mr. and Mrs. Gleason told a TIMES reporter the other day about some of these things which they have discovered. They repeated to him some of the lessons which war has impressed upon the minds of two people who have lived intimately with it.

"When I went over to Belgium," said Mr. Gleason, "I had the feeling, which is common among Socialists and social workers, that men all were brothers. I

did not believe that one nation could be right and another wrong; I did not believe in nations, I was thoroughly an internationalist.

"But I have come to believe in right and wrong, to believe that one side in a war is right and the other wrong. And so, I have got a sense of the worthlessness of nationalism.

"For instance, I found that there is such a thing as a French national spirit, that this national spirit is something precious and worthy to endure. When I left America I had in my mind the common faked picture of the French as an always frivolous and often vicious race. But I found an entirely different set of French characteristics. I saw the fighting spirit of the French, and I saw it endure through the weary months. I saw it endure in spite of the onslaught of those diseases which are so much harder to bear than dramatic wounds.

Here Mrs. Gleason entered the conversation.

"The French have proved," she said, "the lasting quality of the spirit which they showed when the war began. I was in Paris during the first week of the war. I saw the splendid fighting spirit which was manifested in those days. And I know that it has never once, through the victories and reverses, flagged or wavered for a second, and back of the fighting spirit of the men is the fighting spirit of the women, and even of the children—a spirit that has flamed hot and constant since the war began.

"And yet," said Mrs. Gleason, "it does not seem to me that war is the way to work out life. If I can so easily be misconstrued if I say that—it may be thought that I mean that I want peace, and I don't want to give that impression."

"You mean that you don't want peace in general," asked the reporter, "or peace now?"

Mrs. Gleason was silent for a moment. "Certainly not now, at any rate," she said at length.

Mr. Gleason returned to the subject of his philosophy of life as it was when he first went to deal directly with the great realities of war.

"All our modern philosophy," he said, "had blurred our perception of the thing that is called sin. The Germans gave to us a sense of the reality of original sin. When I saw a girl of twelve, who had been one of many used as shields by the advancing Germans, dying from bayonet wounds in her back; when I saw a woman of eighty with a bayonet thrust through her thigh—then I knew that there was original sin. All nations are guilty of this war, but Germany is the guiltiest of all, because Germany carried its sin to the nth power, while the rest of us were only in the A. B. C.'s of sin."

"Mr. Gleason," I said, "you used the term original sin. Do you mean it in the orthodox sense?"

"By original sin," said this erstwhile disciple of Karl Marx, "I mean a natural tendency toward evil which is common to all humanity. Our chief manifestation of original sin is commercialism, with its two branches, industrialism and imperialism. And commercialism carried out logically, as the Germans are carrying it out, results in murder."

"We got badly sidetracked about militarism; we thought that militarism was something imposed on a people from above, something arbitrarily established by the Kaiser and his General Staff. Now, militarism is nothing of the sort. Militarism is simply the will to power carried out to its logical conclusion, and given weapons. And that is simply a manifestation of original sin."

Mr. Gleason paused and relighted his pipe. "You see," he said, "before the war we were all busy creating a new ethic. We were cutting off the old values and the war is restoring them. And one of these old values, which is being restored is that of nationality in idea—our kind of country run as we want it run. England has a right to her idea of nationality, to afternoon tea and week-ends and cricket, and all the rest of it. England has no desire to be made efficient, and neither has Belgium, and there is no reason why their national ideas should be changed.

"You see, we've been in Belgium since September, we lived in the early days of the war in cities that did not expect to be invaded. And we know the life of the Belgians, that peaceful, friendly, artistic life."

"They are the most artistic people in the world," said Mrs. Gleason.

"And the most affectionate," said her husband. "Well, what the Germans did was to impose their will brutally on the Belgians, as some cruel grown person might impose his will on a child. The invasion of Belgium had all the pathos of maltreatment of a child."

"I spent some time in Termonde. Only about a tenth of the houses were standing. The other houses had been burned, not in a general conflagration, but one by one. Before burning any of the houses the Germans went through the town and wrote 'Gute Leute wohnen hier' on some of the front doors. The houses saved were those in which spies lived."

"The attitude of the people who were living in the cellars of ruined Termonde was exactly like the attitude of children. One well-educated man looked for a long time at the charred spot that had been his home, and then said to me: 'I don't see why they did it! I don't see why they did it!'"

"Mr. Gleason," the reporter said, "you say that you have been converted from internationalism to nationalism. And yet is not all the horror which you

have seen the result of the national idea?"

"I think that we are overlooking a point," said Mr. Gleason. "Nationality has its value, but its value ends at the boundaries of its own territory. It must not step out and throw its weight on the territory of others. A healthy national life is right and necessary. When there is antagonism between two ideas a perfect balance must be struck. Nations must be like individuals."

"Yes," added Mrs. Gleason, "nations must respect each other's rights as individuals respect each other's rights. But the balance must be kept."

"We have been trying," said Mr. Gleason, "to impose our own national ideas upon the people of other countries. Germany has revealed us to ourselves, and revealed every nation to itself, by showing the logical conclusion of this policy."

"And so Germany has done the world a service. It is good for the world to be able to recognize the offense in a conspicuous offender. We feel that we are caught in a wrong social system, and we identify this evil when we see women and children cut down in Colorado. Then we take steps to end at least this phase of the evil."

"So Germany has brought injustice—all the world's injustice—to such a point that we can see it. Germany is valuable today as a sort of laboratory specimen. Germany is a case of abnormal psychology which could be used by Freud or Jung, or some other great scientist, to point out our own tendencies."

Mr. Gleason was asked what he thought of the activities of the English labor unions during the last few months.

"I think," he said, "that the English labor movement has done splendid service through this war in calling attention to the perpetual strife between labor and capital. The English working men know that conscription can be made an almost irresistible weapon of the employers when there is a strike. They saw it recently demonstrated in France. A strike was declared, and the authorities at once called the strikers to the colors. The English working men know that if military conscription were established it would continue in some form after the war was over, and would be used to break strikes. Therefore they oppose it."

"The war certainly changes one's ideas," said Mr. Gleason reflectively. "Now, there is Mr. Gerald Stanley Lee, an amiable person who sits down comfortably three thousand miles away from the fight and writes in his little Mount Town Magazine that the only sensible people in Europe are the Red Cross workers; that the others are a lot of bloody creatures, or something of the sort. As a matter of fact, the Red Cross workers are not people who imperson-



Helen Hayes Gleason.



Arthur Gleason.

ally dispense, charity, they are really an important part of the army with which they serve, and they know that they are a part of it.

"The Red Cross worker wants to help his side, and send soldiers back to the lines to fight again. He does not think of himself as healing wounds, but as restoring a fighter. And he does not feel resentment when the enemy shoots at him. Once we went out to get three wounded Senegalese, and the Germans sent ten shells at us. There was a big Red Cross on the ambulance, which made an excellent target. We did not feel the slightest resentment, for we felt—as the Germans felt—that we were a part of the allied troops."

Here Mrs. Gleason interrupted.

"No," she said, "we didn't mind being fired at when we were rescuing our own wounded. But we did resent being fired at by the Germans when they could see clearly that we were trying to rescue some of their own wounded. In fact, it made us thundering mad!"

"I think," said Mr. Gleason, "that it will take years for us to clarify the impression which we have received, to make a synthesis of our new ideas. A wealth of new experience has suddenly been poured upon us. We had been living by theories which we had made for ourselves. But the war is not a theory, it is a fact."

"There was that old theory, which so many of us held, that war was the worst of all possible evils, bringing a train of horror and developing the worst part of the nature of every one taking part in it. I have found that this theory is wholly false."

"Before the war France revealed her character to us by means of the Caillaux trial, by means of the gross corruption of her politics, and by means of a certain sort of lewd literature. This was not all of France, but it was all of France that most of us saw, it was the part which peace brought out."

"The war has done away with this side of the French character. We have seen the French hold the front from Nieupoort to the German frontier for twelve months; we have seen them lose 60,000 men and advance, gain five kilometers, lose them all and charge again, and we have seen them settle down for the winter ready for one or two or three more years of fighting. They are not now frivolous and volatile; they face the war solidly, and they understand what it means."

"The level of life is much higher than it was in the months before the war. The war has not brutalized them; on the contrary, it has brought out what is real and most beautiful in them. The war has revealed French characteristics which always existed, but were not hitherto in evidence. This the war has done right before our eyes."

"There is a young doctor with whom

I worked in Belgium—he illustrates the change which has come over France. When the war began he was a frivolous, cynical, dissipated man about town. The war has made him brave, practical, patient, quiet."

"And he has been saddened. The quality that now seems to us universal in France is sadness. But it is not a weak sadness. It is a sadness that indicates resolution and endurance, a sadness behind which fires are burning."

"Do you think," the reporter asked, "that the English character also has been strengthened by the war?"

"Certainly England has profited by the war," said Mr. Gleason, "but not in the same way that France has profited. The England of the days before the war had gone stale. It was not the England of the old, glorious eras. The hatred of the lower classes had been intensified; inequality had never been more sharply manifest than it was in the English slums. England was hard and cynical."

"Then the war came and remade England. The men who are coming back from Flanders will not permit the old inequality to be re-established. A real sense of equality has been forced on every one."

"Lieutenant Harry Prosser told me about an officer friend of his who was left wounded between two lines of trenches. A Tommy ran out and shielded him with his body until rescuers arrived. Incidents like that are not forgotten, and the officers cannot, when the war is over, keep a feeling of superiority to men who have done such things. The war is bringing democracy to England."

"And it is an actual democracy," said Mrs. Gleason, "not a sentimental democracy. England is actually being remade as a result of the terrific taxation enforced by the new budget. And people do not think of protesting against the new budget, as they did eight years ago when Lloyd George began, very moderately, to put into effect his scheme for securing a more equitable distribution of wealth."

"And I can't imagine," Mrs. Gleason went on, "anything but the war producing such a practical demonstration of democracy as the mess table of our corps. There were Lady Dorothea Felding, Ivor Bevan, the great London banker, and a cockney chauffeur eating at the same table, riding in the same ambulance, and sharing the same pick-up lunch out in the battlefield!"

"I have seen an English officer," said Mr. Gleason, "bring in a slightly wounded private soldier in his own car, and heard him say to me, 'Take care of him, he's a friend of mine. This attitude was impossible in times of peace.'"

"And the same thing is true in France and Belgium," said Mrs. Gleason. Mr. Gleason took a reflective pull at his pipe. "If war brings out all the brutality that is in human nature," he

asked, "why are episodes like this so common?"

"After the battle of Ypres, Captain Davies said to me, 'There is a poor old peasant woman who has been working in the fields during all the fighting.' He went out and got her, and we took care of her. Of course, she was wounded, but we couldn't get her out until evening, when the firing had ceased. Then we got her and took care of her."

"Why is this? Why did Captain Davies, or anybody else, bother about tending to the poor old peasant woman if war had really brutalized us all? Why are women perfectly safe at the front? My wife and two English women ran a dressing station at the front, and were treated always with respect. The fact of the matter is that men are not brutal when they believe that they are fighting in the right."

"No!" said Mrs. Gleason. "You find that all unpleasant staring and attempts at flirtation have been left behind. We met with nothing of the sort at the front. Yet we were dressed in a costume that would certainly have made us uncomfortably conspicuous anywhere else—we were riding breeches. But we were respected, and our appearance was not once commented upon."

"No one," said Mr. Gleason, "could go through a year out there without seeing that the general level of life among the soldiers was many degrees higher than in times of peace. These men are carrying through a belief in the face of death, and it brings out all that is best in them."

The reporter asked Mr. Gleason if he believed that the war has similarly elevated the German character.

"As to that," said Mr. Gleason, with a grim smile, "I had few opportunities to judge. My only chances to observe the Germans were when they were marching ahead of me burning houses with people in them. Frankly, it is impossible to watch the Germans burning twenty-six peasants' houses, and to find at one time eleven bodies of their Belgian victims, bayoneted in the back when they could no longer get up and walk in front of the Germans for a shield, and believe that the Germans are living at the same high level as the Belgians, who face fearful odds for the sake of honor. The Belgians, French, and English taught me the value of nationality and honor. What the Germans taught me was the truth of original sin."

"The war has driven home to me a lot of truths which are contrary to the rather vague modern philosophy which we had developed. There is the conventional idea that women are the enemies of war. That is purely sentimental nonsense! No one who knows what the women of France have done and are doing will hold such a theory for an instant."

"War is not at all like one's idea of it. There are no high lights on it; it is

terribly monotonous. The greatest virtue of the French is the way in which they endure this monotony."

"A striking thing about the war is the absence of pictorial quality. There is a landscape with nothing in sight for two miles except the head of one sentry. You must jump out of your car and go underground in order to see any one."

"And the wounded men are not any more picturesque than the patients of St. Luke's Hospital. They don't say picturesque or brave things; they talk about the make of your car and ask you for a cigarette. At Nieupoort there is a little peddler who comes out every day with a tray full of chocolate, shoestrings, and playing cards. War is not abnormal, it is subnormal."

"You see," said Mrs. Gleason, "we must keep normal to keep sane. At first people objected if we even took a walk at night. But after a while we had to assert ourselves, to play the piano, dance, and play cards. Life at the front differs from life at home chiefly because it is lacking in variety and in excitement."

The reporter asked the Gleasons if they had found anything to confirm Miss Jane Addams's report that soldiers were made drunk or drugged to give them energy and courage for a charge. They did not take the idea very seriously.

"The charges that we know about," Mr. Gleason said, "were made on 'bully beef.' It is not a very stimulating drug. It is true that at Christmas time the supply of coffee ran out and every soldier was given a finger of brandy. That is the nearest approach to drugs or drunkenness that we saw."

"But Miss Jane Addams is, of course, a woman of probity, and some one must have told her the things which she has reported. She was told many things during her trip to Europe that we never heard during our months at the front. For instance, she is quoted as saying that wounded boys in the hospitals told her that they never shot at the enemy; that they always fired into the air. The Belgian and French wounded whom I knew never had practiced this abstinence. They did not shoot into the air; they shot at the enemy, and they shot most accurately."

"I came away from the war," said Mr. Gleason, "with a firm belief, as I have told you, in the value of honor and nationality, and of the reality of original sin. And I believe now that, given human nature and the clash of ideas, then there must be war, if one believes in anything strongly enough to die for it. And my belief in the importance of nationality is so strong that it seems to me that perhaps America should take steps to preserve and develop her own national life. The war may teach us that we must restrict immigration. We are not helped toward a coherent individuality of national life by the yearly reception of hundreds of thousands of immigrants."

Belgium Used as a Milch-Cow for Germany

James Gustavus Whiteley Takes Issue with George B. McClellan's Picture of the Invaded Kingdom as It Is Today and Tells Its Sufferings and Its Needs



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THE Hon. George B. McClellan seems to be a gifted impressionist artist. After a hasty dash through Belgium, a "Specialty Conducted Tour Under German Official Guides," he has painted, in THE NEW YORK TIMES of Oct. 10, a most attractive picture of Belgium rising phoenix-like from her ashes under the gentle and enlightened rule of the House of Hohenzollern. Would that conditions were as Mr. McClellan has painted them! Unfortunately the artist, as his own article indicates, depicts chiefly those things which were told by his official German guides. I feel confident that if Mr. McClellan had stayed more than a few days in Belgium and had investigated conditions personally, he would have arrived at a different conclusion as to the "beneficence" of German rule in Belgium.

Belgium is being used as a milch-cow for Germany.

Mr. McClellan seems to have received the idea from his German friends that they are doing everything possible to revive Belgian industries so that the Belgians may return to a normal condition. What the Germans are really trying to do is to start up Belgian factories to manufacture war munitions for Germany, and to induce, or compel by force of arms, the Belgians to engage in work detrimental to the interests of their King and country.

Take, as a concrete example, the artificial silk mills at Tubize. This concern had a large trade with America. They employ about 7,000 people. In December, 1914, through Mr. Brand Whitlock, they obtained permission from the German Government, to resume operations, on condition that the product of the factory should be sold to its customers in the United States, and should not go to any of the belligerents.

When the mills got into operation the German authorities tore up that "scrap of paper" and demanded that only one-third of the product should go to the American purchasers, and the remaining

two-thirds of material should be made into nitro-cellulose (used in explosives) for the German Government. The Belgians refused to manufacture explosives with which to kill their fellow countrymen. The mills were shut down, and the American purchasers, who had contracted for the output, have petitioned the Department of State to request Germany to live up to her agreement with the Tubize mills. As far as I am informed Germany has not complied, and seven thousand Belgian workmen are idle because Germany will not let them work unless she gets two-thirds of the material in nitro-cellulose.

It is quite probable, as Mr. McClellan was informed, that the Germans have destroyed "actually less than 1 per cent. of Belgian factory property." The Germans are a canny people. They do not usually destroy anything that will be of use to themselves. They have wantonly destroyed churches and shot priests, presumably because they have no special use for them, although they occasionally have used the churches as stables or as prisons, but they have carefully preserved the Belgian mines and the Belgian factories. When they have found it impossible to compel Belgians to work in these factories they have, in some cases, taken out useful parts of the machinery and sent them into Germany. The Belgian Government has formally protested to the powers about this little habit of the Germans.

Under this "beneficent" German rule it is impossible for the Belgians to resume their ordinary business. Communication with other countries is difficult, if not impossible. Even communication between different parts of Belgium is difficult. Telephone and telegraph service is restricted; some of the railways have been dug up and sent out of the country; others have been put out of commission.

I have before me a statement in regard to what the German authorities have done to (not for) the commerce of Antwerp. This statement is by the President of the Antwerp Chamber of Commerce. He complains that enormous quantities of raw material and manufactured goods, from automobiles to children's toys, have been requisitioned by the German Government and have not been paid for. Some were taken at arbitrary prices. The prices of other commodities were to be fixed by a German commission at Berlin, but nothing had been done in the matter.

During a careful investigation by the President of the Chamber of Commerce, covering the requisitioning of raw materials valued at about \$17,000,000, he found that only \$4,000,000 worth had been paid for. Although the merchandise had been carried away months before, the remaining \$13,000,000 had never been paid by the German Government. He estimates that many times the above amount has been requisitioned in other raw materials and in manufactured goods. Furthermore, he states that "the majority of the goods which have not been requisitioned have been 'blockades,' that is to say they are strictly controlled by the German authorities, who will not permit any transaction or delivery of goods without their authorization, which is rarely given."

Confirmation of the above statement by the President of the Antwerp Chamber of Commerce as to the wholesale "blocking" and requisitioning of goods may be found in the orders of the German Governor General in Belgium, especially the orders dated Sept. 30, 1914, and Oct. 26, 1914.

Under such conditions business in Belgium is at a standstill. Merchants and manufacturers can do nothing for themselves nor can they give employment to Belgian workmen. There is, however, one line of work open to the Belgian workman—he can work for the German army against his own fellow-countrymen, but he refuses to do that. The Germans, in defiance of the laws of war and of The Hague conventions, have on many occasions tried, by force and arms, to com-

pel the Belgian railway employees to work on the railroads and in the machine shops. This would release about an army corps of Germans from railroad work and permit them to go to the trenches; also it would facilitate the army transportation trains, as the Belgians are more familiar with the work and the roads. The Belgian workmen patriotically refused high wages.

Then the German Government resorted to brute force. At Luttre the German authorities, in May, 1915, tried to starve the workmen into submission. They forbade the Communal officials to give them any relief, either in commodities or in money. A while later, in order to cut off all possible source of supplies from the workmen, the German authorities proceeded to arrest and imprison almost all the Belgian officials and agents engaged in the distribution of relief supplies, and also to arrest and imprison various prominent citizens who had been helping in the relief work.

Finally they sent two soldiers with fixed bayonets to each workman's home to arrest him. If the man was not at home some member of his family was taken as hostage—father, mother, wife, or child; in one instance a little girl 14 years of age was taken as hostage. The arrest of the wives of workmen was a common occurrence. A number of the men were taken to the workshop and harangued by a German officer, who threatened to send them to Germany if they continued to refuse to work. "Let those who accept to work," added the officer, "take two steps to the front." Every man took one step to the rear crying "Vive la Belgique! Vivent nos soldats!"

The men were then imprisoned in a third-class railway carriage and in a cattle car, which had not been cleaned out and in which they were so crowded that they had to sleep sitting down or curled up. They were fed by their families, but on the sixth day the Germans became exasperated by their resistance and put them on bread and water. After nine days of this imprisonment they were shipped to a detention camp in Westphalia, where they were confined at hard labor and given insufficient food. In that camp one of the forms of punishment for infractions of camp rules was to put a brick in each hand of the Belgian, tie two bricks on each side of his jacket, and then make him run for several hours, continuously crossing and recrossing a small river with steep banks. Every two hours he would be given a rest of five or six minutes and a glass of water.

The benign German Government resorted to somewhat similar methods with the railway employees at Malines, the latter part of May, and at Sweveghem in the early part of June, 1915.

Such is the Prussian system for restoring prosperity to Belgium and providing the poor Belgian workman with employment. The above facts are set forth in greater detail in two official notes issued by the Belgian Government recently.

Mr. McClellan seems to have been told by his German friends that the "rich Belgians" and the "smart" people have fled to other countries, and that they should return so that business may go on as usual. This view seems to have been confirmed by no less authority than his barber and the flower woman in the market. Mr. McClellan intimates in one paragraph that these "rich Belgians" are spending their money in more or less riotous and unpatrician living "at French and Swiss watering places," but at the end of the same paragraph he tells us that they are "buying pearls and jewelry" from the antique dealer in Brussels.

The fact is that there are very few "rich Belgians" in these days. I know Belgians who were in comfortable circumstances and who are now in exile living on charity. I know, among others, a lady of the nobility whose chateau near Dinant was destroyed by the Germans and who escaped on foot with only the

clothes on her back. She is living in a cheap boarding house in London. Her son and two nephews, boys of 17 and 18, are with the Belgian Army; her brother-in-law is wounded; three of her near relatives (two of them mere lads) were ruthlessly shot down by the German soldiers in the public square of Dinant, where more than 700 other innocent civilians were similarly murdered. What can such exiles go back to, except desolation and ruin? Why should they again put their heads in the lion's jaws, and how could they help build up the country as long as the Germans are in possession?

Those few Belgians who have any money left, or who can still raise money on their credit, are using it for their starving countrymen whom Germany refuses to feed. Mr. Hoover, Chairman of the American Commission for Relief in Belgium, has announced that the Belgians themselves have raised about \$50,000,000 to buy food. Only about \$10,000,000 has been given to Belgium in charity by America and other countries. In this way the "rich Belgians" are rendering Belgium greater service than would be possible in any other way. If they have been fortunate enough to escape, they can best serve their country from outside.

The Germans would welcome them back to Belgium, not to build up Belgium, but to enrich the coffers of the German Government. Within the territory held by the German army rich men have been found useful as hostages, and on some occasions their money has been taken from them by way of ransom, all of which is quite contrary to law, but is in accordance with the Prussian system.

I do not know that any large number of "rich Belgians" have left Belgium. I do know a large number of Belgians of the upper class who have deliberately remained and taken their chances, in the hope of being of some use to the poorer classes. From what I know of the experiences of my personal friends, the German military authorities have not permitted them to do much good.

Take, for example, the case of Mme. Henry Carton de Wiart, wife of the Belgian Minister of Justice. When her husband left Belgium with the other members of the Belgian Cabinet, Mme. Carton de Wiart remained in Brussels with her six children, the youngest of whom was a baby about one year old. Mme. Carton de Wiart, at the outbreak of the war, had done a notable work in caring for the poor Germans who were being deported from Belgium. After the German occupation of Brussels she continued her work among the poor of her country. The final result was that she was tried before a German court-martial and after eighteen hours of cross-examination was torn from her children, was sent to a common jail in Berlin, whence she was released about a month ago. This is one of the ways in which the Germans encourage the "gens chics" to remain in Belgium.

Burgomaster Max of Brussels remained to help his fellow citizens. He watched over their interests so efficiently that the Germans sent him to prison in Germany.

I was much interested in Mr. McClellan's description of the efficient work which the Germans are said to be accomplishing with the machinery of a portion of the Belgian Red Cross. Mr. McClellan says that they have turned it into a sort of "vast charity organization society" under German management. They may be doing a fine work, for anything I know to the contrary. Mr. McClellan does not mention how the Germans happened to get control of any part of the machinery of the Belgian Red Cross. As a matter of fact, to use a plain expression, they stole it. This act of grand larceny took place in the month of April, 1915.

A certain portion of the Belgian Red Cross was (and still is) with the Belgian Army. A portion of the outfit and some officials were left behind in Brus-

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When New York Saw a Presidential Wedding

John Tyler's Romance with Miss Julia Gardiner Culminated in Their Marriage at the Church of the Ascension in This City Seventy-One Years Ago

PRESIDENT WILSON, whose engagement to Mrs. Norman Galt has lately been announced, will be the third President of the United States to be married during his term of office. Grover Cleveland was the second, whose marriage thirty years ago in the White House, on June 2, 1885, to Frances Folsom, now Mrs. Thomas J. Preston, took place during his second term.

The first was John Tyler, famous in the spirited campaign song of "Tippecanoe and Tyler, Too," who became President on April 4, 1841, on the death of General William Henry Harrison, who had been inaugurated just one month before. It was the first time in the history of the country that a Vice President had succeeded to the office of Chief Executive, due to the death of the one elected to that place.

Tyler's three years and eleven months of office were filled with political turmoil and trouble. Within a few months, all of his Cabinet members resigned, with the exception of two, of whom Daniel Webster, Secretary of State, was one. The great Webster was severely criticised by his party, the Whig, for remaining, but in the end it was much to his credit, as well as that of the much maligned Administration, that he did so, for he carried to a successful termination that memorable agreement with England known as the Ashburton treaty, which removed many long-standing disputes regarding our Canadian boundary. Soon after the treaty was signed, in 1843, Webster left the Cabinet.

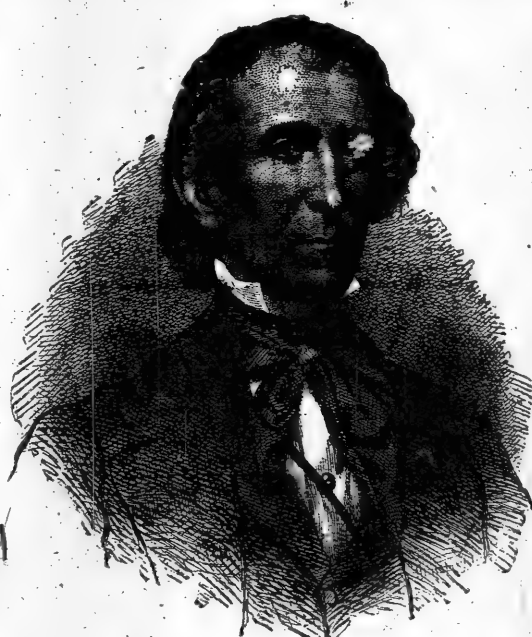
But amid his stormy Presidential career, in which public vituperation went so far as to bring forth audible muttering of threatened impeachment, John Tyler achieved the happy distinction of escorting his bride direct from the wedding to the White House.

Yet the marriage was preceded, and, indeed, was indirectly caused, by one of the most appalling disasters which have ever occurred to the American Navy during times of peace. The steam frigate Princeton, the newest and finest type of steam warship then in the navy, had recently been put in commission. On Feb. 28, 1844, the President and Secretary of the Navy invited a large party of guests to make a trip of inspection on the war vessel down the Potomac. Her chief armament consisted of two great guns of an improved pattern, capable of hurling a 225-pound shot a distance of three miles. One of the guns, at its third discharge, when opposite Alexandria, exploded, killing six persons and injuring many others. Among the dead were two recently appointed members of the Cabinet, Abel P. Upshur, Secretary of State, and Thomas W. Gilmer, Secretary of the Navy, and also Commander Beverly Kennon of the United States Navy, David Gardiner, a former New York State Senator, and Virgil Maxcy, late Charge d'Affaires at Belgium.

Among the large party of ladies on board were the two daughters of David Gardiner, friends of the President, and who were in Washington on a visit from New York. The body of their father was taken temporarily to the White House, and as a result of the close association of the President with the bereaved daughters, he fell in love with the elder, Julia Gardiner, and in a little less than four months they were married.

The bride was 24 years of age, and a member of one of the socially prominent families of New York. She was born on Gardiner's Island, which became the maternal possession of the doughty Lion Gardiner, the founder of the family on this side of the Atlantic, about 1640. This extensive island, standing well out into the ocean east of Long Island, has never passed from the family ownership.

The wedding took place in New York City at the Church of the Ascension, then, as now, at Fifth Avenue and Tenth Street, on Wednesday, June 28, 1844. The newspapers of the day, however, gave less notice to the nuptials of the



John Tyler

President of the United States than was accorded to many a local political happening. This was due to two reasons. First, because both the President and his bride had kept their secret securely from the public, so that few persons, even of the newspaper editors in New York, knew what was going on until apprised of the fact on the departure of the President and his wife by the salutes of the warships in the harbor. The second reason was that in view of the recent bereavement in the Gardiner family the ceremonies had been arranged on a very simple scale, and the newspapers were asked to treat the affair in an equally simple manner.

This request was so generally observed that one may pore over the files of the newspapers of the day in vain to discover anything like a comprehensive account of the first wedding in which a President of the United States was married during his term of office.

One paper, however, deviated from this tendency toward ultra-conservatism and presented its readers, on the morning of June 27, with a more satisfactory account. This was The New York Morning Express, then published at 112 Broadway by William B. Townsend, James and Erasmus Brooks. The article was evidently written by an eyewitness who doubtless had inside information. It is given as published seventy-one years ago:

His Excellency John Tyler, President of the United States, was married yesterday to Miss Julia Gardiner, eldest daughter of the late Hon. David Gardiner of Long Island.

The wedding took place at the Church of the Ascension, on Fifth Avenue. The marriage services were performed by the Right Rev. Bishop Onderdonk in a dignified and appropriate manner. Not more than a dozen people were in the church, except the bridal party. The position and standing of the bride and groom will justify a brief description of some of the particulars attending the ceremonies without any breach of decorum.

The bride is a very beautiful and elegantly formed woman of apparently 20 years of age. She was robed simply in white, with a gauze veil depending from a circlet of white flowers wreathed in her hair. The bride was given away by her brother. The wedding party consisted of a brother and sister of the bride, John Tyler, Jr., and lady, two Misses Wiltshire, daughters of the Postmaster General; Mr. Postmaster Graham, and

one or two others whom we did not recognize.

At the conclusion of the ceremonies the party departed for the residence of the bride in Lafayette Place, in this city. The wedding cortege consisted of five carriages. That in which the President and his lady were conveyed was drawn by four horses, the coachman and footman wearing bridal favors.

After dinner the bridal party went on board a steamer and made a short excursion around the harbor, passing the North Carolina, Princeton, and the Mexican steamers. On approaching the various ships of war the salutes due to the rank of President was fired from them, including the Mexican steamers. The yards of all the ships, steamers, and revenue cutters were manned, and as the party passed cheered most heartily. The steamer then proceeded to Jersey City, from whence a special train was dispatched to Philadelphia.

The event of the death of Mr. Gardiner, the father of the bride, who was killed by the bursting of a gun on board the steamer Princeton, is fresh in the minds of our readers. Two daughters of Mr. Gardiner were on board that vessel at the time of the explosion.

Mr. Gardiner was formerly a lawyer of high standing in this city, but retired early in life from his profession with an independent fortune. He was once elected Senator to this State and performed his legislative duties with credit to his industry and abilities.

Those of our readers who have been in the habit of visiting Washington during the session of Congress will not fail to remember Mr. Gardiner and his daughters, who have spent their Winters at the capital for the last few years. The young ladies were celebrated for their beauty and accomplishments and were objects of great attention and attraction among the two houses of Congress.

It is expected that the President and his young bride will leave Philadelphia this morning for Washington. After spending a short time at the White House they will proceed to Old Point Comfort, where they will probably remain some weeks.

The New York Commercial Advertiser, after the news was known, made this comment:

A sudden and secret journey, supposed to be in one direction, but proving to be in one directly opposite, an unexpected arrival, unheralded by the roar of cannon, and to crown all, a marriage with youth and loveliness almost unequalled. Fortunate John Tyler! To bear away the prize for which so many younger and handsomer men have sighed in vain, to win for the eight months' ornament of his palace a bride so richly endowed with personal charms, and, report says, with valuable acres also; a bride who in little more than half a year will return with him to the seclusion of his Virginia estate, there to adorn the hours of his approaching old age

with all the splendor and sweetness of her youthful beauty.

In connection with the wedding of John Tyler and the approaching nuptials of President Wilson there are certain coincidences of interest. Miss Gardiner was President Tyler's second wife. His first wife, Letitia Christian, to whom he was married in 1813, died on Sept. 9, 1842, one year, five months and five days after the inauguration of her husband as President.

The late Mrs. Wilson was mistress of the White House for almost identically the same time, her death on Aug. 6, 1914, being one year, five months and two days from the inauguration of Mr. Wilson. President Tyler was married again in a little over one year and nine months after the death of his first wife, and if President Wilson is married in December, as has been announced, it will be about one year and four months after the death of his first wife.

At the time of President Tyler's second marriage he was 64 years old. After his retirement from the Presidency he spent his remaining years with his wife at his Virginia estate, Sherwood Forest, on the banks of the James River, near Richmond. He died in 1862. Mrs. Julia Gardiner Tyler lived until July 10, 1889. She died in Richmond on her way north after visiting her oldest son, Lyon Gardiner Tyler, President of William and Mary College, Williamsburg, Va., a position he still holds. She had four children, three sons and one daughter.

The Gardiner home in New York City at the time the oldest daughter was married was one of the famous La Grange, or Colonnade, Row in Lafayette Place, just below Astor Place. The house was then known as 43 Lafayette Place. By some idiosyncrasy of fortune this landmark, typical of the most aristocratic private residences three-quarters of a century ago, is still standing, its present number being 430 Lafayette Street.

At the time of President Tyler's marriage in this city Lafayette Place was the social centre of the town, and no finer homes were to be found than the eight marble dwellings with their grand row of Corinthian columns comprising the Colonnade Row. The four houses in the lower section were torn down several years ago. John Jacob Astor, son of William B. Astor and grandson of the original John Jacob, lived in one of them, and his father had a large house on the opposite side of the street, the site of which is now covered by the old Astor Library building. Just below lived for many years Governor Edwin D. Morgan, the War Governor of New York State. The first house of the row was the home of Irving Van Wart, a descendant of one of the captors of Major Andre.

Of the four houses that now remain, the one below the Gardiner house, formerly 41 Lafayette Place, was the home of the wealthy druggist, John Milhaus. The Gardiner house in 1851 was occupied by the historian, J. S. C. Abbott.



Julia G. Tyler

Machine Does Work of Sixty Office Holders

Run by a \$540 Operator, It Fills Out the Checks for Ninety Odd Thousand Employees of Father Knickerbocker--and the Checks Are Unique

THAT young man over there gets \$540 a year. He is doing with the aid of the machine he is operating the work formerly requiring the services of sixty persons. He is as fond of the machine as if it were his baby. On days when there is a pressure of work he comes early in the morning. He stays at night, sometimes as late as 9 o'clock."

The speaker was a city official. Strange as it may seem, the machine was in the Municipal Building. One does not look for machinery in the Municipal Building. One does not expect to find young men so anxious to serve the city as was this one working over his machine, entirely oblivious to the presence of strangers. It does not seem normal when one recalls the shortness of the interval which has elapsed since politics ruled in the making of municipal appointments. Fortunately for the taxpayer, the city is securing many such men.

Mayor Mitchell has lately talked a good deal about reductions in the budget. He referred to the fact that last year the apportionments for the departments under his jurisdiction were less than the amounts spent the year before. But even this fact had not kept the cost of government down. He discussed the standardization of salaries, with reductions here and there. The changes were to be drastic. In view of the news regarding salary cuts which has come out since, there is little difficulty in reaching the conclusion that the time of the publication of his pronouncement was not chosen by chance.

The machine over which the young man was working and the young man himself symbolize the new order of things. Together they were filling out checks in the central payroll division of Controller Prendergast's Department of Finance at the rate of 7,500 an hour. The mechanism was one of the numerous devices introduced since Jan. 1 which have cut down the expense of the payroll work of the city.

Prior to last January each department made out its own payroll. Before the end of the year all of the city's payroll work will be done by this central division at a saving of nearly 75 per cent. in cost. While actually engaged in filling out checks for the ninety-odd thousand employees of Father Knickerbocker who are at present paid by check, the machine referred to does in rush time work which formerly occupied sixty men.

Those who receive weekly, bi-weekly, or monthly checks, as the case may be, do not realize how great a physical task the distributing of the city's money is. It puts out in salaries and wages more than \$105,000,000 a year. The efficiency experts of the Department of Finance and the Bureau of Municipal Research collaborating have devised a way by which machines can be used to help distribute it.

The making of checks by machinery has become so easy and inexpensive that by Jan. 1 next it is expected that very few of the city's employees will be paid in cash. Already the increased use of checks has cut down the automobile hire for transportation to different parts of the city of paymasters equipped with large bags of cash and guards. The amount saved up to the present time is sufficient to pay the salary of the official who directs the work of paying city employees, that is to say, \$6,000. In the language of Mr. Bruer, the City Chamberlain, the payment of all of the employees in the Departments of Bridges, Docks and Ferries, Parks, and Health by check "will save in time now lost by paying employees in cash several thousand dollars a week in these four departments alone."

But how is the work of preparing checks payable to thousands upon thousands of different individuals to be accomplished by machinery? Not only the names, but the amounts also are different. Even the deductions required

by law in the cases of employees whose wages have been garnished are made by the machine.

The plate method of addressing magazines and letters, which has become so familiar, is the basis of the system. There is a plate, perhaps three inches long and an inch and a half wide, for every employee who is to be paid by check. These are of a kind of metal which will permit the making of as many as twenty changes. They are filed after the fashion of a card index, in the order in which the names should appear on the payroll sheet. Each plate is labeled with the two code letters of the department in which the worker is employed

save expense in filling them out. They may be drawn upon any one of eleven different banks, to each of which has been assigned a code letter. The code letter, however, signifies whether the check is for a teacher's salary, for an employee of a given department receiving compensation each month, or semi-monthly, or whether he is on the weekly payroll. Teachers are paid through one bank, those receiving weekly compensation through another, &c.

The checks have distinguishing colors, representing a particular payroll, and have the appropriate bank code letter in large size in a square at the right-hand end. A white check with the letter W

is instantly discovered. This hole prevents the charging of a payment to a wrong account.

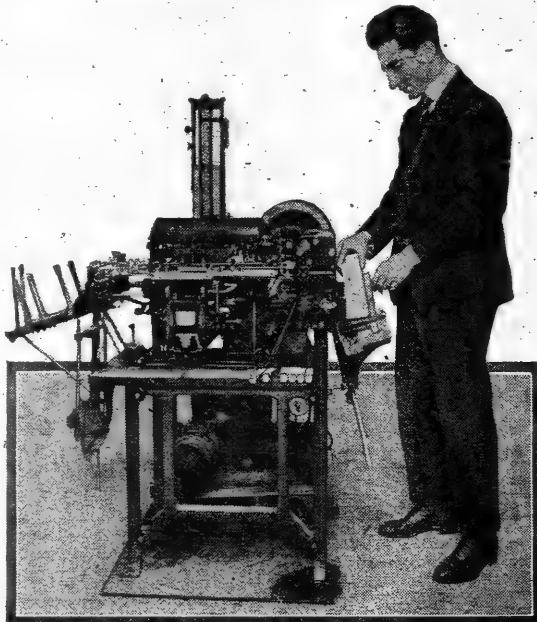
Along the upper margin is another row of figures. The edge of the check is notched by machinery at the figure on the end, and at the one on top, which, taken together, represent the particular consecutive period for which it is drawn. Whenever a check gets into a bundle with whose notch its particular notch does not coincide, it is known immediately that it belongs to some other pay period, and is chargeable to some other account. These devices save a great amount of time and worry, because the checks automatically indicate where they belong and practically audit themselves. Where many thousands of checks are involved, this is a detail of great importance.

The blanks having been filled out as to name and amount, they are run through another machine, similar in operation to a stamp-cancelling machine, where they are numbered and dated. They are then ready for signing.

This is done by means of a mechanical device, in which ten simultaneously receive the signature. The perforator which, placed in the hand of the Deputy Paymaster authorized to do the work, traces the signature rests on a ball bearing. It is connected with ten fountain pens, which move as one over ten check blanks. It is very easy to manipulate. The maximum number of times a signature can be placed on paper in the course of an average day's work is perhaps 2,500. It is said that with this device a novice in its operation can trace 20,000 signatures a day. It is expected that this total can be raised to 35,000 or 40,000 when the manipulative ability of the signer is developed to its maximum.

When the check is delivered, the recipient signs his name on a line in the lower left-hand corner. After he has done this he can cash it at any one of 250 banks in New York City and at many stores, just as if it were a gold note, by simply writing his name on the back. The check is self-identifying, and thus saves the payee any difficulty or expense in getting his cash. All that is necessary is that the signature on the back shall agree with that on the face. This is a benefit to the city employees in more ways than one. It makes it unnecessary to pay any one for cashing the pay check, or to depend upon the saloonkeeper on the corner to perform the function of a bank teller. The temptation or necessity for taking a drink when collecting the weekly pay is eliminated.

The work of installing this system was done by Charles S. Hervey, Deputy Controller; Shepard Morgan, Secretary to the Department of Finance, who were working under Controller Prendergast, and J. H. Clowes of the Bureau of Municipal Research, acting on the invitation of Henry RuBere, the City Chamberlain. It is stated that no municipal or private corporation has so highly perfected a system for paying its employees as that which is now at the service of New York City.



The New Machine That Saves Money for the City.

and figures showing his permanent payroll number. Incidentally, these figures show whether the pay is weekly, bi-weekly, or monthly.

Some of the plates have little red tabs on them. This indicates that the man whose name is on the plate to which it is attached has fallen into the clutches of the money lenders. They are insignificant-looking little signs, but behind each of them lies a tale of furniture bought on the installment plan in larger quantity than the salary warranted, of sickness, or of the arrival of another baby in the tenement home.

The metal plates are so stamped that they can be used in preparing the payroll as well as in printing the check. Payrolls are still made out in some of the departments with pen and ink. Not only are these trying upon the eyes of those who have to read them, but they are on such large sheets that they are difficult to handle and cannot be filed in the ordinary filing cabinet. Ultimately all payrolls will be made out in the central payroll division.

The machine used for stamping the plates is capable of turning out from 700 to 1,000 new plates a day. Whenever the salary of an employee is garnished the reduced amount which he is to receive is inserted and a distinguishing letter added which indicates, when it appears on the check, why the amount is below the regular salary.

The check-writing machine is almost human. The plates having been inserted, it rings a bell at the end of each payroll and stops when the supply of checks or plates runs out.

The check blanks are unlike any others one ever saw. They were designed to

upon it, for instance, would indicate that it was drawn for a weekly payroll. Along the margin of the left-hand end is the series of code letters representing the different banks, and also a row of figures spaced at regular intervals running from 1 to 5.

If the bank is the one upon which the weekly pay checks are drawn, there will be a quarter-inch hole punch through the small letter W printed in the code series. All checks drawn upon this bank will be punched similarly. In this way no "foreign" checks can become lost in the bundles of the city's checks. When a wire is run through the holes in the margins of the bundle of canceled checks, if there is one that is not punched, and therefore in the wrong place, the fact

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What Transcontinental Wireless Phone Means

Theodore N. Vail Discusses Significance of Recent Development in Communication When Human Voice Was Heard for First Time Across Continent

By Edward Marshall.

IT WAS while the marvel of the wireless telephonic messages from Arlington, near Washington, to the Mare Island Navy Yard at San Francisco, a distance of 3,500 miles, was still fresh in my mind that I went to see Theodore N. Vail, President of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, and one of the nestors of the whole voice transmission science, as well as the one paramount figure in the telephone's commercial development.

It had been my good luck to be a correspondent in London when Marconi accomplished the then marvelous achievement of actually sending wireless telegraphic signals from the Crystal Palace to the Dome of St. Paul's Cathedral—two structures which, of late, have been said to be the targets of hostile aero bombs—and later, (but a few years ago,) to be with the United States Army, in Texas, when Major Squier announced his perfection of a system of wireless telephony and took out his remarkable patent in the name of "the people of the United States." During my stay in Texas Major Squier performed new miracles, using the quivering twigs and leaves of a growing tree as his antennae for wireless transmission.

Now I was with the man whose voice had first spanned the American continent without the aid of wires.

In the introduction of this article, I must note as an extraordinary fact the circumstance that to Theodore N. Vail the achievement, in itself, seems to mean little and that its possible effect on the values of telephone company stock seems uninteresting. Evidently what impresses him is the probable economic and social significance of the scientific miracle to the whole people.

"It is impressive," said the white haired, venerable magnate, "to reflect upon the fact that we alone, of the great nations of the world, are calm enough to give commensurate attention to a scientific achievement so momentous.

"That the one great nation in the world in which the people rule should be the one great nation of the world at peace and rejoicing over the achievements of peaceful science ought to make us very glad that we're Americans.

"The daily newspapers have told the details of the epoch-making conversation which I was privileged to carry on from this end of the wireless route, and which John J. Carty, Chief Engineer of our company, was privileged to carry on from the Pacific Coast end of the intangible circuit.

"But what has not been adequately considered is the meaning of this event—and it is big with meaning—social and industrial as well as financial. Indeed, in comparison with its social and industrial importance its financial significance must be admitted to be slight.

"It is possible that some thousands may make money out of the perfection of the wireless telephone; but tens of thousands, hundreds of thousands, millions, the whole race, will draw from it a profit more desirable than dollars.

"This is a new development—a perfection—of the telephone. The telephone already has worked a vast social and economic revolution—and its influence is growing.

"It has reduced the whole United States, potentially, to the size of a community. Every one is aware of the importance of the telephone to city life, but I find that city dwellers generally are unaware of its importance to country life.

"Note this: more than one-half of the farms in the United States already are connected up with telephones, and these phones are all tributary to the great general system.

"No such thing as isolation has been necessary for a long time, and now that the wireless telephone is an assured success, capable of transmitting messages over great distances, it is less necessary than ever.

"There are more than 8,500,000 tele-

phones in the United States! Telephone toll lines now reach 70,000 places in this country, as against 60,000 Post Offices and 60,000 railroad stations and regular telegraph offices at about 25,000 places.

"Now that the wireless has been developed, a vast extension of telephonic service will be possible. It is not improbable that telephonic communication between America and Europe ere long will be established, and this, of course, will mean that ships at sea will be able

never again have any difficulties which cannot be settled by discussion and mutual concessions, and the marvelously developing telephone will do much to extend discussion and make it easier and more effective in the future.

"Perfectly free communication between people means such a liberty of the individual as the old-time revolutionists never dreamed of, for it means liberty of thought enlightened by untrammelled contact with all other

elevated to a high plane in the estimation of the public and can be kept entirely free from partisan control, the really vital questions—economic, industrial, what not—will be settled for the good of all. That will mean especially that they will be settled in a manner satisfactory to and beneficial to both labor and capital.

"Certainly these men, who will spring into being as the result of economic and scientific needs and advance, will have more than any one else to do with the economic development and condition of the country.

"I am an optimist. I believe we shall come out all right, and I believe we will be all right now as soon as we give conditions a chance to adjust themselves.

"We are a big people and must do things in the future in big ways, even bigger ways than the big ways for which in the past we have become world-celebrated, and in order to do this we must get into the minds of the men controlling our public utilities a sense of their responsibility to progress and the public.

"In order to get that into their minds, we must get into the minds of the people the conviction of the great necessity for putting the right men into such places. That's coming. We shall have fewer incompetents and very many fewer dishonest men at such work in the future than we have had in the past. I believe that the public, whom the politicians think can be so easily fooled, is, really, unfoolable. Lincoln was right about that. Performance, not prophecy and glittering promise, must be the standard by which to measure public men.

"We must realize that we can't do big things with little instrumentalities. We must thoroughly realize that, especially. The bigger the situation, the bigger the opportunity for all; but for big situations big men must be found who can think big thoughts, interpret them in big ways to the public, and thus accomplish big results. Otherwise our innate ambition to do big things will react on us and crush us.

"If there had been the right men at the right work in the right places, everywhere, the European war would not have happened and there would have been no economic destruction here, where, as a matter of fact, there has been much, although I think we are coming to our senses and bringing it to an end.

"What we need to keep a tight grip upon, in these days, is our knowledge of real values in distinction from false ones.

"The sudden ups and downs of the stock market, in these days, should not be permitted to affect the procedure of the average citizen or color his outlook upon life.

"We want to stop worrying, if we can, about speculative stock prices, and devote our attention to seeing to it that the values behind the stocks are real.

"Fully half our panics have been results of overspeculation in railroad and other stocks; but the speculators could be wiped out forever without having any destructive effect upon the actual railroads.

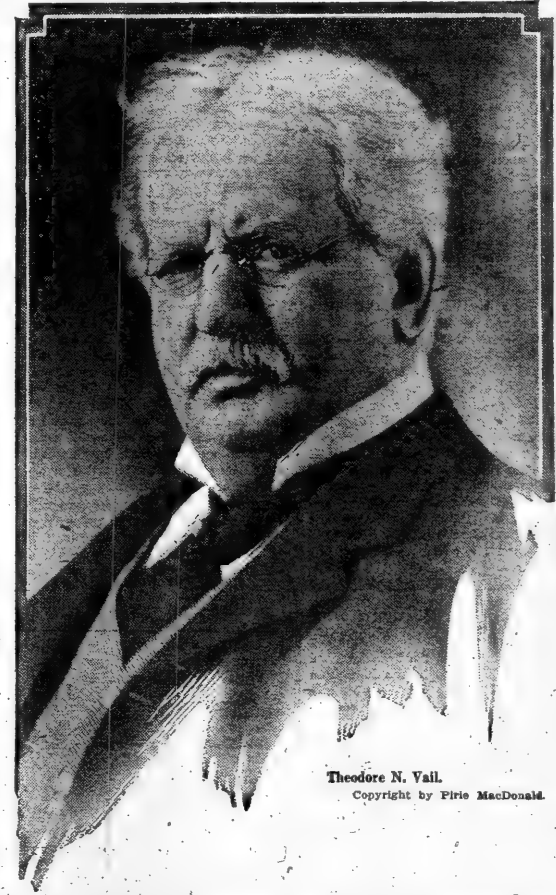
"If we could keep our business down to a basis of actuality there would be no more panics, for, really, we are a growingly prosperous people.

"What we must avoid is anything which is actually destructive of our means of inter-communication and transportation, for on them our national life depends.

"Wall Street has an important place in reality, although its definite usefulness at times has been subverted by some, who have made it a place for playing a giant's poker game in which bluffs are based upon our prosperity.

"Wealth and Wall Street are not necessarily related one to the other in any way whatsoever. It was only recently that a man died in the West, leaving a fortune estimated at \$40,000,000, although in his estate was found not one security quoted on the Stock Exchange.

"Stocks may go up and stocks may go down without actually affecting our railways; we must get into the state of



Theodore N. Vail.
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to talk by telephone with shores however distant, and with other vessels.

"The wireless telephone will not supplant the wire telephone, I think; but the wireless method will round out the old style telephone, making it complete, by enabling telephony to reach into remote spots to which wires cannot be strung, for one reason or another.

"There are difficulties to be overcome, but the results of the recent experiments, which carried the human voice from Arlington, near Washington, to Mare Island, near San Francisco, by wireless, were better than Alexander Graham Bell's results when he talked by wire for the first time over a circuit but a few yards in length.

"We don't know where the wireless telephone will lead us. But the fact which principally impresses me is that we, in America, are doing this work, this big, constructive scientific work, at a time when all Europe is at war. That's pretty fine.

"The spoken word has great advantages over the written word. There is no uncertainty about the mails, but there is likely to be an indefiniteness, an incompleteness about correspondence.

"You can't argue by mail and it is through argument that conclusions of great moment usually are reached. Discussion—that's the thing.

"I feel confident that this country will

thought. If a free interchange of ideas and thought once can be had between all, common course of action will be found to rectify most troubles. That is what we must strive for in this country. I believe that when we get it many, if not most, of the difficulties which today seem to confront us will disappear.

"I believe that perfectly free communication between people inevitably must mean general education, and general education in time will do away in this country with prejudice. It is prejudice which makes partisan politics bitter and inefficient as a governing force.

"I think that through education of the people we shall achieve nonpartisanship, and through that we eventually shall be capable of truly unprejudiced, and therefore truly wise, action. When we reach that point of development we shall be the greatest people upon earth.

"The men who have more than any one else to do with the progress of this nation will be our Commissioners, interstate, State, and local, in control of regulations governing our public utilities.

"These Commissioners will have larger interests and more important economic questions to protect, regulate, and settle than are taken before our highest judiciary; larger, even, than will be taken for adjudication before the Supreme Court of the United States.

"If these courts of commerce can be

mind which will permit me to realize this.

"Stocks, produce, and other exchanges, commonly known as Wall Street, have a tremendous legitimate field of usefulness. Business cannot be conducted on a large scale, as we must conduct it, without liquid capital, and liquid capital when not employed quickly eats up the profits of business. It is through Wall Street and other exchange centres that capital which otherwise would be locked up can be invested in such ways that, in time of need, it readily can be realized upon.

"If a business man needs capital to take care of his actual business and finds his own tied up in a mortgage, for example, it will not be liquid, readily and quickly flowing from one use to another. It may take time which he cannot afford to negotiate that mortgage. But if he has his surplus capital in stocks and bonds it truly is in a liquid state, for upon them he can realize, or borrow money, as needs be, because of their definite market provided and organized for dealing in them.

"Activity, employment, production, consumption, purchasing power make values, and we must avoid such things as actually do affect these unfavorably. Speculation, in Wall Street or elsewhere, has as much to do with real production as a roulette wheel has to do with the world's industry.

"There is no valid reason why we ever should know hard times in this country. Panics and hard times come from unwise economic legislation, or from overexpansion, following a period of prosperity, when they are precipitated by the speculators who hope to buy something at one price and sell it at a higher price, regardless of its actual value.

"The slump comes when they cannot find the other buyers.

"Legitimate promotion and speculation are wide apart, but people will confound them. Substantially all speculation at least claims as its basis the success of legitimate promotion and development.

"We have everything here with which to make good times, and nothing here except unwise politicians to make bad times. Sensible, not sensational, business legislation is what we need. If, as a nation, we could get over the bargain-counter habit we should be doing very well indeed.

"This struggle to get all we can and give as little as we can is not good business—we should be willing to pay a fair price to others and take a fair price from others. More money can be made on a large output at a small profit than on a small output at a large profit if there is a potential market for the production.

"Quantity in production at small profit is of greater general benefit because it reaches greater numbers of people, and in turn creates greater employment, which in its turn makes wider markets. Wages are kept down by the bargain hunter, who endeavors to pay less than it is worth for any commodity or service.

"The consumer would have everything in his own hands if he but realized it. It is the consumer who establishes the price of labor. A boycott on cut prices would do more to raise wages than a boycott on non-union products.

"Some discouraging experiences have been recorded in the history of this nation's business. Business as often does not pay because it is unfairly treated as because it is badly managed.

"Why should business continually be attacked? Success ought to be admired and emulated, not condemned. Every one of those condemning it is himself trying to achieve it.

"It is a curious thing that the demagogues never talk about the losers among business men. Years of preparation and vast investments may result in ruin. The man who does not win gets no attention.

"But the man who, through intelligence and hard work, wins a big profit instantly becomes a mark.

"That's what's the matter with us. It has been that tendency which has made us suffer at a time when we, of all the world, should not be suffering.

"We are the luckiest nation on the surface of the earth. We ought to be congratulating ourselves and doing our best to help one another. All employers should be willing to give a living wage to their employees and all employees should be willing to give generous service for the money they are paid. All consumers and users of service or commodities should be eager to pay a fair price for others' goods and service, and then they can get a fair price for their own. The railroads should give good service and the public should pay fair rates for it.

"We can't have good railroads, and

other necessary service unless we allow these utilities to charge enough to make maintenance at the maximum of efficiency possible in their service.

"What we want to do is to dissipate the pall of gloomy smoke which has drifted across the ocean from the European battlefields and settled on this nation's psychology.

"If the railroads were moving as they were in 1906 there would be no unemployment here, and there is every economic reason why they should be in better shape now than they were then, for really there is now more work than there was then for them to do.

"People want them to do it, too, but will not enable them to provide for themselves facilities with which to do it by taking from their shoulders the unwise restrictions which are hampering them. How can improved service be given, higher wages be paid, more paid for material and supplies, without proper rates to meet operating cost and enable the operating companies to get money to extend and provide for increasing demands?

"Rates which are too low are as unfair as rates which are too high.

"But prices cannot steadily be decreased without some underlying and good cause. When a newly discovered scientific method makes it possible, well and good; but rates and prices cannot be reduced every time a new year rolls around.

"We have been led astray by theorists until the idea is prevalent among many that in some unrevealed way corporations, especially transportation corporations, can put wages up indefinitely and cut costs down indefinitely.

"When a manufacturer raises wages it is regarded as a reasonable thing for him to increase prices, but the nation has got into the habit of expecting railways to continually reduce rates, just as it has got into the habit of expecting other public utilities continually to reduce rates, because our nation has been so prolific of men of new ideas and improved methods that have accomplished marvels in the direction of decreasing costs and increasing output.

"Instead of listening to every one seeking notoriety by attacking property or corporations, every constructive mind in this country should endeavor to aid in getting accurate information concerning actual facts before the people. Many of

them have been wrongly informed. Many of them belong to an unassimilated mass, and are easy victims of the legislator or the man who wants to be a legislator and who appeals to ignorance and prejudice.

"Ninety per cent. of the attacks on wealth are made by those who do not comprehend wealth. John D. Rockefeller could not cash in many millions by liquidation if every one else were liquidating at the same time.

"His wealth does not consist of money, but of properties which get their value from production and employment of labor and which have little or no liquidating value except as going concerns. The moment they cease to produce their value is gone.

"The big telephone plants, electric light plants, and public service corporations generally are worth and actually represent the investment of millions of dollars as activities, but they have small liquidation values save as going concerns.

"I lately have read a novel which tells of Rockefeller cashing in a thousand millions in gold. As a matter of fact, he could do it no more than you or I could!

"The wealth, the revenue, of the country consists of the difference between what is paid for its raw material and what is paid by the ultimate consumer for the finished product, which is manufactured from the raw material.

"Our business men must learn that they can charge \$1.50 only for goods worth \$1.50, and our workers must come to understand that they can charge \$1.50 only for labor which actually is worth \$1.50.

"No large class of society can get any permanent benefit to itself if it comes at the expense of any other class of society.

"No one believes in high wages any more than I do. I should be glad to see every employee of the Bell Telephone Company get twice as much as he is getting for his work if the public were willing to pay enough for its telephone service to make this possible.

"The perfection of the wireless telephone is a great step in scientific advancement. It should be the effort of an enlightened American public to see to it that by following the right economic course we are able to take full advantage of it."

Belgium Used as a Milch-Cow for Germany

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sold. Their special duty, in time of war, is to take care of the wounded. The German Governor General wished to turn them into some kind of a charity organization. They objected and claimed the protection secured to them by the Red Cross conventions. The German Governor General tore up that "scrap of paper," and on April 14, 1915, ordered the Belgian Red Cross to turn over all its money, property, and archives to Count von Hatzfeldt. The Belgian Red Cross declined to do so, whereupon the Governor General proceeded to carry out his order by military force and to take over all the property, including the cash.

It may be pleasant to hear that the Germans are making good use of the stolen property, but I am inclined to think that if Mr. McClellan had known the facts in the case he would have omitted all mention of the subject, or would himself have frankly condemned it. My statement in regard to this matter may be verified by the skeptical by referring to the protest which has been made, not only by the Belgian Red Cross, but also by the International Red Cross Committee, whose office is in Switzerland.

It is hardly necessary to say much about the destruction of Louvain. The world has long ago made up its mind on that matter. Any one who wants to believe the German version, as given by Mr. McClellan, is at liberty to do so, but the majority of thinking people will probably accept the version as given by Lord Bryce, the Belgian Commission of Inquiry, and other sources, including recently the report of an Austrian priest published in the Dutch paper *Di Tijd*, namely, that Louvain was wantonly destroyed. Mr. McClellan thinks that less than one-sixth of the town was destroyed. Cardinal Mercier says: "At Louvain the third part of the buildings are down; 1,074 dwellings

have disappeared; on the town land and in the suburbs 1,823 houses have been burned." The reader may form his own opinion as to which of these two witnesses is likely to be the better informed on the subject.

Mr. McClellan calls attention to the fact that "the pictures in the Cathedral" (by which he means the Church of St. Pierre) "were saved at the risk of their lives by German soldiers." This seems to be true, for according to the evidence of Professor van der Essen, Professor of History of the University of Louvain, "the present Burgomaster of Louvain, who is a professor of our university, went straight to the choir, after the burning of the church, to see whether the two Van der Weydens and the Thierry Bouts had been burned. He discovered them well packed up and ready to be conveyed to the station and thence straight to Germany."

Space does not permit comment on all the errors into which Mr. McClellan has been led by his German guides. His naiveté is indicated even in minor matters, as, for example, when he tells us that the Germans have restored the old Flemish names of the towns, "Louvain becomes Löwen, Lié becomes Lüttich. As a matter of fact Löwen and Lüttich are German names, the Flemish equivalents are Leuven and Luik.

My object in writing this article is to call attention to the fact that the Belgians under German rule are in even worse plight than they were a year ago. Germany is running Belgium for military purposes and for revenue only. Germany has burned and pillaged scores of Belgian towns and villages. She has massacred thousands of inoffensive Belgian men, women and children. She has stifled all Belgian trade and commerce. She is collecting from impoverished Belgians a regular tax of 480,000,000 francs, (about \$96,000,000,) a year. Besides occasional "extras"—and, after that, she leaves the Belgians to starvation.



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War Brings Lost Splendor to English Letters

Simplicity and Nobility Like That of Elizabethan Age, Says Cosmo Hamilton, Now Must Take the Place of Artificiality and Cheapness

By Joyce Kilmer.

THE war is driving English literature backward. It is driving it back to the "spacious days" of Queen Elizabeth. The new era of English literature will be greater than any which has come between it and the death of Shakespeare.

It was Cosmo Hamilton who told me this—Lieutenant Cosmo Hamilton of the Royal Naval Air Service. He is the author of "The Blindness of Virtue" and many another successful novel and play, and some years ago he was conspicuous as editor of *The London Review*, a paper to which Lord Roberts contributed his famous series of pleas for national preparedness. Mr. Hamilton is making a brief visit to New York and found time to make to me some extraordinarily optimistic prophecies of the future of English letters.

"English literature is doing the retrograde act," he said, as he paced up and down his pleasant apartment in the neighborhood of Columbus Circle. "The inevitable swing of the pendulum is affecting literature as it is affecting everything else.

"You see, our writers had gone as far in one direction as it was possible for them to go. A certain sort of literature, the literature of psychological analysis, had been brought up to the highest pitch possible by men like Bernard Shaw.

"Now that sort of thing is as dead as the dodo. The smell of blood has driven it away. We are going back to the simple and sincere and direct kind of writing which we knew generations ago.

"What happened when the Titanic went down is happening over again, but on a tremendous scale. Then, you remember, all the people in that great crowd of effete and overcivilized went down on their knees and prayed. So now all our writers, whether they have been accustomed to write like Nietzsche, or like Charles Garvice, or like Sir Oliver Lodge, are going down on their knees and praying. In English literature God's day has come again."

I asked Mr. Hamilton to give me some specific examples of what he meant.

"Well," he said, thoughtfully, "the English author has given up his pen to take up a sword—not only figuratively, but literally. All the authors who are physically able to do so are serving their country one way or another. They no longer are merely artists, they have become men.

"There is John Masefield, the poet who wrote 'The Everlasting Mercy' and 'The Widow in the By Street'; he is serving with the Red Cross. Compton Mackenzie, the author of 'Carnival' and 'Sinister Street' is in the Dardanelles. A. E. W. Mason is the Captain of a Manchester regiment. W. B. Maxwell is a Lieutenant in the Royal Fusiliers.

"Somerset Maugham is with the Red Cross. Lord Dunsany, the poet, is with the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers. Hector Munro is a Corporal. Stephen Gwynne, the Irish poet and M. P., is a Lieutenant, and Patrick MacGill, whose 'The Children of the Dead End' made a great impression in England and the United States, is a private.

"Now, for these men to give up their purely literary interests and go out on active service is bound to have its effect on their work. And the writers who cannot be at the front will nevertheless find that a great change has come over their attitude toward life and literature.

"I don't mean that English literature will grow more warlike. No one will have the audacity to attempt to reproduce war in fiction when the reality of war has been so terribly close to us all. What I mean is that the tremendous moral shock of the war is bringing all our literature back to a humbler level.

"We shall all walk with our two feet on the solid earth, instead of with our heads in skies of our own imagining. There will be less intellectual pride, less skepticism, less individualism."

"Then the war," I suggested, "will bring democracy back to England?"

"Not democracy," said Mr. Hamilton, energetically. "All shibboleths like 'democracy' will go! We will hear

longer can literature be a sort of skyscraper with the first twelve stories empty and a man screaming on the roof.

"Our literary stock in trade will in future be sincerity, instead of insincerity. We shan't juggle words like mountebanks in a music hall, we shan't phrase-make and coin words. We shall say something simply instead of nothing elaborately.

"How can it be otherwise? We are living among the debris of civilization. And all among the ruins of cathedrals and railway stations and poets' houses lie the broken remains of shibboleths and cant and catchwords!

"This war has done more for literature than any one yet can comprehend.



Cosmo Hamilton.

nothing more of 'democracy,' 'autocracy,' and all that sort of rubbish! We will become not more democratic but more human. Writers will be writers, not artists. They will cut their hair, and stop wearing funny hats and funny morals.

"We have all become much humbler," said Mr. Hamilton. "We are trying to interpret once more the inarticulate cry which has gone up unnoticed for many years—the cry for spiritual things instead of artistic things.

"We have had so many artistic things! Futurism, Cubism, Post-Impressionism, Imagism, Vorticism—I cannot catalogue them all!

"Now all these things are forgotten. They have given place to a sort of desire, a very humble desire, to give comfort rather than mental dry food. You see, our land will be full of widows and the fatherless. And they won't want little Imagiste poems or Futuristic paintings or elaborate psychological studies in the form of fiction. They will want something that they can lean on, something that will comfort them.

"And that can only be provided for them by writers who are willing to go back and assume the humbleness of heart and mind which characterized their great predecessors in English letters. No

poet, no matter how brilliant and picturesquely wicked he might be. It would not be tolerated. And the poseurs, the ultra-modern painters and sculptors and poets, the little clever people, are all dead."

"Are any of them literally dead?" I asked. "Did any of them go to war?"

"Not at all!" said Mr. Hamilton. "It was not the little clever writers who went to war. They stayed safe at home. They are not dead literally, but they are dead in theory. So far as any attention they might receive from the public is concerned, so far as their fame is concerned, they are as dead as a fish left behind on dry land by the receding waters.

"The war's immediate effect upon the publishers will be to cause a dearth of books. This will cause them to republish the writings of the poets, novelists, and dramatists of earlier generations. And so the next generation will have a familiarity with great literature which our own has lacked.

"Then, too, so far as England is concerned, the mercenary side of literature must undergo a change. The tax on paper, which has been established to meet the appalling expense of the war, will drive out of existence the enormous mass of cheap novels, newspapers, and magazines.

"We have felt the war's effect on newspapers already. About thirty weekly journals have suspended publication, and several morning and evening papers.

"The *Daily Citizen* suspended its London edition in March and its Manchester edition in June. It lives now only in weekly form, as *The Independent*. The *Daily Herald*, once a daily, is now a weekly.

"The *Daily Call*, which was started after the war began, made its last appearance in April. The *Echo and Evening Chronicle*, a similar but more elaborate publication, died after its thirty-sixth issue.

"The *Midland Evening News* is dead, and so is the daily edition of *The Cork Free Press*. Of eighteen special war periodicals not more than half a dozen are now left. The *Sporting Sun*, a Saturday evening newspaper which came into existence when the evening papers began to curtail their sporting news, lasted for only two or three issues.

"But the most important effect of this tax will be in doing away with the great flood of cheap paper-bound novels, most of them absolutely worthless. This will help us to clean up the market.

"We are setting our house in order. We can no longer be cynical and sophisticated; we have become as little children."

"The imagination of the nations has been stirred. The living spark of spirit which was latent in every one has burst into flame. And this gives God another chance with us—or us another chance with God.

"The terrible cannonade has blown away the cloud which hung between religion and the Deity. People are seeing things straight now. And it is perfectly natural—pathetic as it may seem to Bernard Shaw and his kind—that the intellectuals, as well as the so-called ignorant people, have received an appalling shock, and are alike asking themselves what is the meaning of this hideous debacle.

"To consider it to be due to the blood-drunkness of one man insane for power is foolish. It is merely the swing of the pendulum. People climb up to a great height and are physically unfit to look down again without growing giddy and falling.

"Those who survive will find themselves down at the bottom, where their grandfathers were. And their grandfathers wrote better books, far better books, than they have written—their books were truer, simpler, and more sincere.

"Honesty will come back into literature, as it will come back into politics, science, and religion. And once you get honesty into art, you get great art."

Are All Americans Learning to Play Games?

Growing Popularity of Tennis, Golf, and Recreation Centres Indicates That Present Generation's Impulse Is Strong for the Outdoor Life

National Golf Champion on Growth of the Play Idea.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

As you say, there seems to be a growing love of amateur play, but it seems to me that it is a part of the larger movement which is responsible for the half-holiday on Saturday for example. In other words, I believe there is going on in this country a realization that "all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy." And so, while golf and tennis are increasing in popularity and probably drawing people away from professional games, still the general increase of interest in and time taken for recreation more than makes up for such a conflict.

ROBERT A. GARDNER.

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WHAT'S the matter with baseball?" is a question often asked nowadays. It has been answered in more ways than one.

"I can give the real explanation," remarked one of a group of men who had been watching the recent national tennis tournament at Forest Hills, L. I. "We Americans are outgrowing our lazy habit of watching professional players of games. We are learning to play ourselves. A few of us learned years ago; today all of us are getting into the outdoor life. The increasing popularity of such sports as tennis and golf is slowly but certainly dooming the mere sporting spectacles like baseball."

The others in the group agreed with him unanimously. Later several leaders in amateur sports were asked by THE TIMES for their opinions on the proposition that professional games were being relegated to a back seat by the growing love of active outdoor play by the present generation of Americans. A typical reply was that of the tennis expert, Richard N. Williams, 2d, of Philadelphia, ex-champion of America. His letter, printed in full in another column, contained the following:

"American men, as well as women, are no longer content to watch an athletic contest. They wish to play something themselves."

Many observers, while agreeing in part, would not generalize so positively as this. But nobody with his eyes open can doubt the spread of "the outdoor idea." We are learning to play. The fact is demonstrated every day at three score and more golf courses within easy reach of New York City, tens of thousands of tennis courts on which the most popular of all outdoor games is being played from Maine to California, the boating clubs that line our sea shores and inland water fronts, and, finally, though not of least importance, the municipal recreation centres in our cities and towns.

"I believe the time will come," said George Gordon Battle, President of the Parks and Playgrounds Association, in answering THE TIMES question, "when a city will regard it as disgraceful for its children to be starved of their natural right to play as for them to be starved of food necessary for physical sustenance."

The grip of tennis upon the public was evidenced at the Forest Hills tournament. What a contrast with the national event as staged a decade ago at Newport! Imagine yourself an old-timer who had watched championship tennis on the Casino courts in the days of Wrenn, Clothier, even Larned, returning after a long absence to see the final matches in their new setting. Instead of a sleepy lawn party, whose decorum was punctuated by gentle hand-clapping, you find yourself viewing from a high grandstand gruelling contests which elicit the wildest applause.

The game of tennis in 1915, though its

rules are essentially the same, is a new game, and the spectators have a new point of view. They watch the experts not as a steady every-day diversion, but as a rare lesson in the sport which they themselves follow. It is a safe guess that nine out of ten onlookers, including the small children, are players more or less proficient. That is why they are sympathetic in their applause or cheers, never derisive.

Tennis crowds, in short, typify the new outdoor spirit in Americans. That the national tournament attracted as many as 10,000 spectators on the closing days was testimony of national interest in the game. Among the thousands were

weather sets in, and the proprietors get their profits every month in the year from young New Yorkers, for whom healthful outdoor exercise has become a necessity.

Not so long ago tennis was regarded as a game for the leisurely well-to-do. You were liable to be hooted if you walked through a tenement district or a suburban mill town carrying a racquet. It is different now. In suburbs that never thought of having a country club you find clay courts maintained by neighborhood subscriptions. In the city parks there are tournaments in which participate children who never saw a private court. Graduates from the park courts have taken part in some of the leading events of the metropolitan district within the last two years. It would not be very remarkable for a player bred in Brownsville or Harlem, and trained in Prospect or Central Park, to win the national trophy within the next five years.

While tennis has always had possibilities of violent exercise, it is only of late that the leading players have seemed to

carry strenuousness to extremes. This probably accounts for part of the game's increase in popularity. It has become more of a fight, less of a tea party exhibition. Johnston, McLoughlin, and Williams play a game so much more spirited than the tennis of two decades ago that the onlooker soon realizes why even the moderate age of 30 is coming to be regarded as far along for a tennis crack. At Forest Hills the doctors had to work nearly half an hour over one powerful athlete after a five-set match, so terrific had been the strain on him—and this athlete happened to be a famous football player, distinguished among those who knew him for his unusual strength and endurance!

Later, at the end of the tournament, cheering thousands saw the lithe McLoughlin totter to a chair after his losing match with the new champion. McLoughlin is 24 years old, Johnston under 20. The end of their battle reminded one more of a prize-ring finish than of an old-time tennis match. And the next day the newspapers told us how "youth must be served." Poor McLoughlin was retired by the critics at the venerable age of one score years and four!

It may be that tennis is becoming too violent. The doctors tell people with weak hearts not to play it. But only a few of us can be champions, so perhaps we will not tackle the game furiously enough to injure ourselves. We can find comfort in the case of the Right Hon. Arthur J. Balfour, who still plays good tennis at more than 70 years and was within the last five years a tournament partner of the late Anthony Wilding.

Then there is golf. Statistics showing the total number of golfers in America are not at hand, but consider these facts: In the New York district are at least sixty-seven golf clubs, belonging to the Metropolitan Golf Association. The members number about 20,000. A few more thousand play on the public courses; they have not been counted, but you will conclude they compose a vast army if you arise early enough some Sunday in Summer to see the 4 A. M. crowd at the first tee in Van Cortlandt Park.

Glance at the club lists of the Middle Western, Far Western, Southern, and other sectional golf associations; then calculate that almost every city of 10,000 inhabitants has, or is about to have, a country club and golf course—and you get an idea of the golf fever in America.

Anybody who still harbors delusions about golf being an old man's game

From Richard N. Williams, 2d.

National Tennis Champion in 1914.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I have watched the growth of tennis—and that of golf also. I have talked to men in sporting goods houses about it, and I am sure these games are growing at the expense of baseball, football, &c. The sales of athletic goods show this to be true. American men, as well as women, are no longer content to watch an athletic contest. They wish to play something themselves, and naturally many turn to tennis and golf. I have noticed the tendency in college sports; the students are now picking out sports which they can follow after graduation, instead of sports they cannot continue to follow, such as football and hockey.

RICHARD N. WILLIAMS, 2d.

Philadelphia, Penn.



W. M. Johnston.

some who had traveled all the way from California to see the experts from that State compete; incidentally, they saw the youngest of their favorites, a youth not yet turned 20, win the championship. Others had come from the far South and hundreds from the near-by Atlantic and New England sections. The crowd was truly national—as much so as any throng that ever witnesses a world's series in baseball. In its way, too, it was quite as enthusiastic. In fact, the comment was made in several newspaper reports that the crowd actually resembled a baseball audience, so great was the tension at times and so high ran the excitement.

But, argues the man who clings to his belief that baseball retains its old hold, the national tennis tourney was an unusual spectacle; as an annual event it commanded interest out of proportion to the ordinary appeal of the game. On the contrary, the tennis spectacle did not tell half the story of the growing tennis enthusiasm throughout the country. Every small town now has its courts. The country clubs find it hard to build courts fast enough to keep up with the growing demand. In the city there have been fortunes made by promoters of for-hire courts, and it has become a problem to find room for enough tennis players in the public parks. The hired courts, by the way, are in many cases flooded and transformed into skating rinks after cold

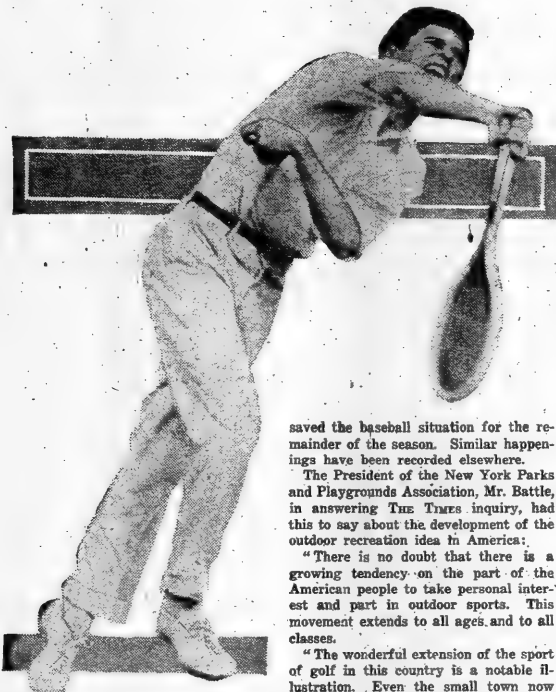
should see the old men's grandchildren practicing their strokes. In many a club the leading players include boys under 18 years. Two years ago a seventeen-year-old was champion of one New Jersey club of 250 members. Remember Phil Carter of Bridgehampton, L. I., the interscholastic winner. And, finally, don't forget that Francis Ouimet won the open championship of America at the age of 20, defeating in the finals two of the world's greatest golfers, Ray and Vardon, in one of the most astonishing matches golf history has known.

Those who don't play golf say it is a game for the elderly. So it is. It's a game for anybody and everybody, old and young. Without ever subjecting the player to a physical strain, it furnishes gradually all the exercise needed; if you doubt it, try thirty-six or fifty-four holes in a day, and then count the aches in your muscles after the fifteen or more miles you have traveled. It certainly requires the highest skill. Watch an expert make a mashie stroke from a hundred yards, laying the ball within two yards of the hole, and you will decide that even the cleverest tennis strokes fall short of this one in delicacy.

No, there is no doubt about the fascination of golf, any more than about its fast growing popularity. And perhaps the chief reason it appeals to all ages is that the player's score depends not in the least upon the skill or endurance of an opponent. The fat man, the tired man, or the chronic duffer can pair with



Robert A. Gardner.



Maurice McLoughlin.

the expert, and both of them will (or should) enjoy the game.

The theory that actual playing of games is luring Americans away from professionally played spectacles is hardly debatable any longer. Even the baseball managers and promoters have admitted it within the last few months, in answering the query "What's the matter with baseball?" Incidentally, they have named the moving pictures as a contributing cause of decline in bleacher and grand-stand crowds.

Tennis and golf, of course, are not the only active sports that have lessened patronage of professional games. They are particularly mentioned herein because they happen to be pastimes whose advance in popular favor has been most notable in late years. Motoring, motor boating, water sports—all sorts of healthful outdoor recreations have come into wider demand. In the city, play centres, track races, and miscellaneous contests have attracted numberless boys and girls from the ball parks. The case of Newark, N. J., has been cited as proof of this in the past Summer. A new recreation park's opening was followed immediately by a waning of baseball attendance, and only a revolutionary cutting of the admission price to 10 cents

saved the baseball situation for the remainder of the season. Similar happenings have been recorded elsewhere.

The President of the New York Parks and Playgrounds Association, Mr. Battle, in answering *THE TIMES* inquiry, had this to say about the development of the outdoor recreation idea in America:

"There is no doubt that there is a growing tendency on the part of the American people to take personal interest and part in outdoor sports. This movement extends to all ages and to all classes.

"The wonderful extension of the sport of golf in this country is a notable illustration. Even the small town now has its country club and golf club where tennis and golf are played. Many of these clubs are very reasonable in their charges, and the amusement is thus brought within the reach of persons of very moderate means. It is well known that devotees of golf are to be found at every age. I have seen a threesome composed of grandson, father, and grandfather, each of them playing a good game, with the result of the match sharply contested and in doubt up to the last.

"Along with the personal participation in sports goes a general interest in outdoor affairs. Our working people are beginning to spend their holidays more and more in the open air, after the fashion of the Continental peoples.

"Perhaps the most important development is the public recognition of the fact that children require play and recreation in the open air as a necessary factor in their development. The different States and municipalities are beginning slowly, but steadily, to recognize that it is no economy to cramp and dwarf the growing generation so as to produce a weak and stunted race. And not only from the standpoint of physical development is it necessary that children should have play and recreation, but it is even more necessary from the standpoint of mind and character. The dreams and aspirations

of childhood, so necessary in developing the mental and moral forces of the child, can only exist where there is an opportunity for natural sport and recreation and the attendant communion with nature. These truths are being generally recognized. Our cities are full of playgrounds and recreation centres. Slowly we are beginning to learn that our school-houses can be used for this great purpose.

"So, on the whole, it is quite clear that there is a great movement in this country on the part of children and adults toward personal participation in sports and in outdoor recreations, such as walking, sailing, and the like. Along with this development has come a certain decline of interest in the mere watching of professional games. I do not at all deprecate or decry interest in professional sports. Any normal man or boy likes to see a good game of baseball or a good game of football; and it is far better for the man or boy to spend his afternoon in that way than in many other kinds of amusement. But it is still better if he will himself take part in some game, recreation, or sport which will develop him morally, mentally, and physically. I think, therefore, that it is a good sign for our country that our people are taking a more active part in outdoor pursuits, even if it entails a diminution in the attendance on professional games.

"As President of the Parks and Playgrounds Association of the City of New York I have watched the growing recognition on the part of the public that play and open air are as essential to children as food, and, in one sense, more essential. I believe the time will come when a city will regard it as disgraceful for its children to be starved of their natural right to play as for them to be starved of food necessary for physical sustenance. There is room for general public participation in sports and also for the pro-

fessional games. But I do believe that the professional games have been overdone, and that sufficient importance has not been attached to the necessity for personal exercise and for taking part personally, especially by children, in outdoor sports and games. I believe that the American people are now on the right track in this matter, and that a proper proportion between amateur and professional sports and recreations is being reached."



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A System That Didn't Quite Work

WELL, I didn't ask you to tell me what to do," retorted Mrs. Oldtimer at the supper table.

"That's a woman for you!" snorted Oldtimer. "You'd go along in the same old rut for a year. I know you didn't ask my advice, but you'd better take it. You don't seem able to help yourself. I tell you I can cure that woman."

"How would you go about it?" queried his wife interestedly.

Oldtimer snorted again. "System," he exploded. "System! That is the stuff. It will cure even a borrowing neighbor."

"Now, see here: just analyze this case. A woman who is eternally borrowing does it because she wants to get something for nothing, or because she's just naturally forgetful.

"When the lady comes to borrow anything from you hereafter just go to a little paper, which you will have hung on the wall, and mark that article down, plainly. Do it so she can't fail to notice what you are at. If she wants to get something for nothing she'll know then that it's no use, because you can remind her to return all she has got. If she's just forgetful it'll serve to make her think she ought to try to remember better. In both cases she will return what she has borrowed. Try it and see!"

It was three evenings later that Old-

timer remembered to ask after the success of his offered plan.

"Yes," admitted Mrs. Oldtimer, "I tried it."

"Didn't it do the business?" he asked. "I will leave that to you," she went on. "I placed the little paper on the wall as you suggested, and when she came next morning to borrow the baking powder I marked it down, also the soda, and the washing powder, and the tea."

"This evening, just as I was getting supper, she came running over and said she had forgotten to get any eggs."

"Then she said: 'Mrs. Oldtimer, I've noticed you making that list of my borrowings for a day or so, and I thought it was such a splendid idea I just made one myself. Whenever I got anything from you I went straight home and marked it down on my list. It would be so nice to compare lists, I thought.'

"But Angela, my next to the oldest, was watching the baby in the kitchen and she let him get his hands on the list. That was the last of it. And so I wanted to know if I could borrow your list until I can copy off one for myself."

Mrs. Oldtimer paused. Oldtimer snorted.

"I wish you could handle the home affair yourself," he grumbled. "I have enough to worry about at the office."



A Saturday Afternoon in the Nature Study Room at a Gary School.

What the Gary School Plan Proposes and Does

Well-Known Educator Discusses in Detail the Wirt Method, Which Is to be Given a Further Trial in the Public Schools of New York City

In view of the controversy aroused by the proposition to adopt the Wirt plan in the New York public schools, this account of the Gary schools by a well-known educator, who is Head Master of the Tome School, is of especial interest at this time.

By Thomas S. Baker, Ph. D.

THE public school of today is not altogether an educational institution. It goes far beyond the function of giving instruction in the branches which make up its curriculum. It has taken on a social importance, further reaching than at any time in its history, and there are many reasons for believing that this tendency will become stronger. An effort is being made everywhere in this country, and especially in the large cities, to bring the public schools into closer relation with the life of the community. The time when the schoolhouse was merely a place where instruction was given for five or six hours a day has passed.

It is no longer a question of furnishing the boy with an education in the old-fashioned restricted sense, but the public expects that he be helped in the vocation which he may later adopt, that he be given shops and laboratories in which he may practice, that he be supplied with playgrounds, gymnasiums, swimming pools, that entertainments be provided for his amusement, and, not content with teaching and helping and amusing the boy, the public also demands that his parents be given an opportunity to improve and amuse themselves in his school building in the evening.

It has not been very long since people debated in some parts of the country whether it was the duty of the city and State to furnish free schools. They were not long in deciding that education should be supplied at the public expense. In those early days education meant something that had to do primarily with book learning, but gradually it was discovered that the difficulties which children in the large cities had to face could not be met merely by what they learned from books. The needs of the foreign children, of the poor children, went far beyond the limits of the conventional school, and gradually this feature was added to the curriculum and that phase of activity was included in the teacher's work, until now the giving of instruction is only a part of the function of the school which is maintained at public expense. Recently the social tendency has gone so far that in New York an

effort has been made to have the school officials arrange that the children should be sent to the country at the public expense, for a part of their holiday.

Possibly this social movement in the schools has been carried further at Gary, Ind., than at any other place in the United States, or, as far as I know, at any place in the world. Mr. Wirt, the head of the schools in that city, has accepted a larger responsibility for his children than any public school man has ever undertaken. He recognizes that his children need many things that the ordinary school does not offer, and he has crowded into his scheme of education more of what might be called supplementary features than has ever before been attempted. His is the last development in the socializing of the schools. He is not only an educator, but he is a social reformer—a city worker. It is hard to think of any one going further in this direction than has Mr. Wirt. Certainly the tendency to extend the sphere of the school will halt for a while at this point.

But Mr. Wirt would feel very much aggrieved if one were to suggest, even remotely, that he is more of a social reformer than an educator. He claims that a school man dare not limit his efforts to teaching from books and hope to satisfy the demands of his office; that by making a child happier, by improving his physique, by giving him opportunities to work with his hands, and to learn how to do practical things, he is offering a higher form of education than has been thought of before. Possibly he is right. Time alone can tell whether what now seem to be side issues in the scheme of child training are really essentials in his mental development.

The first impression one gets of the Gary schools is that they are the creation of a man of tremendous enthusiasm and unbounded energy, but when one meets Mr. Wirt the former quality of enthusiasm seems to be outweighed by his energy.

He is a man of great poise who does little talking, but gives the impression of having unusual reserve forces and strength of purpose. The silent, forceful Superintendent does not appear to be reflected in the scheme of schools he has created. No one but a great enthusiast could have thought of so many novel plans for helping and amusing the children. At the same time one realizes that only a man of strong personality could have persuaded the public and school authorities that so many and such expensive innovations could be justifiable. It is quite true that he would not have

been able to secure the money for what must have seemed to be extravagances had he not been able to show that the buildings which he demanded could be used by two or three times as many persons as have ever before been put into buildings of similar extent.

The school houses are models of architecture, they are substantial, they are well arranged, they are impressive in their exterior, and are maintained in an admirable manner. The shops are equipped with machinery of modern design and of great variety. The laboratories look businesslike. The playgrounds are for the real amusement of the children. On every hand one gets the impression of lavish thoughtfulness for the pupils. Educational traditions, textbooks, established courses of study are thrown to the winds because they may not appeal to the boys and girls, and in discussing the Gary schools, whether dealing with the school plant or courses of study, this must always be the starting point. Give the child what he likes, do not attempt to force upon him methods to which he may object.

If one bears this in mind one is able to perceive not only the extent of the departures which Mr. Wirt has made in the construction of his buildings, but also his innovations in pedagogy. The question, of course, soon arises whether this pursuit of happiness, this cult of the easy, is going to furnish the material which will make hard-working and accurate scholars and produce thoughtful men. Another query which arises in one's mind is this: Is not the Gary conception too big? Is it, after all, the province of the school to attempt to do for its pupils all that Mr. Wirt has undertaken? The answer to both these questions must be, Time alone can tell.

In the City of Gary the pride in the school is everywhere evident. The driver of the jitney car which takes you up and down the main street tells you without much enthusiasm and, as though the statement were a matter of course, that Gary has the best schools in the world. He volunteers the information that things are different from the time when he went to school. He begins to enumerate what they have out there: the menagerie, the garden, the wading pond, the swimming pool, the different shops, the entertainments in the Auditorium—all of these things have kindled his imagination, though he confesses that he does not quite see what they have to do with a boy's schooling.

At the hotel, (which is now over-crowd-

ed, for Gary is beginning to recover from its recent lean years,) the boy who takes your bag tells you with much pride that he goes to the Gary schools, and when you begin to ask him about his course of study it seems that the shop work and the drafting have made a greater impression on him than the more conventional high school studies. He is not quite sure as to his algebra textbook or how far he has gone in this study. Yes, he has had German, but he did not get along very well in this language.

It is not impossible that this condition of mind may be somewhat typical. The things that are making the strongest impression upon the Gary children are not what they learn from books. On one of the days that I spent in Gary the weather was exceedingly hot. It was a holiday. A good part of the forenoon I passed with one of Mr. Wirt's assistants. In the afternoon I went to see the Superintendent himself. While I was talking with Mr. Swartz, the assistant, there was a group of girls and boys, little and big, in a neighboring room who were receiving a class music lesson. Some played the violin, some played mandolins, and one or two brass instruments.

It was hard to talk educational psychology with the Assistant Superintendent while these young people were torturing some of the popular melodies into shapes that were almost unrecognizable, but one could not help but feel that educational psychology was futile in the face of a situation like this—when children were willing to give up their holiday to come to school, without any compulsion, and follow the directions of the music teacher with the greatest eagerness. It was a melancholy performance from an artistic point of view, but the zeal and serious expression of the young people made it a noteworthy index of what Mr. Wirt is accomplishing.

Then again in the afternoon as I went to see the Superintendent I observed a group of four or five young girls who were on the way to the same school building as I. The temperature was up in the nineties; the streets of the flat prairie city were sun-baked; there was not a breath of air stirring. The girls were on their way to school to take a swim. Again I felt that the school was accomplishing something that was almost better than an educational task.

To a school man who has been brought up in the belief that the old-fashioned methods of conducting schools are by no means effete the Gary system seems to be an exceedingly interesting experiment,

but still an experiment. Its social accomplishments are beyond question. It is taking the children of the very large foreign element, poorly housed, poorly cared for, and giving to them a day full of absorbing interests which is made up of classroom work, manual work, and play. It is literally cleaning them up, giving them a very happy life, and doing a great deal toward molding them into American citizens.

It is, of course, a great advantage to the system that the children seem to enjoy their school and their school work. However, in making a comparison of his schools with the schools of former days, Mr. Wirt draws a picture whose colors are too dark. To most of us the period that we spent in the primary school and the grammar school does not appear in retrospect a very gloomy portion of our lives. As we reflect upon it, it is hard to bring back many impressions of any kind. This makes us feel that in some way or other there must have been a great waste of time. We did not get much out of our early school days. Few of us gained from this period of our lives what we ought to have gained. There is still something wrong with elementary instruction. Its chief fault consists in the wastefulness of the children's time.

Mr. Wirt thinks he has found a solution. He says in substance: "Let us crowd more things into the life of the child, let us give him more impressions and a greater variety of impressions." Unquestionably Mr. Wirt is on the right path. One illustration is sufficient to show the futility of the curriculum of the average public primary and grammar school. A good part of eight years is devoted to the study of arithmetic, to juggling with arithmetical processes most of which are forgotten. The child would be just as well off at the age of 14 if he had studied arithmetic for only five or six years and had filled in the rest of the time with other things which would be more stimulating.

Mr. Wirt introduces foreign languages and science and a great deal of shop work in these early years. It is possible that the child does not get much exact information out of these courses, but he is certainly no worse off than if he had put in all his time on the deadening courses of the old-fashioned curriculum. Mr. Wirt claims that the impressions which the child gets in this way give him a "background" for the study of these subjects when he enters the high school. The foreign language has a more familiar look and sound, physics and chemistry are not entirely unthought-of subjects.

The keynote of Mr. Wirt's system of instruction is to allow the child to study those things which he likes to learn in the manner in which he likes to learn them. The recitations should be conducted along the lines which the child suggests. Formal textbooks are discouraged. It is to be observed that the idea of the Superintendent is always not to give the pupil what past experience says is best for him, or what the Superintendent or teacher thinks is best for him, but always what the child himself wants. It is this point of view that leads one to believe that the Gary schools as a means of

furnishing an education are still in an experimental stage.

Does the pupil receive the mental discipline that is best calculated to develop his mind if he is allowed to proceed in this very casual manner? Is it possible to acquire power of concentration and application if one follows always the line of least resistance? Headmasters of secondary schools find that the greatest fault of their pupils is that they do not know how to study or to apply themselves to their tasks, and a boy or young man who has not acquired this ability has but little chance of getting the kind of education that he ought to have. In the Gary schools the children are not expected to do much studying at home, or, in fact, to do much work on their own account at all. It would seem hardly likely that a student could acquire independence of thought under these conditions.

It is quite probable that Mr. Wirt recognizes the serious difficulty of inducing public school children to study outside of school hours, and he says in effect that his system will place very little responsibility upon the home and the parents. He will have his school day last from 8:15 in the morning until 4:15 in the afternoon. He will attempt to do nearly the whole work of educating the child within the school walls. The distractions to which the young people are exposed certainly justify such an undertaking, and the Gary plan may be the lesser of two evils, but certainly an ideal scheme is not complete unless emphasis is placed upon private study and independent thinking.

Mr. Wirt claims that by introducing into the lower grades subjects which are usually taught in the high schools he will be able to save his students two years. If this is true his methods should be accepted enthusiastically. Something will certainly have to be done to reduce the time that is now required in educating men for professional careers. A boy graduates usually from the high school at 18, from college at 21. If he then goes to a professional school he will be 25 or 28 years of age before he receives his final diploma, and he can hardly hope to get started on the real business of earning a living until he is 27 or 28.

In theory Mr. Wirt is unquestionably right in his expectation that he will be able to shorten the school life of the boy. In practice the success of his method will depend very largely upon the ability of his teachers. In this connection it should be said that we are in danger of talking too much about system and too little about the ability of the individual teacher. A good schoolmaster can teach successfully and inspire his pupils whether he follows the Gary system or whether he follows no system at all. A great teacher does not need the complex equipment that Mr. Wirt demands, in order to bring out what is best in his pupils, although he may be helped by the lavish furnishings of his laboratories, shops, auditoriums and playgrounds. There is also the danger, however, that

the pupils may be distracted from the prime object of getting an education by the complexity of the Gary organization.

The usual conception of the Gary schools is that they are designed primarily for vocational and practical training. Mr. Wirt denies that this is the aim of his course of study. It is true that he begins manual training in the lower grades and he attempts to give to this course a real practical value, in that he expects the pupils in the shops to manufacture the things that they actually use in the school. He demands that the girls who are studying domestic science shall conduct a lunchroom and prepare and sell the luncheons in a businesslike way. He requires the boys in the printing shops to print the school publications, those in the carpenter shop to make some of the school furniture. However, when he starts his young children in these practical courses he has something else in mind besides the making of good cooks, housekeepers, carpenters, and printers.

He thinks there is a psychological advantage, a real educational value in the pursuit of these subjects. He claims that the life which children are forced to lead in the cities is an artificial manner of living, and the object of the school should be to eliminate some of these unnatural conditions and to restore the children to safer surroundings. By giving the child work to do with his hands he believes he is helping him to a more natural, one might say a more primitive, way of living. He does not think that vocational training, strictly speaking, should be undertaken until the boy or girl is far advanced in the high school course. He objects to the idea expressed in the term, "prevocational" training. His pupils who work in the shops do so not for any benefit in the trade which they may adopt later in life.

Mr. Wirt does not seem to be a modern "educationist" in that he wishes to abandon the many traditional subjects which are now being attacked from all sides. He is proud that his boys can do in the third year of high school what he calls college physics. His work in Latin is satisfactory to him, even Latin prose composition, a subject that is usually taught in a most inadequate manner in the public schools, causes him no uneasiness. The course which is given in the four upper classes of the Gary schools, (Mr. Wirt objects to dividing schools into primary, grammar, and high schools; the little and big children are all in one building,) he says, is governed by the requirements which the State of Indiana exacts of all high schools.

One cannot but feel that the Superintendent's first interest lies in the lower classes. Apparently he has no misgivings as to the work of his older pupils, but with them there are fewer opportunities for innovations and educational experiments. However, the success of his entire system depends upon the results which are obtained by the graduates of the upper classes. If they are well trained and intelligent students, and especially if they are able to complete their

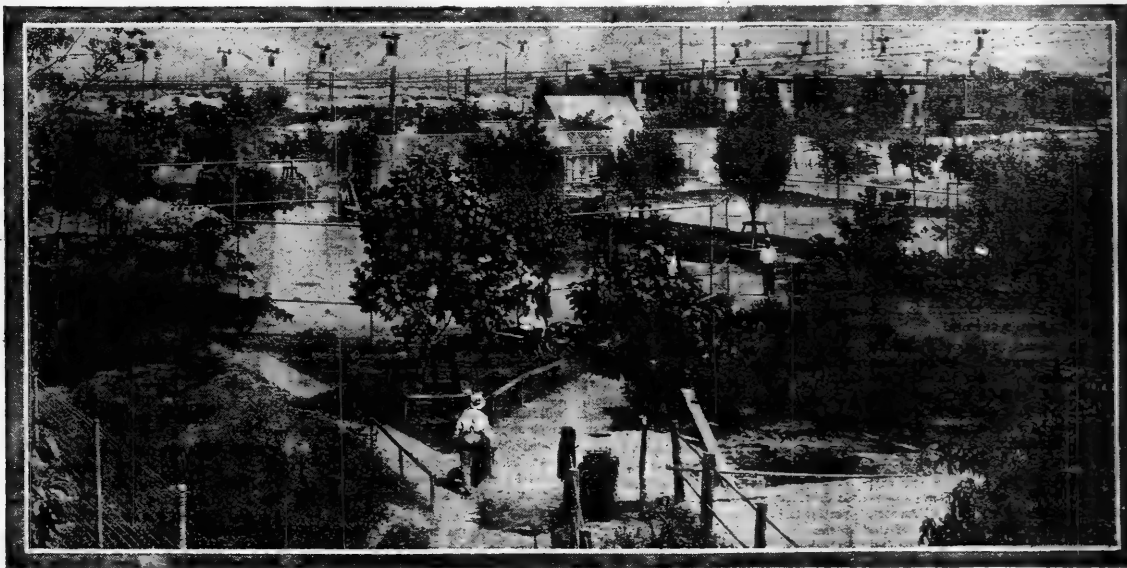
courses a year or two earlier than the graduates of other high schools, there could be no better testimony to the efficiency of the system.

Mr. Wirt makes great claims for his methods. He has made some daring innovations. He has set aside many things which educational tradition has regarded as essential. It is only fair that the results which he has obtained should be thoroughly tested. There are some things which even a casual observer finds in Gary that make him feel that, in spite of the very great benefits which the community has obtained from the schools, Mr. Wirt has not yet discovered a magical method which is going to take the place of painstaking and hard work on the part of the students and teachers.

In spite of Mr. Wirt's assertion that the vocational idea is only a secondary one with him, at every turn one feels that utilitarian ideals are placed ahead of the demand for thorough scholarship. The enthusiasm of the school is a fine thing, but there is a possibility of "over-boasting," and when it comes to a question of books and learning and scholarship there is danger in glorifying too much the hustling, practical ideal. Even in the matter of teaching English one finds the horizon of the instructors rather limited. One hears a great deal about "vocational English." This is certainly pushing the practical conception of school work to a point that is altogether unreasonable. The instruction in English should not concern itself with the vocations or trades or professions. Good usage and what is good in literature are sufficient aims for the instructor, and it is stultifying for him to divide his work into departments and to say that this kind of writing is good in this line of business and that kind of writing is good in the other kind of business.

It is also shocking to find that the follow-up letters of the breakfast food manufacturers, of the paintmakers, of the automobile builders are held up as models of writing which young people should copy. This rawness and the ambition to be all things to all men is certainly very startling, and it would be unfair to judge the Gary School by strict standards of scholarship, if their Superintendent himself did not claim that he was contributing something new and important to the art or science of training young men and women.

He is bringing his plan of work to the greatest city in America. There are a good many people who have serious misgivings as to its efficacy. Its social value is beyond question. Its pedagogic excellence is still to be determined. On this account, and in order to satisfy those who have doubts, it would be a good plan, and one that is entirely fair, if the students in the highest class of the Gary school should be required to submit to examinations which should be set by some entirely unprejudiced board of examiners, such, for example, as the College Entrance Examination Board. If the young students are able to acquit themselves creditably



A Corner of the Playgrounds at the Emerson School, Gary, Showing Lights for Night Tennis.

in these tests the Gary system will have more than justified itself.

It is probable that Mr. Wirt would never have gained a hearing for himself if he had not been able to demonstrate that the adoption of his advice would mean a financial saving. This is his most obvious and possibly his most original contribution. As is well known, he is able to conduct two separate schools in the same building simultaneously. In other words, if the capacity of a building is normally five hundred, by the adjustment of the schedule he is able to take care of a thousand pupils. In the large cities, where the school population is increasing every year by the thousands, the cost of the new buildings which are necessary to house the growing numbers is a very serious financial question.

The cities must adopt the Gary system in its present form, or with some modification, in order to get the full value out of the investments which they have made in their equipment. If Mr. Wirt has done nothing else, he has shown that as a business matter the schools are not getting all they should out of the money

that has been expended. In Gary Mr. Wirt is not content with using a school building for two separate schools. He also employs the equipment for adults at night. While the attendance at the day schools is about 5,000, the enrollment at night is nearly 7,000. To be sure, a good many of those who come in this evening are foreigners who wish to improve their English, but the excellent shops are also strong attractions for the adult pupils.

This method of conducting night classes in the public school buildings is being adopted more and more in other cities, but it would be a good plan if much of the vocational training were transferred to the evening sessions and the day schools were devoted to the more general studies. If the problem of vocational training is ever solved, it will be done through the night schools or continuation schools.

Some of the writers on the Gary system in their enthusiasm have declared that Mr. Wirt has solved one of the most difficult educational questions, namely, that of holding pupils through the period which lies between the seventh grade and

the second year of the high school. This is the time when the largest percentage of children stop their training. Much thought has been given to finding a means of keeping the pupils beyond this stage in their education. From the fact that the children seem to like their school and its methods and that the whole emphasis is not placed upon what a child learns from books, it ought to be possible to correct this evil. But the system has been in operation such a short time that it is impossible to make a definite statement in regard to this important matter. If Mr. Wirt has solved this question it should be another important item in the count in his favor.

When the plan is put into operation in New York its results will be watched with great interest. Will the complaints in regard to the inefficiency of the schools grow less? Will the spelling of school-boys improve? Will the business men stop saying that the schools are unable to furnish them with employees who are accurate and well trained in the fundamentals? Time alone will answer these questions. Certainly there is great room for improvement. The output of the

average American high school is far from satisfactory. The question arises whether the Gary methods are going to give to boys and girls a greater appreciation of the necessity of really thorough work. If so, let us welcome them heartily and let us pray that they will soon find application in all the schools of the country.

If the Gary schools are simply places where the children are kept pleasantly entertained during their school life, and when they leave know a little about a variety of different things—about carpentry, plumbing, and the innumerable forms of manual training—and still do not know anything thoroughly, the Gary idea will have proved itself to be merely another one of the many Utopian educational schemes.

No one nowadays with an educational program which he wishes to have the public adopt goes very far in his presentation before he refers to German education. So it is with Mr. Wirt. Some of the features of his schools he wishes to justify by an appeal to German methods, but it should be borne in mind that the foundation of all German educational work is thoroughness.

Unpublished Letters of Washington Irving

Many Never Before in Print Appear in His Correspondence with Henry Brevoort, Telling of Walter Scott, Dolly Madison, and Other Celebrities

THOSE who delight in getting more intimate glimpses of great writers than are afforded by the books of these supermen of literature, with their fictitious characters and invented episodes, will find golden treasure, treasure never before spread before the eyes of the general reader, in "The

longed to one of New York's most respected families, whose name is still enshrined in the New York of today, where a well-known hostelry and a venerable old corner house, both not far from where Fifth Avenue begins its northward course, serve to recall it to us of the twentieth century.

When the friendship began Washington Irving was simply a light-hearted, generous-minded young New York patrician, full of life and wit and geniality, in whose head the literary works destined to make him famous were already simmering. His letters to his friend take us through early days of gaiety and hope, through later days when he met business reverses and allowed gloom to pervade his hitherto sunny ramblings;

now famous "Knickerbocker History of New York." Says he to Brevoort:

I have been delayed in putting my work to press by some minute and curious facts which I found in a manuscript in the Philad. Library and which has obliged me to make alterations in the first vol. but tomorrow I begin—by God.

I wish you would immediately forward me the inscription on old P. Stuyvesant's Tombstone—and get Jim as well as yourself to prepare some squibs &c to attract attention to the work when it comes out.

Some while after the history had made its appearance, its youthful author repaired to Washington. Travel was no trifle in those days; he reports to Brevoort that his journey to Baltimore "was terrible and sublime, as full of adventurous matter and direful peril as one of Walter Scott's pantomimic, melodramatic, romantic tales." We learn that he was three days on the road, and passed one night in a log house—"yet somehow or other I lived through it all, and lived merrily into the bargain, for which I thank a large stock of good humour which I put up before my departure from N. York, as traveling stores to last me throughout my expedition."

In Baltimore he ran across Monsieur

got away down in Georgetown & the persons to whom my letters of introduction were directed lived all upon Capitol Hill, about three miles off—while the President's house was exactly half way. Here was a nonplus, enough to startle any man of less enterprising spirit—but I had sworn to be there—and I determined to keep my oath, and, like Caleb Quotem, to "have a place at the Review."

So I mounted with a stout heart to my room, resolved to put on my pease blossoms and silk stockings, gird up my loins—sally forth on my expedition & like a vagabond Knight errant, trust to Providence for success and whole bones. Just as I descended from my attic chamber full of this valiant spirit, I was met by my landlord, with whom & the head waiter by the bye, I had held a private cabinet counsel on the subject. Bully Rook informed me that there was a party of gentlemen just going from the house, one of whom, Mr. Fontaine Maury of N. York, had offered his services to introduce me to "the Sublime Porte."

I cut one of my best opera flourishes, skipped into the dressing room, popped my head into the hands of a sanguinary Jacobinical barber, who carried havoc and decolletation into the lower regions of my face, mowed down all the beard on one of my cheeks and laid the other in blood like a conquered province—and thus like a second Banquo, with "twenty mortal murders on my head," in a few minutes I emerged from dirt and darkness into the blazing splendour of Mrs. Madison's Drawing room.

Here I was most graciously received—found a crowded collection of great and little men, of ugly old women, and beautiful young ones—and in ten minutes was hand in glove with half the people in the assemblage.

Mrs. Madison, Irving informs us, was "a fine, portly, buxom dame, who has



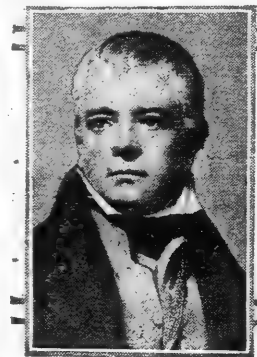
Dolly Madison.

Letters of Washington Irving to Henry Brevoort," just published by G. P. Putnam's Sons. The edition is a limited one, consisting of only 255 copies, of which 225 have been placed on sale.

The volume consists of about one hundred letters, written between 1807 and 1843. Most of them, including those recording the early part of Irving's career and those forming the concluding portion of his correspondence with Brevoort, have never before appeared in print. A few of the rest have been used, principally in abridged form, in the "Life of Irving" written by his nephew, Pierre, some fifty years ago. The latter often omitted the names of persons mentioned by his uncle, fearing to give offense, but now that a half-century has elapsed these names are once more restored to their places in the correspondence.

The original manuscripts of the letters used in the volume are, for the most part, from the great collection of Irvingiana owned by Mr. Isaac N. Seligman. The rest of the originals used were loaned by other collectors, and members of both the Irving and Brevoort families gave interesting information on the great writer and his friend to the editor of the letters, Mr. George S. Hellman.

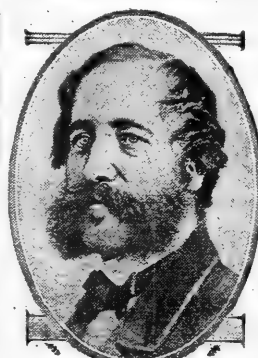
The friendship of Irving and Brevoort, formed in their early youth, was of the most lasting sort, as is proved by the fact that their correspondence covered a period of thirty-six years. Brevoort be-



Sir Walter Scott.

they take us to Washington, then a muddy little community; to sparkling theatrical performances in London, drawing its first deep breath of relief after Waterloo; to that Spain which so captivated Irving's heart that he has made it his very own in our literature. And, as we follow this urbane gentleman of the bubbling spirits, he introduces us to President James Madison and Dolly, his sprightly wife; to Charles Kemble and Mrs. Kemble, dazzling New York with their acting; to the grand Sir Walter Scott, anything but grand in his hearty welcome of the young American visitor; to Charles Keane, and the poet Campbell, who stirred the blood of patriotic Englishmen with "Britannia Needs no Banners." And there are shrewd estimates of Napoleon Bonaparte and other luminaries of the day, and keen dramatic criticism, and bits of social satire as pertinent today as when Irving penned them.

Irving's first letter to Brevoort is dated "Philadelphia, Oct. 23, 1807." It shows him already hard at work on his



James Carson Brevoort.

Tezler, a Frenchman who had just translated Knickerbocker's History of New York into his native tongue. "He has sent his translation to Paris," Irving informs Brevoort, "where I suspect they will understand and relish it about as much as they would a Scotch haggie & a singed sheephead."

At the nation's capital Irving proved himself a youth of great enterprise, and regaled his New York crony most entertainingly:

I arrived at the Inn about dusk, and, understanding that Mrs. Madison was to have her levee, or drawing room, that very evening, I swore by all the gods I would be there. But now? was the question. I had

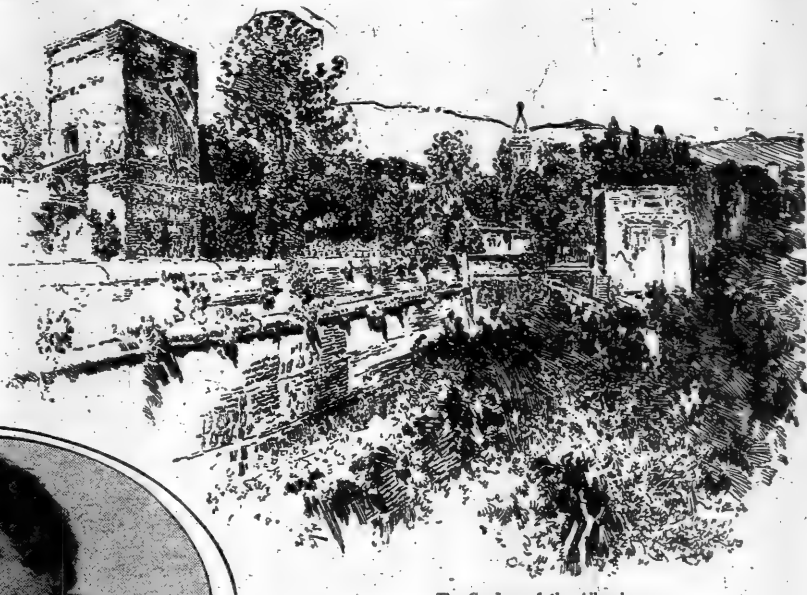


Henry Brevoort.

a smile and pleasant word for everybody." But, regarding her husband, President James Madison of the United States of America, it is: "Ah, poor Jimmy! He is but a withered little apple-John!" And the graceless young New Yorker closes his description of the President with a solemn: "But of this no more!—perish the thought that would

millitate against sacred things—Mortals
 avault! Touch not the Lord's anointed!"
 After his return to New York Irving
 plunges into another round of gaiety,
 meets a lovely little lady, and writes
 dejectedly to Brevoort—now in Europe
 —that he cannot aspire to her hand be-
 cause he has no money; that the modern
 maxim is "Handsome is that handsome
 does"—words which, though written in
 1812, would fit well into the pages of
 those who grow lugubrious at millionaire
 worship in 1915. "In a word, she is like
 an ortolan," Irving continues, still on the
 subject of the lovely little lady; "too
 rare and costly a dainty for a poor man
 to afford, but were I a nabob, 'ere
 George, ortolans should be my only
 food!"

There is an up-to-date ring again
 about the following: "This war com-
 pletely shuts up all my prospects of vis-
 iting Europe for some time to come"—
 though it, too, was written in 1812. The



The Gardens of the Alhambra.

From Joseph Pennell's Drawing in "The Alhambra," (Macmillan.)



Washington Irving.

New Yorkers of that day were much ex-
 cited about the War of 1812. Henry
 Brevoort, far away on the continent of
 Europe, is informed by the faithful Ir-
 ving that old Mr. Brevoort, his father,
 "is highly tickled with the success of
 our navy."

He was so powerfully excited by the cap-
 ture of the Macedonian that he actually
 performed a journey to the Brothers, above
 Hellgate, where the frigates lay windbound,
 and he brought away a piece of the Mac-
 cedonian, which he seemed to treasure up
 with as much devotion as a pious Catholic
 does a piece of the true cross.

Then there was a great dinner to the
 naval heroes, "at which all the great
 eaters and drinkers of the city were
 present." We learn that "nothing is
 talked of but armies, navies, battles,
 &c." Eventually Irving got infected with
 the warlike fever of the day, joined the
 suite of the Governor of New York, and
 journeyed to Albany as a military
 man, breathing martial fire in his letters
 to Brevoort. But peace put an end to
 his soldiering, and, on May 25, 1815, a
 few weeks before Waterloo, Washington
 Irving set sail for the first of his visits
 to Europe, where he was to spend so
 many years and find inspiration for so
 many well-beloved stories.

At Liverpool he foregathered with the
 renowned actor, Charles Kemble, and his
 wife, whom he had already met in New
 York, and he writes to Brevoort—by this
 time back in New York—as to a possible
 tour for the pair in America:

The terms offered by Mr. Cooper were not
 such as to tempt them across the Atlantic,
 as they could make as much by travelling
 among the provincial theatres of England.
 "Kemble, however, talks as if he should
 like to make an excursion to America himself
 for a year and leave Mrs. K. and the family
 in England. Such, I think, would be the
 best plan, as Mrs. K., though an actress of
 undoubted talents, has grown almost too
 large for many of the characters she plays—
 particularly for the eyes of American audi-
 ences, who, you know, are accustomed to
 the more delicate figures of our American
 ladies."

Napoleon's fall came while Irving was
 in England. Writing after the former
 Emperor had been sent by the English
 Government to St. Helena, Irving tells
 Brevoort:

I must say I think the Cabinet has acted
 with littleness toward him. In spite of all
 his misdeeds he is a noble fellow—and I am
 confident will eclipse, in the eyes of Posterity,
 all the crowned miscreants that have crushed
 him by their overwhelming confederacy.

If anything could place the Prince Regent
 in a more ridiculous light, it is Bonaparte
 using for his magnanimous protection. Every
 compliment paid to the bloated sensualist,
 this inflation of sack & sugar, turns to the

keenest sarcasm—and nothing shows more
 completely the caprices of fortune and how
 truly she delights in reversing the relative
 situations of persons & baffling the flights of
 intellects and enterprises—than that, of all
 the monarchs of Europe, Bonaparte should
 be brought to the feet of the Prince Regent.

An eagle towering in his pride of place
 Was by a mousing owl hawked at and
 killed.

Here is another interesting estimate
 of Napoleon, written after observing
 some retired English Generals of the old
 military school:

Boney must have sadly disconcerted the
 comfortable system of these old warriors by
 the harassing, restless, cut and slash mode
 of warfare that he introduced. He has put
 an end to all the old carte and tierce system
 in which the cavaliers of the old school
 fought so decorously, as it were, with a small
 sword in one hand and a chapeau in the
 other. During his career there has been a
 sad laying on the shelf of old Generals who
 could not keep up with the hurry, the fierce-
 ness, and dashing of the system.

Irving visited Scotland in 1817, and,
 remembering that Henry Brevoort had
 visited the great Walter Scott not long
 before and spoken of his young literary
 friend, the latter walked boldly up to the
 gate of Abbotsford, the novelist's estate,
 and sent in a letter of introduction
 "with a card and request to know
 whether it would be possible for him to
 receive a visit from me in the course of
 the day."

The welcome left nothing to be de-
 sired. Irving describes it to his friend
 with glowing enthusiasm:

Mr. Scott himself came out to see me and
 welcomed me to his home with the genuine
 hospitality of the olden times. In a moment
 I found myself at his breakfast table, and
 felt as if I was at the nodal board of an old
 friend. Instead of a visit of a few hours, I
 was kept there several days—and such days!
 You know the charms of Scott's conversa-
 tion, but you have not lived with him in the
 country—you have not rambled with him
 about his favorite hills and glens and burns
 —you have not seen him dispensing happi-
 ness around him in his little rural domain.
 I came prepared to admire him, but he com-
 pletely won my heart and made me love
 him. He has a charming family around him
 —Sophia Scott, who must have been quite a
 little girl when you were here, is grown up,
 and is a sweet little mountain lassie. She
 partakes a great deal of her father's charac-
 ter—is light-hearted, ingenious, intelligent
 and amiable. Can tell a whimsical story and
 sing a border song with the most captivating
 naïveté.

Scott was very attentive in showing me the
 neighboring country. I was with him from
 morning to night and was constantly aston-
 ished and delighted by the perpetual and
 varied flow of his conversation. It is just
 as entertaining as one of his novels, and
 exactly like them in style, point, humor,
 character and picturesqueness. I parted
 with him with the utmost regret, but re-
 ceived a cordial invitation to repeat my visit

on my way back to England, which I think
 I shall do. I should not forget to mention
 that he spoke of you in the most friendly
 terms, and reproached himself for not hav-
 ing written to you but says he is extremely
 remiss in letter-writing.

Irving took in the theatres of London
 and was outspoken and independent in
 his criticisms. Miss O'Neill was, to his
 mind, the most "soul-subduing" of
 actresses; he confesses that never was
 he so "completely melted, moved, and
 overcome at a theatre as by her perfor-
 mance." But of another performer,
 one of the most-celebrated of his day,
 the American pronounced this verdict:

Kean—the prodigy—is to me insufferable.
 He is vulgar—full of trick and a complete
 mannerist. This is merely my opinion. He
 is cried up as a second Garrick—as a re-
 former of the stage, &c., &c. It may be so.
 He may be right and all other actors wrong;
 this is certain, he is either very good or
 very bad. I think decidedly the latter.

At this time business troubles were
 harassing Irving. Once he speaks dis-
 mally to his faithful friend of going
 through the bankruptcy court; again he
 thanks Brevoort for urging him to draw
 on him when in need of funds. "I can
 draw on you with confidence," he writes,
 "as you will receive the proceeds of my
 writings, which I hope will more than
 cover my drafts. . . . If I can get
 my mind into full play, and dash off a
 set of writings that may do me credit, I
 shall return home with alacrity, and it
 will hasten my return—but I cannot bear
 the thoughts of limping home broken
 down and spiritless to be received kindly
 in remembrance of former services."

So he stayed on in Europe, writing
 diligently, not allowing social disfrac-
 tions to interfere with his labors. The
 letters of this period betray the worries
 of their writer; there is little of the
 bubbling gaiety of former days. But
 he still met interesting people and wrote
 interestingly about them. One was Mr.
 Hallam, author of the History of the
 Middle Ages; another Mrs. Siddons, the
 great actress, of whom Irving narrates:

She is now near 70 and yet a magnificent,
 looking woman. It is surprising how little
 time has been able to impair the dignity of
 her carriage or the noble expression of her
 countenance. I heard her read the part of
 Constance at her own house one evening,
 and I think it the greatest dramatic treat
 I have had for a long time past.

Better days soon came to Washington
 Irving. Journeying to Spain, he was
 soon delightedly delving into the past of
 that romantic land, gathering the ma-
 terials for those enchanting works which
 have forever linked his name with Gra-
 nada and the Alhambra. He writes from
 the latter to Brevoort in May, 1829, with
 his old-time enthusiasm:

You see, I am still lingering in Spain, and
 I declare to you I feel so much interested in
 this noble country and noble people that
 though from time to time I have made resolu-
 tions and preparations to leave them, I
 have as often postponed my departure.

By the date of my letter you will perceive
 I am royally quartered. I came to Granada
 about three weeks since to pass a little time
 here during the finest season of the year in
 company with a young Russian Prince, the
 Secretary of the Russian Legation, and the
 Governor of the Alhambra, finding us poorly
 lodged in the town, gave us permission to
 take up our residence in a corner of the old

Moorish palace which had been assigned to
 him for his quarters, but which he had not
 taken possession of.

Here then I am, nestled in one of the most
 remarkable, romantic, and delicious spots in
 the world. I have the complete range and I
 may say control of the whole palace, for the
 only residents beside myself are a worthy
 old woman, her niece and nephew, who have
 charge of the building and who make my
 bed, cook my meals, and are all kindness
 and devotion to me. I breakfast in the
 saloon of the Ambassadors or among the
 flowers and fountains of the Court of the
 Lions, and when I am not occupied with my
 pen I lounge with my book about these
 Oriental apartments or stroll about the
 courts and gardens and arcades by day or
 night, with no one to interrupt me. It abso-
 lutely appears to me like a dream or as if I
 am spellbound in some fairy palace. . . .

I think I shall be tempted to remain here
 for three or four weeks longer at least. I
 wish to enjoy the delights of this place
 during the hot weather and to have a com-
 plete idea how those knowing Moors enjoyed
 themselves in their marble halls, cooled by
 fountains and running streams.

The two or three weeks lengthened to
 months; it was not until late in July that
 Irving finally tore himself away from
 the Alhambra.

After his first visit to Spain Irving
 was made American Minister to that
 country, partly through the efforts of
 the faithful Henry Brevoort, and he con-
 tinued to live for years in the land which
 he loved so well. Reappointed Minister,
 he had, as an attaché, Brevoort's son
 Carson, of whom he wrote to the elder
 Brevoort:

"My heart warms toward him not
 merely on his own account, but also on
 your own. He seems like a new link in
 our old friendship, which commenced
 when we were both about his age, or
 even younger, and which I have always
 felt as something almost fraternal."

The last letter in the long corre-
 spondence is one of the most interesting.
 It was written by Irving to Brevoort in
 1843, when the great author was Min-
 ister to Spain for the second time. In
 it he says:

In all my diplomacy I have depended more
 upon good intentions and frank and open
 conduct than upon any subtle management.
 I have an opinion that the old maxim, "Hon-
 esty is the best policy," holds good in diplo-
 macy.

Thus far I have got on well with my
 brother diplomatists, and have met with
 very respectful treatment from the Spanish
 Government in all its changes and fluctua-
 tions. I have endeavored punctually to per-
 form the duties of my office and to execute
 the instructions of Government, and I be-
 lieve that the archives of the Legation will
 testify that the business of the mission has
 never been neglected. I have not suffered
 illness to prevent me from keeping every-
 thing in train; and indeed my recovery has
 been retarded by remaining at my post
 during the revolutionary scenes of last Sum-
 mer, though urged by my physician to spend
 the hot months at the watering places in
 the mountains.

I do not pretend to any great skill as a
 diplomatist; but in whatever situation I am
 placed in life, when I doubt my skill, I en-
 deavour to make up for it by conscientious
 assiduity.

Soon after writing thus to his old
 friend the correspondence between Ir-
 ving and Henry Brevoort ceased, for
 they both resided thenceforth close be-
 side each other in the great author's
 well-beloved New York, his birthplace.

Manhattan Island the World's Greatest Mine

Excavations Made for the Subway System Show Interesting, Valuable, and Varied Formations in Rock-Bound Bit of Land on Which New York Is Built

MANHATTAN ISLAND in certain parts is being shored up and braced to remove the marks of the recent collapses when masses of rock went sliding into the new subways. The engineers have just made their reports on the trouble, the even course of traffic is being resumed, and the city is settling down into its accustomed grooves all unmindful of the fact that it is resting upon the greatest mine in all the world.

It is a bonanza mine which in its possibilities transcends the wealth of Ormus and of Ind. From the living rock of Manhattan garnet and tourmaline and semi-precious stones of that kind have been taken, and now and then some one suggests that there is gold in streaks, with traces of other valuable minerals. The bulk of the island in which there is now so much drilling and boring and tunneling is the Manhattan schist, the foundation of countless millions of value, the support of many thousands of structures which are the wonder and the admiration of the world. In ordinary circumstances a well-behaved rock it is, warped and tilted as it is in places. Under the skillful ministrations of engineers accidents are very few, considering the enormous extent of the operations which are carried on beneath the surface of the city.

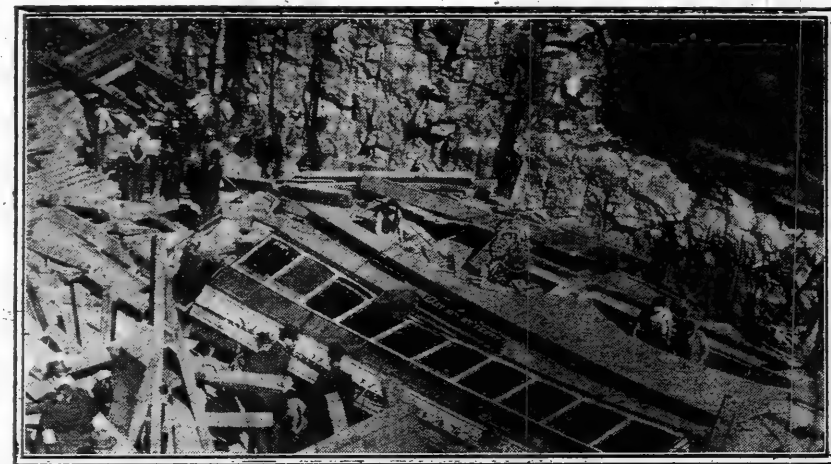
It was suggested the other day that the metropolis have a mining engineer of its own to look over its rocks. As a matter of fact, New York has hundreds of such experts, and no underpinning of any city on earth has been more minutely studied both by the geologist and by the engineer. Its strata, minerals, its general make-up, present a theme of never-ending interest to them.

The rock-bound island of Manhattan in prehistoric times stood about 200 feet higher than it does at present. The entire surrounding region was loftier and the streams sank their channels deep on their way to the Silurian Sea. The bold escarpment of the Palisades is a mute witness to the way the waters were their way into the yielding stone. The Hudson and the East River joined at a hill which is now the Battery and through a wide plain flowed united to the ocean. The land sank, the low and marshy plain became the harbor of New York, connected with the sea by the Narrows, the mouth of the ancient confluence.

The making of the city was accompanied by many upheavals of nature, and its characteristic rock, Manhattan schist, underwent many changes. It is believed to have been of sedimentary origin, but the invasion of igneous rock and the constant pressure transformed it and in places gave it an almost crystalline nature. Black and streaked, filled with flakes of mica, glittering with grains of quartz, partaking of the nature of such constituents as feldspar, biotite and muscovite, Manhattan schist is as varied and complex as the life of the men whose dwellings rest upon it.

Beneath the schist lie the layers of a soft marble sometimes referred to as the Stockbridge dolomite. Fine white veins it was found seven hundred feet below the surface near Chrystie Street a few months ago in driving the Catskill water tunnel. Some of this rock, which crops out in Westchester and is there called the Tuckahoe marble, was used in the building of St. Patrick's Cathedral.

Further down is the Fordham gneiss, occasionally rising in veins to the surface, a mixture of quartz and feldspar of zircon, with traces of hornblende and often embedding garnets of unusual beauty. The native contributions of



Subway Cave-In. In the Background Appears Rock of Irregular Structure Typical of New York City Geology.

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this city to the jewelry industry would come from this layer. Further down is the Yonkers gneiss, and the bottom stratum is the so-called Ravenswood diorite, which is often set down by the engineers as granite. The tilting and the twistings in ages past have in places mixed up these layers, but for the most part the Manhattan schist, though often awry, after the struggle was over came out on top of all the others.

The drifting of the glaciers over this region altered the surface of Manhattan Island. They scraped off the earth as they struck the high places and left the marks of the boulders they brought with them on the underlying rock, as one may see in both Central and Riverside Parks, where the deep grooves often appear on the protruding schist. They filled up the hollows with earth and sand brought, too, from the up-State regions, and when the sun at last had melted them they had wrought many a change in the looks of this rock-bound isle.

Here and there were deep pockets of sand and gravel. Vegetation sprang up, the island became the land of trees and flowers which Hudson saw opposite the "green cliff" of serpentine at Castle Point, of which his mate so eloquently wrote. The Dutch came to possess the island placidly; then followed the swarming of the English, and as thousands of descendants of the various stocks came to hold Manhattan for their own there grew the need for more room. Hence the building of the skyscrapers of Manhattan, many-towered like Camelot of old, and the burrowing into the depths of the rocks to find safe lodgment for their foundations.

The need of swift transportation to the lands beyond the island made necessary the tunnels beneath the surface and the giant thirst of the city required enormous pipes to bring drink from the Groton Lake and the Titanic Cup of Ashokan. Light, heat, and power, must be communicated by cables and pipes beneath the surface.

Hence the growth of the under New York, which every year makes new requirements of human ingenuity. Thus it has come to pass that this city rests upon many chambered diggings. The rock is honeycombed by galleries. The island of Manhattan is like some great ant hill, through the hidden passages of which millions of human beings are scurrying day and night.

To meet all these new conditions the problems of mining are put constantly in use. At Broadway and Thirty-eighth Street, where on Sept. 25 there was one of the cave-ins, you may see a gray structure at the top of which a car is going backward and forward under elec-

tric control. It is part of the telfer system, common to Western mines, which the contractors have put into operation on this island of Manhattan. If it were seen at the base of a mountain in distant Colorado it would seem entirely in place.

Most of the mining in New York is done in the Manhattan schist, and on account of its peculiar structure great care must be taken in working it. As far as the foundations of the buildings along which the subways are being driven are concerned, engineers see no danger to be feared, for they have been elaborately reinforced. Close to the edges of the tunnel, however, the greatest precaution must be exercised. The shoring and bracing which have been used were planned with the greatest care, and now that engineers have made their reports improvements have been suggested which will no doubt prevent the recurrence of any more serious accidents.

The Manhattan schist, which is always a difficult rock to deal with, is especially tilted and twisted across the island between Thirtieth and Fortieth Streets. There are no large faults, but the rock itself is often worn and weathered, sometimes disintegrated in seams by hidden streams; and its dip from northeast to southwest presents problems for the engineer.

The composition of the rock, with its admixture of the smooth and slippery crystals of mica, tends to make the masses more liable to sliding. The shock of explosions, the vibration of the traffic on the temporary structures overhead, the exposure of surfaces to the air, all contribute to the need of effective shoring and bracing.

That there is a zone of the schist which is especially prone to slip is shown by previous accidents. The tendency is for the rock to slide on the east side of excavations, as was the case years ago in Park Avenue in the lower Thirties when in the tunneling for the first subway there came a slide which caused several dwellings to topple.

On the other hand, the Manhattan schist seldom slips on the west side of an excavation. When the foundations for the present Hotel Belmont were dug, the rock was blasted down a sheer wall with small charges, and without in any way disturbing the foundations of the building of the Lincoln Trust Company which adjoins the hotel. It happens, however, that the slide of the schist which took place near Thirty-eighth Street on Sept. 25 was on the west side of the way. No absolute rule can be laid down for this contrary material. The digging of the tunnels of the Pennsylvania Railroad through Thirty-second and Thirty-third Streets resulted in many small cave-ins in the handling of the native rock.

Everywhere in this region the dip to the west must be considered whenever there are any extensive disturbances beneath the surface. The irregular and thinly-laminated structure must always be taken into account.

The reports made by the engineers from other cities appointed by the Mayor to pass upon the safety of the subways now building have been thorough and comprehensive. They find that the types of timbering used by the contractors were on the whole equal to the strain and have suggested modifications to meet the peculiar conditions.



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New Constitution Will Increase Efficiency

Unnecessary Boards Will Be Cut Out, Number of Departments Lessened, and the Governor Given More Power to See That Work Is Done Economically

By Frederick C. Tanner,
Chairman Committee on Governor and Other
State Officers, Constitutional Convention.

THE Constitution of 1894, under which we are living, provides that the Governor "shall take care that the laws are faithfully executed." That duty must, of course, continue to rest with the Governor. Article VI. of the proposed Constitution, which will be submitted to the people on Nov. 2, gives to the Governor what he has not heretofore had—the power to meet that responsibility.

On the first day of January, 1915, there were 152 departments, bureaus, boards, and commissions that constituted the executive branch of the State Government. In numerous instances they overlapped in jurisdiction and conflicted in operation. Any business man who has suffered from the multiplicity of inspections and conflicting orders coming from these unrelated bureaus knows how true this is.

A great number of these departments, boards, and commissions are in many instances practically free from effective control. It is manifestly impossible for the Governor personally to exercise direct supervision over such a multitude of agencies, and as there is no other general authority to supervise them they are therefore not accountable, practically, for what they do or fail to do.

The remedy provided by the proposed Constitution is simple. It presents a general plan of reorganization of these 152 agencies into 17 general departments, and forbids the Legislature creating any new general division outside of the departmental system outlined in the Constitution. The Constitution itself does not attempt the internal organization of such departments, or to say where each of these 152 boards, commissions, &c., shall go. These are matters of detail and are left to the Legislature.

It would be manifestly unwise, if not impossible, to attempt to "freeze" into the Constitution for twenty years a number of minor matters which, of necessity, will have to be changed from time to time to meet the necessities of public service. But the general departmental scheme is there, and cannot be changed unless by amendment to the Constitution itself.

The plan proposed will accomplish three things: First, it will result in an immense saving to the taxpayer by cutting out unnecessary boards or commissions whose work is duplicated. Second, by lessening the number of departments almost tenfold it will increase their accountability to the Governor, whose power of appointment and removal has been greatly increased. Third, it will provide a system of large departmental officers to whom the Governor can look for aid in making up the proposed new budget provided for in the Constitution and to enforce economy in expenditures.

In 1894, when the last Constitutional Convention sat, the number of departments, boards, &c., was thirty-nine. In 1904 the number had grown to sixty. In 1914 it had increased to 152, or nearly fourfold in twenty years. Within the same period the cost of government, exclusive of interest on the canal and highway debts and free school fund, had increased in approximately the same period from \$12,000,000 in 1895 to \$24,000,000 in 1905 and to \$42,000,000 in 1914.

The growth of population during the same period was, in round numbers, from 6,500,000 to 9,900,000. During this time the population had increased 53 per cent., while the expenses of government had increased 235 per cent. To put it in a more concrete form, in 1895 the per capita cost of State government was \$2.47, while in 1914 it was \$5.41.

Any man with business experience can see that if the ratio of the cost of government to population progresses indefinitely in this fashion it is only a question of time until the State will be plunged into bankruptcy.

The constitutional plan proposed is

bound to result in economy. It is apparent that every time a new board or department is created it is headed by a high-salaried official, invariably has a paid secretary and large overhead expenses made up of office rent, fixtures, and employees, and, what is still more unfortunate for the taxpayer, it leaves the Legislature the prey of just one more department, whose claims for ap-

proposals are added to the Constitution, and the Senate is given the further power of removal by a two-thirds vote.

Under the old system we have in reality a seven-headed government. Each one of these State officers is independent of the other, and answerable, not to the Governor, but to the people who elect him. But the duty to see "that the laws are faithfully executed" is im-

posed upon the Governor alone. Under the new Constitution greater power is given to the Governor, for the reason that he should not properly be held responsible for what he cannot direct or control.

This is a policy of administrative reform, of visible government, and of responsibility coupled with power. The article providing for it was adopted by a vote of 125 to 30 in the convention, and the principle could probably have been extended to the Controller and Attorney General. But there was a strong feeling in many quarters that the law officer and general fiscal officer of the State should be made directly answerable to the people, and inasmuch as the Democratic platform expressly provided that these two officers should be made elective, and the Republican platform only declared for a "substantial reduction" in the number of elective officers, the convention has only recommended to the people the extent of this principle to which public opinion has up to this time committed itself.

Either a reduction or an increase of the number of elective officials can be secured by constitutional amendment without disturbing the general plan outlined.

A somewhat different plan was followed in those departments to which are delegated rule-making and judicial functions, such as the Departments of Public Utilities, Conservation, Civil Service, Education, and Labor and Industry. In all of these, except the Department of Education, the Commissioners are appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, and are removable after service of written

charges and an opportunity to be heard thereon.

The change in the manner of appointment and removal in these departments from the scheme outlined above is for the reason that they cannot be considered as purely executive arms of the State Government. They possess to a large degree judicial or legislative functions and make rules and regulations under delegated authority from the Legislature. They serve for longer terms than the Governor and the same reasons do not apply for making them so strictly answerable to the appointing power.

The Department of Education will be administered by the University of the State of New York, as it is at present, the chief administrative officer being appointed by the Regents of the university. The Department of Education has worked admirably and no change is recommended.

The budget system was passed by practically the unanimous voice of the convention, only four dissenting voices being recorded. To it, and to the plan of departmental reorganization, the people can confidently look for a means of substantial reduction in the appropriations and the tax rate.

In conclusion, I may add that the remedy outlined above has been demanded by both of the great political parties of the State. The remedy must be afforded by constitutional enactment. The great growth in the number of departments has not been checked in the last twenty years by the Legislature, but, on the contrary, it has grown by leaps and bounds. The existing plan of State Government is not a creation by design, but is a growth by accretion.

The situation described in the platforms of 1914 by both the Republican and Democratic Parties was found to be substantially true by the Constitutional Convention. To the task of devising a logical and natural division of departments your Constitutional Convention gave five months of hard and unremitting toil.

This failure in the present system has been recognized by both of the great political parties of the State in clear and explicit terms. In 1914 the Republican State platform, framed especially with a view to this revision of the Constitution, declared:

"We recommend a substantial reduction in the number of elective officials by the application of the principles of the short ballot to the executive offices of the State. To prevent multiplication of offices we recommend that the various administrative functions of the State, so far as practicable, be vested in a limited number of departments. The present duplication of effort and expense in the public institutions of the State should be remedied by the establishment of a simpler and better organized system."

With the same realization of the necessity for action the Democratic platform of 1914 declared:

"The people should be able to know whom to hold responsible for any failure in the execution, or mal-administration, of their laws, and not have their attention divided and distracted by a number of elective, executive, and administrative officials, either elective or appointive, but be enabled to concentrate their attentions and to devote their energies to the election or defeat of fewer officials; therefore, to centre responsibility for executive and administrative action and to give full force and effect to the power of the people we favor an amendment to the Constitution providing for the election only of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Controller, and Attorney General, and we pledge ourselves to the preparation and submission of a scheme of constitutional amendment which shall concentrate responsibility for executive management, shall simplify the administrative system of the State and shall provide general rules of departmental organization for the future guidance of the Legislature."

The remedy suggested is not in any sense a partisan one, it having been ratified by a majority of both Democrats and Republicans in the convention.

The plan proposed does not change the functions of government, but outlines a better way to perform the functions now existing. It is submitted to the people in a firm belief that when adopted it will check the steady rise in the burdens of taxation and enable the people to exercise a more direct control over their public servants.



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propositions are often acceded to in proportion to the vigor with which they are pushed.

You can picture the situation for yourself, when you remember that members of the Legislature from all parts of the State are thus besieged by a vast number of departments and boards, each one of which is pushing his special interest, or perhaps hobby, without regard to the interests of other departments, and generally appealing to the local interest of the legislator himself.

On the other hand, under the new budget system in the proposed constitution the Governor will make up a list of appropriations for various departments, which cannot be exceeded by the Legislature, although it can be cut down. It is to these seventeen department heads that he must look for advice and assistance for the grouping of such departments as is natural and logical, so that the needs of the various functions of government can be more easily determined.

The efficiency of the government will be vastly increased. Those departments which are strictly executive in nature are put under the direction of heads who are appointed by the Governor and removable by him in his discretion. In these departments the power of the Senate to prevent an appointment is taken away, leaving the responsibility squarely upon the Governor.

In this way divided authority is avoided, and the old system of trading and bargaining between the executive and the legislative branches is done away with. As a check upon the Governor, however, in case an improper appointment is made, the power of impeachment

Big Brothering Boys Who Are in Law's Grip

Judge Hoyt Tells How the Work of the Children's Court Is Aided by Great Volunteer Organization Which Gives the Boy in Trouble a Helping Hand

EFFICIENT as is the Probation System in the courts of New York City, and enormous as has been the help given by the Children's Court in solving the problem of society's dealings with the juvenile offender, these powerful agencies are glad to avail themselves of the aid freely supplied by a great volunteer association. This organization is the Big Brothers.

Although this rapidly growing organization is generally known, the methods it employs are as a rule only vaguely comprehended. It was with the purpose of giving a clearer understanding of its workings that Judge Franklin Chase Hoyt recently talked to a TIMES reporter about the value of the Big Brothers movement to the community as he had seen it exemplified in the exercise of his judicial duty.

Judge Hoyt, it may be said, is doubly interested in this particular branch of philanthropic endeavor. He is the Presiding Judge of the Children's Court of New York City, and he is also President of the Big Brothers.

There are two classes of children with whom the Court has to deal," he said, as he sat at his great desk in his private office in the Children's Court Building. "They are the neglected child and the delinquent child, the child that has been offended against, and the child that has offended. The courses of procedure differ radically in the two cases.

"All delinquency cases, if they are of a serious nature and seem to warrant supervision by the Court, are put on probation. Such children never are handed over to the Big Brothers or to any other volunteer organization. Such is not the practice of the Court. We have our own probation officers, adequately trained and equipped for their work, and it is to their care that the delinquent children are committed.

"Although I am President of the Big Brothers, I don't turn the delinquent children directly over to the Big Brothers. I put them in the care of the probation officers. But if the case is not serious enough to warrant putting it on probation, then the Big Brothers and similar volunteer organizations are decidedly useful.

"In such cases of delinquency as I have mentioned, in which it is necessary for the Court to put the child on probation, the great value of the Big Brothers is that they stand ready to co-operate with the probation officers. The Big Brothers offer the children facilities that are, of course, beyond the reach of the probation officers, among them being employment and change of environment. Personally, I do not see how the work of the probation officers and that of the Big Brothers could ever clash and interfere with each other.

"You see, the Court is able to keep the child under strict supervision only for a comparatively short period of time. As a rule the period of probation runs from six months to a year. There is every reason why the help and the interest of the Big Brothers should be continued indefinitely. As a matter of fact, to continue that help and interest for a longer time than is possible to the probation officers is the chief aim of the Big Brothers.

"In the case of a child that is not delinquent, but has been neglected, advantage is taken of the services of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. But this by no means precludes a co-operation of a volunteer organization: As a matter of fact, it is sought and encouraged.

"The aim of the Big Brothers is to continue their interest in a case as long as may be necessary. This care may and often does continue for many years.

"The probation officers cannot be expected to do for the children committed to their care many of the things which are easily in the power of the Big Brothers. There is, as I have said, the employment which individual members of the Big Brothers organization are able to procure for the boys in whom they are interested.

"And then there are the Summer Camps. Boys who otherwise would not leave the city may now go to Summer Camps of Princeton, Saint Paul, Groton, and Choate School. Boys are sent to

"Nor do the Big Brothers neglect the important question of providing adequate instruction for the boys whom they intend to supply with employment. Through the Y. M. C. A. and the Training School for Office Boys, the Big Brothers provide special vocational training for many of the boys who have appeared before the Court.

"It is one of the principles of the Big Brothers' movement," said Judge Hoyt, "that every child should receive some religious training. The organization does not attempt to dictate what that

the Big Brothers often continues on until the boys have grown up and taken a responsible place in society.

"In this connection it is interesting to note that there are now among the active workers in the Big Brother movement men, who, as boys, came before the Court at the time of the establishment of the Big Brothers. Now they are befriending and taking care of boys who are brought before the Court, just as they were years ago.

"I said some time ago that the Big Brothers believe that every child should have some religious instruction. Apropos of this it may be stated that since the inception of the Big Brothers similar organizations have been started, notably movements for providing special care for Catholic, Jewish, and colored boys.

"Now, there is no doubt that the lack of the facilities which are furnished by the Big Brothers would greatly hamper the Court in its efforts to use the probation system efficiently. The fact that the probation system is backed up by the Big Brother movement is of a value that is readily apparent. At every Court session the Big Brothers' investigator is present, and he takes down the name of every boy who is brought before the Court."

Judge Hoyt smiled reminiscently. "I remember," he said, "one case I had some time ago. A boy came up before me for the third time. It is true that the charge against him was merely one of assault, and did not necessarily indicate any great moral delinquency. But the mere fact that the boy had been arrested three times, and had become an intolerable nuisance in his own neighborhood, made it difficult for me to come to a decision on the case.

"After a careful consideration of all the facts in the case the Court found itself clearly justified in giving the boy another chance instead of committing him to an institution. At the same time a need of the services of the Big Brothers was indicated.

"Both through its own officials and through the Big Brotherhood, the Court endeavored to do what it could for the boy's welfare. The first offer of the Big Brothers, of which advantage was taken at once, was to remove the boy from his environment for two or three weeks.

"He was taken to a Summer camp. Here he had life in the great outdoors instead of in the narrow and noisy city streets, he had wholesome outlets for the natural energy which had led him into mischief, and what is especially important, he found that he had real friends who took a genuine interest in him.

"After this boy's return to the city, his friends among the Big Brothers secured for him employment in a large brokerage office. There he has since risen to a position of considerable responsibility. Since his first visit to the Summer camp he has never missed his yearly trip to it.

"Lately he has taken charge in the Big Brother movement of various groups of small boys at the very camp to which he was sent after his early appearance in Court. When he reached his majority he was eager to show his willingness to do his share of the work, and since his election to the Big Brothers he has devoted many of his evenings to work among the boys at the club centres.

"While I have spoken of the work of the Big Brothers movement alone in connection with the Court, it is because as its President I have direct interest in its organization. There are other volunteer societies carrying on a similar work, and their activities and helpful service are fully as great. As Justice of the Children's Court I cannot close without testifying to the great debt which the Court owes to such societies as the Catholic Protective Society, the Catholic Boys' Protective League, (otherwise known as the Catholic Big Brothers), the Jewish Big Brothers, the Catholic Ladies' Committee, the Protestant Big Sisters, the Jewish Big Sisters, and the Catholic Big Brothers."



these camps through the instrumentality of the Big Brothers.

"Also the Court in the course of its work cannot fail to observe the beneficial effects of the five clubs which the Big Brothers conduct in various centres of the city. Thirty boys have attended each of these clubs three times a week within the past year.

"The Big Brothers have provided gymnasium work and instruction for 150 boys. And most of these boys have come from the Children's Courts.

"One important phase of the Big Brother movement is illustrated by the fact that many boys have through the instrumentality of the Big Brothers been placed in private schools. If the Big Brothers had not taken care of the boys in this manner, it would have been necessary for the Court to commit them to corrective institutions.

"Then there is a matter which I have already mentioned—the matter of employment. The probation officers cannot, of course, find employment for the boys given over into their care. But through the agency of the Big Brothers many boys are placed in positions which otherwise they could not hope to secure.

training shall be. But the Big Brothers have been instrumental in establishing close relations between the churches and the boys. Of course, it is the probation officer who is directly responsible. But back of the probation officer stand the Big Brothers, ready to give their powerful aid.

"Recently the Big Brothers established a system of Saturday trips for the boys to points of interest, some of which might also be of value from a vocational point of view. The boys have visited the Museum of Natural History, the navy yard, the Aquarium, hotel kitchens, bakeries and various mills and factories. This has given the boys on probation a chance to spend a part of their time pleasantly and profitably, and the results have been extremely gratifying to the Big Brothers and to the Court.

"The point which I mentioned that the Big Brothers are able to continue their supervision after that of the probation officers has terminated is of special significance. Because of the vast numbers to be dealt with by the Court, the supervision of the probation officers can necessarily be exercised only for a short time. But the friendly interest of

Exhibition of Winslow Homer's Water Colors

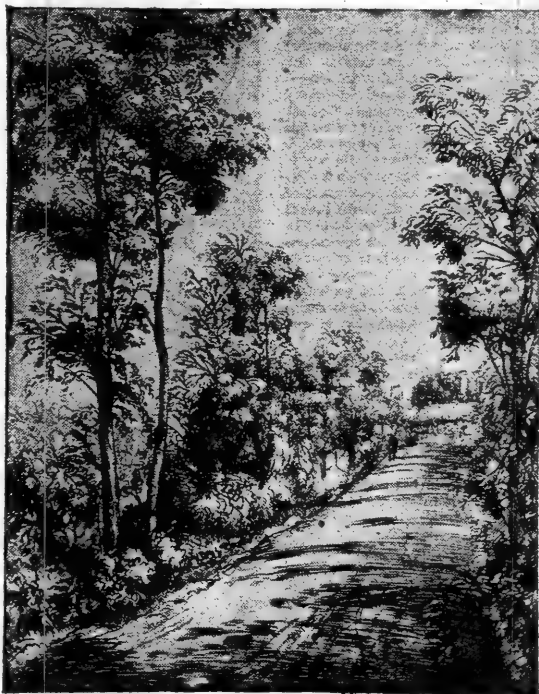
Water-Color Drawings by Winslow Homer, Never Before Exhibited, Are Now on View at the Art Museum of the Brooklyn Institute

THE collection of water colors by Winslow Homer, which is to be on exhibition at the Brooklyn Museum until the 7th of November, ranges from those reminiscent studies made in the seventies of subjects drawn from the experiences of the painter's childhood, through the Adirondack series, the Tyne-mouth series, the Front's Neck series to the tropical pictures. Although many of the exhibits have not been publicly seen before this, the general character of the works is known from the groups in different museums; but the public never before has had so admirable an opportunity to fix by comparison its impression of Homer's technical power in the handling of water color.

Near the rooms in which the fifty or more examples of his achievement in this medium are hung is the gallery containing the Sargent water colors. To pass from one to the other is to realize that the two men stand on the same plane in the boldness and precision of their workmanship. Kenyon Cox has written from his painter's standpoint of Homer's mastery of his material. "The perfection of water color depends," he says, "largely upon directness and rapidity. The material is never so beautiful as when it is washed in at once, with as little disturbance as may be, the white paper everywhere clear and luminous beneath and between the washes. It is the ideal material for rapid sketching from nature, because the sketcher, instead of sacrificing technical beauty to directness of expression, gains greater beauty with every increase of speed. Therefore, for the fastidious in technical matters Homer's sudden notations of things observed have an extraordinary charm, which comes of the perfect harmony between the end sought and the means employed. The more his mind is fixed upon the rendering of his impression and the less he thinks of his material, the more beautiful his material becomes. The accuracy of his observation, the rapidity of his execution, and the perfection of his technique increase together and reach their highest value at the same moment. The one little square of paper becomes a true record of the appearance of nature, an amazing bit of sleight of hand, and a piece of perfect material beauty; it gives you three kinds of pleasure, intimately related, and united, and each in the highest degree."

This clear analysis will aid many an uninitiated visitor to understand his own emotions in the presence of these exhilarating sketches. In addition to the three pleasures thus described is another which all the pictures give, though in varying degree, that due to the personal angle from which the subject is seen. Homer was the truest of Yankees in his power of detaching his subject from all aesthetic associations and extracting its idiosyncratic character. What he saw was the thing itself, not a remembered interpretation of the thing, and what he said of it on canvas or paper was his own thought concerning it, not a thought which compromised in the course of its expression with the predilections of the public. He said the unexpected and said it not from a desire to be original, but with native New England wit and terseness, as a farmer in the country store might talk with his comrades. The farmer would not, however, unite to his crisp diction Homer's nobility of vision. It is that which makes him not only an admirable technician able to stir to enthusiasm the minds of his fellow-artists, but a poet selecting from the facts confronting him those most significant of the larger truths in life and art. Mr. Cox has drawn attention to the change in the type of his women dating from his stay in the English fishing town of Tyne-mouth, where he first saw the ro-

ART AT HOME AND ABOARD



"Road Song," from an Etching by D. S. MacLaughlan, on Exhibition at the Hahlo Galleries.

most fishergirls whose splendid forms accorded with the elemental forces of nature with which they daily battled. This same fishwife type has served more than one artist with plausible excuse for picturesqueness, but Homer's classic taste rejected all that was easiest to emphasize and reproduce in the massive forms and large gestures, and chose for his design the characteristics in which the sculptor of the Elgin marbles would have been most interested. Most of his later work is cast in this heroic mold and makes not only a direct appeal to human interest, but gives a summoning call to the heights which human interest is apt to climb only when summoned by a thinker or seer of noble mind.

These qualities, force and nobility of

conception, witty and original expression, gain such power over the observer in the presence of any number of Homer's water colors that only those who linger over them notice certain other qualities of subtler charm. There are paintings, however, in which the daintiness of nature, its shy moods and fleeting aspects receive their due at the artist's powerful hand. He is strong to impress the weight and violence of the sea upon the landsman's mind, but he is delicate also in his caress of opal mists, reflections of sunlight from wet surfaces, and sensitive modulations of form. One painting in the group lent by Mr. Gould shows a deer in a green foreground, the mountains beyond swimming in light. Here all the tenderness is for

New Etchings and Water Colors by Donald Shaw MacLaughlan—Interesting Bird Decorations by Carton Moorepark and Other Matters of Art

that robe of light through which quiver the contours of the hills. In another picture a deer stands breast deep in dark water, and here the brush has defined the animal's sleek sides and described the markings of its intelligent head with a gentleness eloquent of the artist's mood toward the lovely model. He responds to his subject with the simplicity of a great artist, sympathetic with it, incapable of bullying it into an aspect easier for him to manage, seeking its truth with single-mindedness. Thus if its truth is of the essence of delicacy, his handling becomes delicate to meet it.

Like all artists who have held intentionally aloof from the influences of older art, Homer had his moments of disconcerting commonplace, but they are not recorded in the present exhibition. Even the little illustrative pictures of youngsters hanging to tree branches and climbing stiles and tending chickens are in their kind as fresh and free as only Homer's frank touch could make their childishness. It is an exhibition which reveals him without making too much of him. It includes his lucid little comments on the life he knew best as a boy and his deep reflections on the life of the inscrutable sea which as a man he constantly interrogated. It shows his entertainment and pleasure in the tropical drama of sunshine and negroes, and his earlier essays in subjects that Fortuny might have made his own. Life at large was not easily interesting to him, we infer from this range, but he attacked those episodes that entreated him with an indestructible freshness and energy. He died at 74 and the last oil painting finished by him in his old age is shown with the water colors. It speaks of his continued freedom from trivial ideas in spite of a weakened hand.

Etchings by Donald Shaw MacLaughlan.

The etchings and drawings by Donald Shaw MacLaughlan to be placed on view this week at the Hahlo Galleries are interesting, as that accomplished artist's work invariably is, and are quite unlike anything that has preceded them. Taking the well-worn field of the Italian country in the neighborhood of Venice



"Boys Wading," Water Color by Winslow Homer, Loaned by Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Pulsifer, in the Brooklyn Museum. Loan Exhibition of Winslow Homer Water Colors.

for his happy theme, he manages absolutely to avoid hackneyed statement of its charms. Whether he shows us the "Fields of Asolo" bathed in warm sunshine or the spacious foreground of "Trevise Waters," he makes us conscious that the interest of his subject is apart from the history of Doge and Senator, is on the contrary the simple interest of the ancient land and sea. One of his plates is called "In Giorgione's Land" and it is Giorgione's delight in the glow and splendor of Venetian sunshine that he celebrates not in this plate alone, but in all the Italian series.

His "Road Songs" are filled with the idyllic spirit, play of light on foliage and earth, waving of tree branches in the wind from the sea, cypresses that bear their stately heads with a certain gayety of poise instead of the solemnity usually forced upon them, musical line, joyous golden tone. Few modern etchings are so adequate to give pleasure undefiled.

The water-color drawings are still more beautiful. Flooded with color, the hillsides under their veil of olive trees, the irregular colonnaded streets of Treviso, the fountains, chapels, and canals, are evoked for us with a breadth and distinction of touch, a fineness of restraint, and a power of line that place these personal studies with the admitted masterpieces of water color. The strong greens and blues are laid directly on the white paper, the balance of the tints is admirably preserved, all the detail swims in light, and the frank and simple treatment proves accuracy of observation and command of a medium genial to its friends, prone to betray its foes.

A Decoration by Kenyon Cox.

In the Vanderbilt Gallery of the Fine Arts Building is a decoration by Kenyon Cox recently completed for the Senate Chamber of the State Capitol at Madison, Wis. The subject is "The Marriage of the Atlantic and the Pacific," and it is treated symbolically in a sufficiently conventional manner. At the right of the composition are the great European nations, France, England, Germany, &c., grouped under the olive branch held in the hand of America, a bit of prophecy that one may hope soon to see fulfilled. At the left are Japan, Hawaii, and the dark-skinned East.

The color is strong and at close range appears crude, but there is no question that in the course of time the skin which forms on oil paint will modify and soften its present splendors. The individual colors tell as shapes within a definite outline, but the modeling is full, rather than flat, and suggests a ponderable reality. In a word, the artist has been content, as usual, to follow a practice of the Renaissance masters, to form his groups into a balanced architectonic arrangement, their lines and the masses

of color playing into a carefully considered scheme, their types subordinated to the large pattern of the design. The fact that he is content thus to build his work on the basis of the best that has gone before and to let his originality take care of itself with the future, blinds many an observer, a little drunk with the May wine of modernity, to the extraordinary beauty of the work.

A tendency toward monumental weight in the forms easily diverts the mind from the palpitating life of the outline. We have all more or less forgotten that a continuous line may tremble with vitality, so accustomed have we become to the broken masses and interrupted contours of the "Impressionist" school. But no one sitting observant before this noble decoration can fail to get from it a high degree of pleasure. No one to whom sensitive draughtsmanship is a delight can fail to rejoice in the drawing of such details as the hands of the various actors in the stately pantomime. The hand of the gracious figure impersonating France, for example, is supremely lovely, and throughout the minor forms have an elegance and harmony, a beauty of inner structure, that puts to shame the carelessness predominating in contemporary work.

There is for the itinerant critic a sense of humiliating safety in saluting the decorations made by Mr. Cox as among the best work of modern times. No pride attaches to discovering his obvious merit. But it is worth while, perhaps, to emphasize them as decorations of our own period that will sustain with dignity all changes in fashion and gain by the inevitable action of time upon the materials used.

Decorative Panels by Carton Moorepark.

In taking his subjects from the aviary Mr. Moorepark has avoided giving himself over to ornithological zeal. His birds are birds, he says, because they have to be birds, not because he wishes them to be. Camels or lizards or hippopotami would suit him as well if they were tasteful enough to provide him with the same magnificent patterns of line and color. The panels on view this week and through the remainder of the month, at the Folsom Galleries, are primarily decorations. The birds themselves, iron-gray vultures, snowy pelicans, parrots and pigeons, the backgrounds of foliage and tree trunk, the flower-spotted foregrounds all play into a large and firmly constructed design; but the painter is fortunate in his models. Any one familiar with the great zoos of our own country and Europe knows what superbly decorative material they contain; and in spite of Mr. Moorepark's indifference to naturalistic detail, his eye for character emits none of the salient features presented by his subject. His panels



"Pelicans," by Carton Moorepark, on View at the Folsom Galleries.

show not only the decorative silhouette, but differences of texture in the plumage and skin, and beautiful modulations of tone and color. No other artist has treated this kind of material in just this way, but novelty is the least of the merits to be found in Mr. Moorepark's work.

Portraits by Zelma Baylos.

Zelma Baylos is showing at the Sherwood Studios a collection of her recent works, portraits for the most part, and all touched with originality and personal feeling running at times into an excess of symbolic fantasy, as in the Mme. Recamier type of lady who reclines on a couch visited by itinerant butterflies. The artist's intention is clear, but one is permitted to prefer that half of the picture which shows two slipped feet, charmingly painted, a gilded piano and a vase of meadow flowers, as exquisite a bit of still life as the galleries can show. Another painting that has a particular charm is a portrait of a sleeping baby's head seen against ethereal white pillows with a background of a park view, a wholly unusual version of a favorite theme, and sturdy in modeling and color. A portrait of Rita Femia in Pagliacci is a handsome affair, boldly designed and forcibly expressed in a pungent color scheme. The drawing of the lower part of the body is not wholly convincing, although possible enough, but the head has in full what the portraits of most public personages lack, spirit and personality.

Exhibition at Montclair.

A new loan exhibition has opened at the Montclair Art Museum, and will continue until Oct. 31.

It comprises a choice collection of etchings by Whistler, wood engravings by Timothy Cole, and colored prints by S. Arlet Edwards, the latter collection loaned by Mr. William B. Dickson, and one picture by Mr. Charles Warren Easton. The etchings and wood engravings are for sale.

Good Work of the American Federation of Arts.

An excellent showing was made by the traveling exhibitions sent out last year by the American Federation of Arts, over \$31,000 worth of pictures having been sold. Apart from this financial return, which to the artists at least is the most interesting feature of the scheme, the good effect of carrying art to places in America where art never grew is continually manifest. There are indications everywhere of a rapid

spread of interest in matters of aesthetic significance.

The Federation is now planning to send out (Nov. 1) an exhibition of portraits by notable American painters, which will begin at Worcester, Mass., and work its way to Indianapolis, Minneapolis, St. Louis, Cincinnati, and Providence.

A Homer Martin for Worcester.

The bulletin of the Worcester Art Museum announces the acquisition of Homer Martin's "Twilight Near Honfleur," a small but fine work, and a study of the scene, which is painted from a different angle in the picture owned by the Century Association, New York. A writer in the bulletin calls especial attention to the color, which at a distance shows a prevailing tone of sombre greenish gray, but seen close at hand resolves itself into many colors not spotted impressionistically, but placed with carefully blended strokes, giving the effect of a bloom over the whole canvas.

Portraits by Harrington Mann.

At the Scott & Fowles Galleries is a small collection of portraits by Harrington Mann, nearly all of which represent the artist at his high-water mark of accomplishment. One of the least "important" in point of size, complication of subject, and so forth, is perhaps the gem of the group. It shows a little girl holding a rabbit. The sensitive modeling of the face and the discrimination of textures and surfaces are above criticism. The hair falls in soft childish curls which take soft lights and then floats in that intangible silken mist which taxes the skill of the most dexterous brush. Mr. Mann has used his instrument lightly and with perfect command of its resources. The result challenges comparison with the masters of portraiture.

The portraits of the seven children of T. C. Denney, which are done on two canvases with one Queen Anne sofa serving the two groups, are hardly so compelling from the aesthetic point of view, but as frank, wholesome portraiture of frank, wholesome types no fault can be found with them, and the grouping against the picturesque background of old English needlework is extremely felicitous.

A portrait of Mrs. F. Skiddy von Städe, daughter of Charles S. Steele, has the place of honor on the walls and is an effective version of a brilliant subject. Other portraits are of Mrs. Devereux Milburn, Master J. Shubert, Jr., Miss Dorothy Duven, and of the artist's wife holding a rose to her lips.



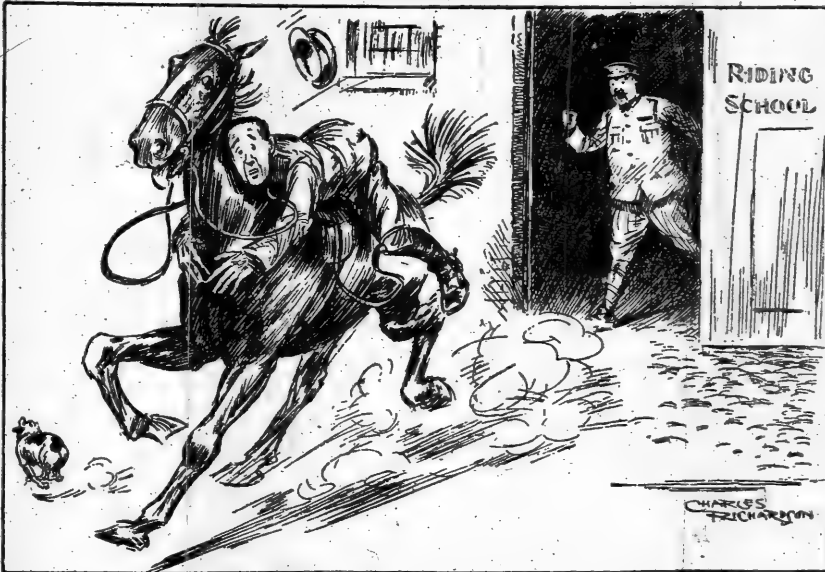
Portrait of the Children of T. C. Denney, by Harrington Mann. (At the Scott and Fowles Galleries.)

A Source of Innocent Merriment

Sinews of War.
Willis—Is your wife going to make another social campaign this Winter?
Gillis—Yes; you ought to see the war orders she has placed with the dressmakers.

The Result.
Willis—What do you think the result of getting Edison, Wright, and Ford on the Naval Board will be?
Gillis—The invention of a naval aeroplane run by electricity that will sell for \$460 f. o. b. Detroit.

The Chief Factor.
"What you want to do," counseled the druggist, as he handed an aged darky his medicine, "is to take a dose of this after each meal."
"Yessuh," was the reply, "an' now, if you please, Suh, tell we where I'm gwine to git de meals."



Irate Riding Master—Hi, where the blazes are you going to?
Recruit (whose horse has bolted through the open doorway)—Blowed if I know—but the —orse's—ome's—in—Canada!
—From The Bystander.

Generous.
Helter—Willing to let your wife have the suffrage, are you?
Skelter—Not only willing, but anxious. I've offered to pay her board in New Zealand as long as she lives.

Common Occurrence.
Knicker—The courts have held that rats are sufficient cause to break a lease.
Bocker—Well, I've often gotten out of a castle in the air because somebody said "Rats!"

The Modern Way.
Visitor—I suppose this corner grocery of yours is the scene of some hot old arguments.

Village Storekeeper.
Yep. Oh cool nights the boys run down here in their touring cars and sit around the electric heater discussing New Thought by the hour.

Lines from a Jester's Notebook—By John Kendrick Bangs

MUTATION.
(This poem was found fluttering along the beach before a nor'easterly breeze in the vicinity of the Home for Aged and Infirm Boobs near Bedlamville, N. J.)
The crickets now no longer crik;
The thickets dance so lushly thick
Are thinning out.
The trees are looking sore bereft
Because their little leaves have left
And woofing zephyrs lay-well.
Now whiff about.

The equinotical knocks along
And crows his equinoxious song
Of gloomy'gree.
The nightingale with voice so gay
Has piped her pipping pipe away
For some more soft pippitrous day
In times to be.

The tadpole sheds his twirling tail
And pounds about the shallow shale
To froghood hep.
And little veals right on the job
About the purring pastures bob
Their heads, and hearts, and heels athrob
And full of pep.

The oysters hoist their souls from sleep,
And from their cloistered cloisters creep
With loud hurrah,
Because the Summer's spell of fear
Is over and they may appear
To greet chill Autumn with a cheer
Of 'R, 'R, 'R!

So whirrs the whizzing world away.
Today soon fades to yesterday.
Time fuses so.
And over all we hear the plaint,
From rich and poor, from sinner, saint,
"How soon the is becomes the ain't
Down here below!"

IT IS RUMORED THAT—
Secretary Daniels is considering a proposition to purchase 10,000 pairs of padded gloves to enable naval officers to box the compass without skinning their knuckles.
The Kaiser has ordered von Hindenburg to sweep rapidly on to Petrograd without delays of any sort in order that he may do his Christmas shopping early at the Russian capital.
Mr. William Jennings Bryan's favorite expulsive in moments of spiritual disturbance that would drive weaker souls to profanity is not Oh, the dickens! or dad bling it! but the juice, you say!

AN ILLITERACY TEST.
"Now, Sir," said the examining officer, "in what language are the novels of Harold Tinkle Bell written?"
"Heaven only knows, I don't," said the candidate for naturalization.
"Correct," said the examiner. "Admitted. Next!"

AN IMPRESSION.
"Let's see, now," said Bingle, "does the President of Hayti have a Cabinet like our American Presidents?"
"I think not," said Jingle. "My impression is that all he has is pall-bearers."

"NO POSSIBLE DOUBT WHATEVER"



Sentry—"Ah! Who goes there?"
He of the Bundle—You shut yer — mouth, or I'll — come and knock yer — head off.
Sentry—Pass, friend! By Captain Bruce Bairnsfather in The Bystander.

THE ONLY WAY.
"The speed limit in this here town is six miles an hour, and we enforce it," said the Town Constable, flashing his nickel badge upon Dubbligh.
"Oh, very well," said Dubbligh wearily. "If that's the case I'll have to turn my car around and back through your earned old burg."

THE CRITIC ANSWERED.
"Life in New York is very superficial," said the Cynic with a bored sigh.
"Perhaps," said Knicker, "but once in a while, my dear fellow, there's a cave-in somewhere and you get under the surface somewhat."

OVERHEARD.
"Well, Jinks," said Dubbligh, "I congratulate you."
"Congratulate me?" said Jinks. "What on?"
"Why, I see you have assessed you at \$1,000,000 peregrinity," said Dubbligh.
"Oh, that; yes," said Jinks. "Thanks. You couldn't lend me a nickel to go down to the Assessor's office and swear it off, could you?"

A DEDUCTION.
Diogenes, or so they say,
Lived in an ordinary tub.
Which may be why in his own day
They thought him something of a "scrub."

FINANCIAL NOTE.
The American dollar is now worth about \$1.20 in France. Its purchasing power in the United States, however, still remains at about 57 cents as usual.

Lyrics of Burglary.
He'd carried the swag for ten miles and a half,
But bitter, thrice bitter indeed was the fruit—
Instead of pure silver (was pewtery chaff,
And he moaned with a sort of hysterical laugh,
"I see what they mean by a rift in the loot!"
—New York Times.
The fine suit of armor that stood by the door
Was a good place, he thought, to conceal him from sight;
When he tried to get out, though he struggled and swore,
He stuck, and the whole thing crashed down to the floor—
Said the watchman, "Hello! Here's a thief in the night!"
—Hempstead Inquirer.

Unavailing Equipment.
"Professor Thinkum speaks seven different languages."
"Yes," replied Miss Cayenne. "But nobody takes much interest in what he says in any of them."
—Washington Star.

A Man of Letters

By ELIAS LIEBERMAN.

WHEN Clegg was young, the first degree
He learned to blab was A. B. C.
In adolescence, formally,
A college tagged on him A. B.
Another parchment came his way
That dubbed the stolid grind M. A.
But on he plugged; oh, on he plugged he,
Until he nabbed the Ph. D.
In dreams he now began to see
An honorary LL. D.
But then, alas! The end is sad,
For poor old Clegg went raving mad.
Upon the walls incessantly
He scribbles Clegg and X. Y. Z.
And P. D. Q. and Q. E. D.
A literal calamity.
The keepers say he aims to get
A corner on the alphabet.

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A WORLD OF DREAMS IN LEADING NOVELS

An Idyll of Youth in Mrs. Burnett's Latest Story and a New Use of the Reincarnation Idea in Jack London's "The Star Rover"

THE LOST PRINCE. By Frances Hodgson Burnett. Illustrated. The Century Company. \$1.50 net.

VERY many years have passed since Ponce de Léon went on his famous search for the Fountain of Youth, and during those years, although the story of the fountain has persisted, it has come to be regarded as a mere myth. Yet every now and then we meet with some person, man or woman, who has quite evidently discovered and drunk of those wonderful waters; among them, Mrs. Burnett surely holds a foremost place. For it is the very essence of youth and romance which so charms us in most of her work, and especially in this latest tale, "The Lost Prince." It is a story for young people of all ages from ten to a hundred, a story fresh and gracious as Spring time, full of those high and clean and simple ideals which, however cynical may jeer, have never lost and probably never will lose their power over the imaginations and sympathies of men.

Although the scene is laid principally in modern London—that London that existed before the war—there is a certain mediæval flavor to the narrative. And the imaginary land of Samavia, whose rightful King is "The Lost Prince" of the title, has something both of the Middle Ages and of the Orient. Mrs. Burnett's new hero, Marco Loristan, is a 12-year-old boy, living with his father and a devoted old servant, Lazarus. When the story opens they have just arrived at the dingy London lodgings which are to be their abode for a brief period. Marco knows that they will remain there only for a brief period because, so far back as he can remember, they have never resided long in any one place or country. The existence led by the three is a strange and most mysterious one. They are very poor, so poor that they do not always have enough to eat, and yet there is invariably a certain stateliness in their mode of living; people unknown to Marco come to visit his father, usually at dead of night; and the elder Loristan works hard and steadily for some end, of which his son knows only that it is concerned with the welfare of Samavia, that beautiful, unhappy little country which, torn between two rival factions, is given over to disorder, bloodshed, and a general misery, in strong contrast with its ancient, joyous past. But that past is distant now 500 years, and had ended before Ivor, "The Lost Prince," disappeared.

The legend of this Lost Prince who one morning had walked out into the sunshine, "singing softly to himself the old song of Samavia's beauty and happiness," and was never seen again, is the leading motif of the book. Marco learned the tale by heart when he was very young indeed—even before he swore upon his father's sword the picturesque oath of allegiance to Samavia. And it was the fact that the Rat had read and been enthralled by the history of this lost Prince Ivor that first drew the two very dissimilar comrades together. For Marco was straight and strong, well bred, well taught, and of gallant bearing, while the Rat was a hunchback, his legs "small and crooked," a mere waif, it seemed, of the London streets, though his father had been a gentleman and a scholar before drink destroyed him, body and soul. The Rat's first greeting to Marco was the throwing of a stone at him, yet the day was to come when these two, the "Bearers of the Sign," were to travel together over many lands, immune from the perils which would have beset men because they appeared to be only two shabby boys, "blows like grains of dust through Europe." But they accomplished their mission bravely and well, until at last they stood with the old priest in that subterranean cavern where the "Forgers of the Sword," real descendants of those few shepherds and mountaineers who had reason to believe that their "Lost Prince" had not died, but lived and left a son, held the meetings which later formed the nucleus of the "Secret Party."

It is probable that the reader will not take even so long as did the Rat to discover the very thinly veiled secret of the identity of Stefan Loristan, but that will not in the least mar his enjoyment of the tale or weaken the thrill of its climax. For the fascination of the story lies in the exquisite style, and the romantic, idealistic spirit with which it is instinct. It is said that certain aspects of the

ancient history of dauntless little Serbia gave the author her first idea for this romance, the name of the imaginary Samavia being intended to convey a hint of its relation to the real Serbia; in the light of this statement, there is a caustic, though doubtless unintentional irony in one at least of the book's episodes—that which describes its hero's adventures in Vienna. He is a hero whom every child will surely envy; what could be more thoroughly delightful than being the trusted agent of a "Secret Party," plotting the overthrow of wicked and usurping rulers and the

JACK LONDON



MRS. FRANCES HODGSON BURNETT.

restoration of a monarch who is a model of all the kindly virtues and a very perfect gentle knight to boot? While to those older in years but young enough at heart to respond to the bugle call of chivalrous romance, this book should provide a welcome opportunity of escaping for a time from the problems and difficulties, the bloodshed and horror, of the actual world about us. A tale of faerie, touched with mysticism, instinct with romance and courage and the spirit of consecration to an ideal of splendid service—this is Mrs. Burnett's latest volume. And the fitting sign and symbol of it all is the gallant Prince who went singing out into the sunshine, thence vanishing forever from men's eyes, yet remaining in their hearts as a bright and shining figure, quintessence of all that is true and noble, high in aim and of good repute.

THE STAR ROVER

THE STAR ROVER. By Jack London. Frontispiece in colors. New York: The Macmillan Company. \$1.50.

JACK LONDON has done something original in "The Star Rover," and done it supremely well. He has hit upon a new idea in fiction, and has worked it out with patient, painstaking art, at the same time striking a blow on behalf of prison reform. For once his passion for portraying cruelty and suffering has been enlisted in a cause that almost justifies it; certainly his indictment of abuses in the California State Prison at San Quentin, and of all prisons where the strait-jacket and the solitary cell are still used, will arouse abhorrence of the old barbarous methods wherever the book is read. But the artistic triumph of "The Star Rover" is in its new use of the rein-

carnation idea. It is upon this that the author has lavished his best work, carrying it through with a skill and plausibility that win the reader.

The story is about a condemned murderer, Darrell Standing, once a professor in a great university, for eight years under life sentence in San Quentin, now awaiting execution in the State Prison at Folsom because he made a guard's nose bleed. The convict himself tells what he endured in those eight years, five of which were spent in solitary darkness, often in the agony of the strait-jacket for ten days at a stretch. A fellow-prisoner, to curry favor with the officials, had invented a lie to the effect that Darrell Standing had smuggled thirty-five pounds of dynamite into the prison, and the savage jacking was to make him confess its whereabouts.

Having thus roused a harrowing interest in the man, Mr. London gradually lets the reader into the method of his plot. Darrell Standing, like the fakirs of India, learns to escape the pain of the canvas jacket by willing "the lesser death," a state of suspended animation, in which his spirit leaves the unconscious body and goes roving among the stars—or, rather, among the scenes of his own former incarnations. For, though the body dies, he says the spirit lives on in new forms, and he has discovered a way to recall the stored-up memories of his adventures through the ages. The result is a series of short stories made on a new plan, punctuated by tortured awakenings when the warden and doctor bring the prisoner's body back to consciousness, and all woven into the larger theme of the approaching gallows.

Indomitable courage is the supreme trait of Darrell Standing in all his incarnations. Once he was a roystering Count in mediæval France, and so we have the story of his duels over a lady fair. Once he was a boy in an emigrant train crossing Utah to California, and so we have the story of the Mountain Meadow massacre by one who died there. In another of his experiences he had been an English sailor, shipwrecked in ancient Korea, and had married a Princess of the blood, only to wander with her as an outcast for forty years as the result of a Court intrigue. Again he was a Norse soldier in a Roman legion under Antipas, and a close friend of Pilate. He was in love with a wonderful Jewess, and was forced at last to choose between losing her and doing his duty to Rome by helping to crucify Jesus. This chapter is well done. So, too, is the story of a castaway of a barren island, who lived eight years on seal meat, and went, through some things that might have daunted Robinson Crusoe.

"The Star Rover" is essentially a man's book, all virility and no sentiment, with passages of more serious thinking than we are wont to expect from popular novelists. The attack on prison abuses is carried through with evident sincerity of purpose. At the same time it is skillfully made to serve the artistic ends of the story. The book will not suit all tastes; for there are painful things in it; but it has imagination, skill, freshness, and must stand with the best of this author's works.

HEMPFIELD

HEMPFIELD. By David Grayson. New York: Doubleday, Page & Co.

To set it apart from all the other adventures in contentment, and the other adventures in friendship, and the other wanderings along the friendly road, this new book of David Grayson's bears a distinct and unmistakable phrase of definition upon its title page: "Hempfield; A Novel." The phrase might have gone further, "Hempfield; An American Novel" would not have been too much to say. For this newest "adventure" by the author of "The Friendly Road" will take its place among the group of novels that, however they may differ in faults and virtues and style and character-drawing and ultimate "aim," are alike in being really American, through and through. "Hempfield" is the story of a group of persons who owned and edited and printed a newspaper in a country town. It is not a Western story, as so many so-called "great American novels" have been. It is not a story of hustling business success, or insidious political corruption, or determined social climbing. It is not a problem novel, or a "novel with a purpose" at all. And its slight plot

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RUSSIAN NOVELIST TELLS HIS OWN STORY

Maxim Gorky's Record of His Childhood Gives a Picture of "Oppressive Horrors" in Russia About Which We Know Little

MY CHILDHOOD. By Maxim Gorky. New York: The Century Company, \$2.

THIS arresting credo appears almost at the end of Maxim Gorky's record of his childhood. It ought to be an introduction to the book. And it must serve as text to the reviewer and as prologue to the reader.

As I remember these oppressive horrors of our wild Russian life, I ask myself often whether it is worth while to speak of them. And then, with restored confidence, I answer myself: "It is worth while because it is actual, vile fact, which has not died out, even in these days—a fact which must be traced to its origin, and pulled up by the roots from the memories, the souls of the people, and from our narrow, sordid lives."

And there is another and more important reason impelling me to describe these horrors. Although they are so disgusting, although they oppress us and crush many beautiful souls to death, yet the Russian is still so healthy and young in heart that he can and does rise above them. For in this amazing life of ours not only does the animal side of our nature flourish and grow fat, but with this animalism there has grown up—triumphant in spite of it, bright, healthy, and creative—a type of humanity which inspires us to look forward to our regeneration, to the time when we shall all live peacefully and humanely.

The consideration of Gorky's book must start from Gorky's apologetic—apologetic for his own life, but for the life of all Russia in the telling of his own life's beginning. This is indeed a book of "oppressive horrors," told with the simplicity and directness with which they registered themselves upon the mind of a child, and made unforgettable to us—as our platitudes about "volatile, quick-recovering childhood" to the contrary notwithstanding—to a child they must be. And here and there one finds

flashes of tenderness, of insight, of sheer poetry in the hearts of brutish-seeming men, that, if it cannot lift us all to the heights of the author's confession of faith in the soul of his nation, makes us understand something of how that faith came.

It is, of course, unnecessary to state that the "autobiography" of Maxim Gorky is not simply the story of a famous author's childhood, but a picture of Russia. It is not the Russia of oppressed peasants and persecuted Jews and threatened uprisings and abortive attempts, but that other less hopeful Russia with which several other writers have made us vaguely familiar—the matter-of-fact, dull, quarrelsome existence of the "lower bourgeoisie." Gorky's grandfather, with whom his childhood was spent, was a small manufacturer of dyestuffs in Nizhni-Novgorod; his father was a soldier's son; his stepfather was a surveyor; his neighbors many number of things, lower class folk in a town. None of these people were successful, but for most of the years of his childhood none of them were plucking poor; that kind of experience came later in the life of this "bitter pen." And the "oppression" of their life was from within. The "horrors" of the boy's childhood were not persecution and hunger, but quarrels and beatings and lying, distrust and drunkenness and avarice, personal brutality in various forms, utter lack, in almost all the people about him, of personal self-control. The men who surrounded the little boy were like children in their undisciplined rage and their undisciplined self-indulgence; and they were like children, too, in their love of simple pleasures, of legends and wonders, of music and dancing, in their quick response alike to beauty and anger and pain. This is the Russia that Gorky shows us as he knew it when he was a child. This is the Russia in which he finds youth and health and hope for a peaceful and humane soul. And he describes it, people and things and events, with entire literalness.

The book opens with the record of a little boy's impression of what are the most haunting horrors of everyday existence—a man's dead body and the birth of a child. His brother was born, and died immediately, in

the room where his father lay awaiting the ceremony of burial. That is Gorky's first memory. But into it, to lighten its awfulness for the child and for the reader, came at once the absorbingly interesting figure who is the "heroine" of the book—the child's grandmother.

Maxim Gorky's grandmother was fat and jolly and simple of soul; she could not read or write; she sometimes drank too much vodka, and she loved snuff; she believed in devils and angels and the constant presence of heavenly powers to help her through the day, and in her superstitions and her religious belief and her love of legends and history and the poetry of the people, she exercised an immeasurable influence upon the lonely and imaginative child who spent his most impressionable years at her side; she was always doing some kindness, and she occasionally lost her temper; but no piece of herolem was too great for her to undertake with serene simplicity, and no insult was too galling for her to forgive. As a piece of Russian portraiture, an enduring place will go to Maxim Gorky's grandmother.

By no means lovable, the old grandfather is inescapably interesting, too. He lost his temper and beat the child until he was unconscious; and then he went to his bedside and told him wonderful stories of heroes; the next week, and on all the weeks after, he systematically beat him again; but he taught him to read and write; he made him learn the Psalter and read long portions of the ancient prophets; he prayed like an ancient Jewish rabbi, and he spoke at times like an ancient Jewish poet, (and it may be noted that this in itself is very interesting, in the presentation of so orthodox a family of Russians;) he was a person of disgusting brutalities, and he was very like a child. And he, and his sons and his daughter and his neighbors, are drawn with irresistible distinctness. Here is a description of a woman who scarcely plays a part in the book at all, but who made so strong an impression upon the child that he could never forget what she looked like and how she made him feel:

The old green woman often appeared—looking just like a rotten piece of old cheese. The eyes seemed to be sewn on her face with invisible threads, and looked as if they would easily roll out of their bony sockets, as she turned them rapidly in every direction, setting and taking notes of everything—first she looked to the ceiling when she talked of God, then looking down her nose when she spoke of household matters. Her eyebrows looked exactly as if they had been cut out of pieces and stuck on. Her large, protruding teeth noiselessly chewed whatever she put in her mouth with a funny curve of her arm, and her little finger stuck out; while the bones about the nose moved like little round balls, and the green hairs on her warts went up and down as if they were creeping along her yellow, wrinkled, discolored skin. She was always so very clean, two washings a day, and was unpleasant to me near them. She hated the old woman with an intense hatred, and many blows did that feeling cost me.

And alongside of descriptions like this must be put the charming picture of a gay evening of music and dancing and thrilling tales. The volume abounds, too, in sketches that are strange, and foreign, and picturesque.

"My Childhood" is a notable book as a picture of Russian life, notable exactly as a Russian novel is notable. But it is valuable, of course, as Maxim Gorky's life, too. In nothing more than the broken record of his education—the Psalter that he read, the stories he listened to, the training that eye and ear and imagination unconsciously received, Maxim Gorky is one of the great writers whom we think of as having had no training in the trade, as having been a vagabond and little else, until he suddenly began to write the record of what he saw. This story of his background, giving him, with all its horrors, some real "education"

for his later work, is an important piece of literary history.

For the rest, we end as we began, with the author's own word:

"I imagine myself, in my childhood, as a hive to which all manner of simple, undistinguished people brought, as the bees bring honey, their knowledge and thoughts about life, generously enriching my soul with what they had to give. The honey was often dirty and bitter, but it was, all the same, knowledge—and honey."

HARPERS BOOKS

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A CUBAN IN MEXICO

MI VIAJE A MEXICO: A PROPOSITO DE LA REVOLUCION. Por M. Fernandez Cabrera. Prologo de Conde Kestia. Epilogo de Felix F. Palavicini. Habana: Avisador Comercial.

SENOR CABRERA is a brilliant young author and newspaper correspondent who was sent to Mexico by the *Heraldo de Cuba* to write a series of articles on the revolution and its leaders. These articles are now published in book form with a highly appreciative introduction by Conde Kestia of Havana, and a still more enthusiastic epilogue by Felix F. Palavicini of Vera Cruz. To a large degree the book justifies the praises of these friendly critics.

The author landed at Progreso, stayed many days in Vera Cruz, made the acquaintance of all the Constitutionalist leaders, and finally journeyed with Carranza and Obregon toward the City of Mexico, at last making his way alone through the Zapatista lines to the Mexican capital. He found the city intimidated, desolated, the streets almost deserted. Here he interviewed various leaders of the factions, including President Gutierrez, who two days later fled to San Luis Potosi, carrying with him "his gigantic humanity and 10,000,000 pesos from the public treasury." It was a dangerous interview, and Señor Cabrera adds that the man's brutal eye still haunts him and freezes his spinal marrow. His return journey to Vera Cruz was full of adventures, and he

relates them with all the romantic gusto of youth.

Señor Cabrera is heart and soul in sympathy with Carranza and his followers. He is convinced that the First Chief is a great man and a sincere patriot, and his character sketch of him has a feeling of enthusiastic worship that is more or less contagious. He says:

The Mexican revolution is not the product of insane ambitions, of race hatred, of what an audacious Foreign Minister called the management of 11,000,000 brutish Indians by 200,000 white men. . . . Venustiano Carranza is the revenger of the most tragically ferocious tyranny known to the ages—the tyranny of crime over murdered liberty. The revolution is, therefore, something other and more than Don Venustiano; it is something other and greater than any man, however lofty; but Don Venustiano is the man of the revolution!

The author's denunciations of Huerta are as emphatic as his praises of General Obregon and all the men connected with Carranza's cause. His character sketches of these men are a valuable feature of the book. He believes that the Constitutionalist cause is irresistible and will triumph in spite of General Villa's "dark vein of genius." His attitude toward "Yankee" intervention is much the same as Don Venustiano's. He thinks Mexico can settle her own problems.

Señor Cabrera writes with all the faith and fire of youth, and with the tropic imagination of his race. His command of pure Castilian is as noteworthy as his wealth of imagery and his knowledge of the literature of other lands.

Memories of a Publisher

By GEORGE HAVEN PUTNAM, Litt. D.

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One of the most winsome of our contemporary essayists writes: "Social talent is a true and rare thing; the essence of it is a reverence for the talents of others, a spiritual hospitality which discovers that other people are remarkable."

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—New York Times.

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WHEN THE WAR IN EUROPE IS ENDED

C. Ernest Fayle's Interesting Analysis of Problems That Will Come Up for Solution in "the Great Settlement"—Recent Books on the War

THE GREAT SETTLEMENT. By C. Ernest Fayle. With maps, and a preface by Lord Escher. New York: Duffield & Co.

IT is rather early to make new maps of Europe on the basis of a complete victory by the Allies, but it seems to be a favorite pastime with English writers. The most exhaustive discussion of peace treaty problems that has thus far appeared is C. Ernest Fayle's "The Great Settlement," written under the auspices of the Garton Foundation for Encouraging the Study of International Policy. This book deserves attention on account of its able presentation of the basic principles involved in any wise settlement.

How can national boundaries be readjusted at the end of the war so as to insure permanent peace in Europe? The author makes every other consideration subservient to that first. One of the first great facts that he comes up against is an intense nationalism, the new spirit of solidarity in each nation, which was one of the prime causes of the war. The Congress of Vienna failed to secure permanent peace because it set up artificial boundaries and disregarded the national principle. This principle, therefore, should shape the new frontiers as far as possible.

If the Allies are victorious, Mr. Fayle thinks they ought to give Poland, with autonomy under the Czar, give back Alsace-Lorraine to France, and create a southern Slav State, which would add to the existing Kingdom of Serbia the southern districts of Austria-Hungary. His aim would be to unite all the Slavic populations of that region, so far as they desired it, into this one new Balkan State. Austria and Hungary, shorn of the smaller groups which they have been oppressing, should then be left unmolested, to exist together or separately, as they may choose. He thinks that the new Slavic State would not be subservient to Russia.

"Italia Irredenta" should go to Italy. Turkey should be pushed out of Europe, and Russia should have Constantinople and access to the sea, in spite of any supposed danger to the British route to India. The whole welter of interests, races, and religions in the Balkans is discussed intelligently and in detail.

Mr. Fayle says it is nonsense to talk of crushing Germany or permanently disarming her. The interests of peace demand that she shall not have any just cause to plan a revenge. He is not in favor of seizing any of Germany's African colonies, though he thinks the South African Union may demand an edge of German southern Africa, and some arrangement should be made for a Cape-to-Cairo railway through German East Africa. The Japanese have taken control of Kiaochow, German's foothold in China, and that is gone forever. For the rest, however, the author urges that nothing be done to impede Germany's colonial expansion, and that no obstacles be put in the way of the Baghdad railway scheme.

But perhaps the most interesting phase of the author's peace plan is his opposition to levying a large indemnity on Germany. He thinks that in case of defeat Germany and Austria could be made to pay \$10,000,000,000 in installments, and that the African colonies could be held as security; but even that sum would not begin to pay for the cost of the war, and Mr. Fayle questions whether it would be a wise business policy to demand any very large financial contribution. Germany has not the stored-up capital to meet such an emergency, as France had forty odd years ago. She would have to borrow, and the United States is the only neutral country capable of subscribing such a loan. On this point the author says:

The surplus capital of the world will be badly needed at the end of the war for the purpose of restoring the position of industry and commerce, and the raising of an immense indemnity loan in America is neither probable nor from the Allies' point of view desirable. Such a loan would necessarily compete with the requirements of British traders in the money markets of the world. It is true that the British Government would receive the money without the payment of interest; yet it may be doubted whether this advantage would counterbalance the effect of its diversion from commercial channels.

Still more important, however, is the bearing of an indemnity upon the question of a lasting peace. The only effective safeguard against a new outbreak of German militarism must come from a changed attitude of the German people toward the military clique. Defeat would discredit the war party, and a heavy burden of direct taxation will work in the same direction; but if the Allies demand an enormous indemnity, the resentment of the German taxpayers will be de-

flected from their own discredited leaders to the allied Governments. Thus a large indemnity might be dearly purchased if it gave those most responsible for the present war the one instrument by which they could maintain their hold upon the German people.

Another thing: A great war indemnity on top of gigantic national debts might drive Germany and Austria to repudiation, a catastrophe which could not be viewed without the gravest apprehensions by the whole financial world. An indemnity must be exacted to compensate Belgium. The author suggests that this be made a first charge on the German and Austrian revenues for a term of years; but he thinks the Allies' demands for money should not go much further.

A feature of Mr. Fayle's peace plan is an alliance of all the European powers, including the Teutonic nations, entailing the signatories to act together against any one or two that violated the peace of Europe. He advocates also a system of organized non-intercourse, the "outlawry" of a recalcitrant power. He thinks this could be used with tremendous effect, especially if the United States would join the agreement.

The book in the main is business-like and practical, as well as large minded and ethically sound.

THE SOUL OF EUROPE

THE SOUL OF EUROPE. By Joseph McCabe. New York: Dodd, Mead & Co.

EUROPE has no individual soul as yet, despite the title of Mr. McCabe's book, but he thinks that one is being evolved from the souls of the various nations now at war, and these he undertakes to analyze and describe. As he is an Englishman, he modestly omits the British soul from his catalogue. The rest are all here, from the German soul to that of the unspeakable Turk; from the alert mind of France to the groping spirit of the unawakened Slav in Russia and the Balkans.

Mr. McCabe has no use for the scientific theories about long-headed and round-headed racial stocks, as all four types are inextricably mixed in every nation in Europe. He also discards as foolish and mischievous superstitions all the claims of particular races to innate superiority over others. His wanderings all over Europe have convinced him that one nation has essentially the same capabilities as any other, and that the backward ones are so mainly because of some definite historical or environmental reason. The Turk, for instance, has as good stuff in him, and as kind a heart, as the Italian or the Englishman; but he has been kept back by isolation, ignorance, and a villainous government. The Balkan peoples are still living in the Middle Ages for similar reasons. Mr. McCabe, therefore, has devoted himself mainly to a study of the psychology of each nation in terms of its history and environment.

The savage strain in the German soul, as revealed in the Belgian atrocities and the sinking of the Lusitania, is not a natural German trait, says this author; like the ludicrous claims that Jesus Christ, Dante, and Michael Angelo were all of German stock, it is simply a product of a school system in which the children have been saturated with militaristic ideas for political purposes. The present generation has been soaked in a pernicious literature, partly poured by fanatics, partly by interested merchants, manufacturers, and soldiers. Being fully prepared for a "defensive" war, the people thus educated were easily won to the idea of an "offensive" war. A little diplomatic rhetoric, says Mr. McCabe: a little lying about perfidious England, a little emphasis on the barbaric Slav, and the whole nation, including Socialists who had sung the "Internationale" for twenty years

thronged to decorate the trains which bore their sons to the grave.

War-time prejudice is not altogether excluded from Mr. McCabe's estimate of the Kaiser; but, as a whole, his book is tolerably free from it. The chapter on Russia is anything but complimentary to the Czar, who is described as "a nervous, delicate, mediocre man." The author holds that the average Slav is not barbaric and would not endanger the advance of culture if set free from a corrupt and tyrannous bureaucracy.

One of the most satisfactory chapters is that on France. The author declares that the solid and central trait of the French character is intelligence—swift, flashing, accurate "common sense." He denies that either frivolity or imagination is an outstanding French quality, agreeing with Miss Betham-Edwards's view that "the French nation is the most serious in the world." On historical grounds he shows that the French nation is more largely Germanic than Celtic or Latin. Incidentally he makes the questionable assertion that Alsace and Lorraine would probably vote to stay with Germany by an overwhelming majority, but that they must be given back to France in order to cripple Germany and thus help to insure peace to Europe.

While not without its faults, the volume contains a large fund of information on all the warring nations, and is written in an attractive style.

AUSTRIA'S DEFENSE

WHOSE SIN IS THE WORLD-WAR? By Count Andrassy. Translated from the Hungarian by Ernest J. Euphatic. New York: New Era Publishing House.

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY's version of the responsibility for the war does not differ materially from Germany's, but Americans will welcome this calm statement of it from one of her political leaders. The translator of the book has not quite mastered the English language, but that is a surface detail.

Count Andrassy, a Hungarian, is a former Cabinet Minister and a son of the famous Andrassy who was Minister of Foreign Affairs at Vienna a generation ago. He frequently cites his father's acts and utterances to show that Austria's policy in the Balkans has not been one of territorial aggression. He lays the blame for the present war primarily upon Russia, taking it for granted, of course, that Austria-Hungary should have been allowed to make Serbia a vassal State. He strikes at the weak point in Russia's armor thus:

We had not mobilized a single soldier against her, and had called out only eight army corps, just what we considered sufficient to defeat the Serbian Army, equipped at 40,000 men, and Russia replied to that by admittedly mobilizing against and starting her troops in the direction of our frontiers.

The author's conviction is that Russia, cut off from further Asiatic expansion by Japan, was preparing for conquest in Europe at the expense of Austria-Hungary, and intended to use Serbia as a tool. She feared that Serbia would desert her if she allowed the smaller State to be humiliated. On the other hand, Austria-Hungary feared Serbian and Russian aggression. These reciprocal fears caused the war. Count Andrassy continues:

Owing to her own offensive purposes Russia could not permit that we be relieved from the danger of a two-sided attack. Therefore, she started in the war jointly with Serbia in order not to subject herself to the danger that somewhat later the struggle take place minus Serbia. Our solitary purpose was to insure our internal peace by putting a stop to the aggression within our borders. Russia, however, to keep it up and thereby to improve the prospects of a later war. For this reason did war become inevitable.

Count Andrassy contends that if Germany had forbidden his country to defend herself against Serbian agitators she would have signed the death warrant of the Hapsburg Empire and ultimately her own. The Slavic power, he says, would have been extended to the Adriatic, enveloping both Teutonic na-

tions and ultimately crushing them. In this he undoubtedly expresses a prevalent fear, but no convincing proof of such a danger is offered.

Austria had no intention of annexing Serbia, says Count Andrassy. The answer to that statement is—Bosnia-Herzegovina. The author's defense of the annexation of the latter provinces simply indicates what was in store for Serbia. Would he not, a few years later, have been saying what he does of Bosnia-Herzegovina?

It would be absurd even to assume that we should spend millions on a province which we only hold subject to a notice to quit.

The logical weakness of his whole case is typified in his defense of Prussian militarism. If Germany chooses to maintain a great army, he says, what business is that of her neighbors? He continues:

Whoever does not like the prominent part the army plays in Prussia should not imitate those ways, but maintain the rule of the civilian class in his own State. There are many who do not like the anti-religious tendency and the socialist republic of the France of today, but would it occur to any other State to attack France just to drive her into more sympathetic political ways?

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THERE are no new facts to be made known about Captain Scott's two voyages to the Antarctic. If the events of his life are not bright in the memory of the public at large, it is because the splendid pathos of his death outshines them all, and belittles their importance. In recounting what is practically the story of Captain Scott's life, Charles Turley makes no claim to original discovery or to the getting forth of something hitherto unknown; his book is, as is stated on its title page, a retelling. He has taken the facts of Scott's voyages, as they were published in the two earlier books and in Scott's diaries, and woven them into one consecutive record, to be contained within the compass of one volume. The book, which was written at the instance of Lady Scott, brings the history of Captain Scott's achievements within reach of interest and attainment for a great many people who might never undertake anything so large as the two big volumes of the earlier records. And it is safe to say that it loses little or nothing in the fact that its story has been told before. It is a story that has needed retelling, and that has needed to be retold in just such a way as this.

It is nearly four years since Scott died, and the world has laid tremendous claim upon our interest since; but reading this book now, in this autumn of nineteen-fifteen, it is impossible not to feel that this should be one of the most read, one of the most really "popular," books of the coming winter. It is vivid, human—we come back to the earlier adjective—splendid. And for the way in which he has massed his material and told his story, Mr. Turley deserves the highest praise.

It must not be supposed, however, that this record of the voyages of Captain Scott is "just like" the two books from which its facts are gathered, or that it is a mere condensation of the earlier volumes. Mr. Turley has, from beginning to end, emphasized what may be called—for want of a better word—the "human" side of his narrative. He has written about Captain Scott less as a heroic scientific explorer than as a man. He has not neglected the heroic qualities—it would be of course impossible to write about Captain Scott as other than a hero—but he has given us a very human and intimate and lovable portrait of a heroic man. His story is full of folly, and sweetness, and consideration of little, personal, significant things. Scott working out plans with his men, Scott having a "regular picnic" over a good dinner after weeks of actual hunger, Scott, "managing" so as to spare the ponies, risking his life to save a dog—these pictures stand out very clearly

throughout the book. We are left with a vivid acquaintance not only with a man who dared much, achieved his aim, and died courageously, but who was a good man to work with, and live with, and suffer with.

Scott knew every one of his officers and men intimately and personally, and loved them all. He never failed, in his letters and diaries, to point out not only how fine his fellow adventurers were, but the very different ways in which each one's fineness worked itself out. "Bowers is a little wonder," "Cherry-Gardner is a character right through," "It is extraordinary to think what pains Atkinson will take to do a kind thing unobtrusively." Day has the sweetest temper and all sorts of nice characteristics. "I believe Bill Wilson really is the finest character I ever met." These are a few of his comments on the men who started out with him on the southern journey. And again and again in the course of his narrative Mr. Turley has occasion to refer to Scott's consideration for the animals used on the trips. As readers probably remember, Captain Scott did not want to use dogs and ponies at all, because of the suffering that the long marches entailed; it was only to absolute necessity that he surrendered his wish to spare his beasts. And throughout both his expeditions, whether he was climbing down a crevasse to rescue a dog that had fallen, or shifting burdens so as to spare a pony that was tired, his thought for his animals never failed.

Mr. Turley's book has a very decided merit in its unflinching cheerfulness. The one thing that no one ever forgets about Captain Scott is that he died on his journey back from the pole, that he and the four companions who attained the goal of their ambitions never got back to the shelter of their camp. The

other fact that is in every one's mind is that he reached the south pole at last, only to find that another man had got there a month before him. There are sentences in Scott's diaries that most of us will remember always. And there are heartbreaking sentences. The end of his story is a heartbreaking thing. There is no ordinary "tragedy" about it; there cannot be "defeat" in the death, or the disappointment, of a man whose constant triumph was so fine. But it remains heartbreaking. No thought of its magnificence can make it anything else. And it would have been very easy—it seems as if it would have been almost inevitable—for Captain Scott's biographer, writing months after his death, to dwell upon that pathos, to forecast the sadness of his story's ending, to let some hints of it creep into the narrative even of the earlier voyage. Mr. Turley never does. His story moves on from week to week and from one journey to another, full of adventure, of bravery, of effort and achievement—absorbing, thrilling, fine. Never for one moment does he descend to sentimentality, never does he foretell the end of the adventure, or allow any shadow to dim the bright spirit of his heroes and the glory of his tale. He tells a story of heroic living, and when he comes to the end he tells us very simply how his heroes died.

Sir James M. Barrie's introduction is a little collection of personal memories, and a short summing-up of Captain Scott's early life. It is very brief indeed—only twelve pages—but it is so fine and so charming a picture that every one ought to read it—both then, every one ought to read the whole book! "Con" Scott, as he was called, was a delicate boy, dreamy, thoughtful, very modest, but always very brave, and ever as a little boy unusually considerate of others. The iron constitution of his adult years was partly of his own making, the result of rigorous training, one of the outgrowths of his hatred of "slackness." He trained himself to "hardness," and to self-control—not an easy thing, for he was a hot-tempered youngster. Barrie says, significantly: "The faults of his youth must have lived on in him as in all of us, but he got to know they were there

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FICTION

THE prevailing looseness of thought on a subject of such popular interest as fiction is admirably set forth in the first of a series of articles by Professor WILLIAM LYON PHELPS appearing in the October number of *The Bookman*. That vaguely indicated person known as the General Reader, as well as more than one professional critic of literature, furnishes us, every now and then, with a list of "best fiction" that, by its odd assortment of titles, suggests a very ill-defined notion in the list-maker's mind of the kind of book regarding which he is manifesting his preference. As a matter of fact, the novel is made to do service in so many fields that it is in danger of losing, or at least neglecting, its own peculiar province. Professor PHELPS brings up pointblank to a consideration of the subject with admirable terseness. "I should define, a high-class novel," he tells us, "in five words—a good story well told." That really sums up the whole matter and should work as a much-needed corrective with the increasing number of writers who, under the outward guise of fiction, are furnishing us with moral essays, treatises on psychology, political tracts, and cumbersome histories. In Professor PHELPS's hands, "a good story well told" as the definition of a novel plays some odd pranks with established reputations. Thus, we are told that "Mrs. WARD has never written a novel in her life, and only came near it, in 'David Greve.'" Her undoubted popularity is not owing to the excellence of her fiction. "She is a serious, earnest, thoughtful, deeply read woman, with a passion to improve the world; she once wrote a treatise on religious reform, and called it 'Robert Elsmere.'" There is no mistaking the popularity of the latter book, but its vogue has had nothing to do with its quality as fiction. "As people are more interested in religion than in any other subject in the world save two, her book had a prodigious success—exactly paralleled a short time ago by WINSTON CHURCHILL'S 'The Inside of the Cup.'" A book that in its turn is said to be lacking in living characters, real story, or any of the charm of fiction. Professor PHELPS notes that "a perfect illustration" of the "good story well told" is hard to find in our current fiction, and he considers that the fact has its pathetic side, since there are so many people who are turning to fiction for genuine entertainment and not finding it there. In the elaboration of his subject the two types of fiction—"romance" and "novel"—enrage Professor PHELPS's attention, eliciting definitions that help further to rectify a prevailing misuse of terms. As we might expect, SCOTT FOWLER, in "Quentin Durward," the typical

example of romance, "the story where the chief interest lies in the events." The typical novel—"a story where the principal stress falls, not on the succession of incidents, but on the development of the characters"—is found in "The Mill on the Floss." The successful fusion of the two types Professor PHELPS finds in "Henry Edmond," a novel which, we are told, "if a secret ballot could be taken, might possibly be voted the greatest work of fiction in the English language." Personally, Professor PHELPS tells us, he "does not care much whether he reads romances or novels." As between romanticism and realism, however, he decides that "alluring and diverting" though the former may be, the latter "makes in the end a deeper and more lasting impression on the mind." Whether or not one agrees with Professor PHELPS in his selections of typical works of fiction, his paper in its main contention will be generally accepted as a masterly analysis of a subject of increasing importance in our literature. The degeneration of fiction into special pleadings in religion, morals, and science threatens the stability of the novel as a distinct form of art, and adds but little to the world's sum of knowledge in these three domains of human thought.

THE name of HENRI FABRE, the French entomologist, who died last Monday at the age of ninety-two, has only recently found its way into our literature—but it is safe to say that it will never be forgotten. We call FABRE an entomologist, but of course he was much more than that. Entomology, in the hands of the typically "exact scientist," is not a particularly enlivening subject for the lay reader. As expounded by this old Provencal it became a fairland of marvels, a world that afforded entertainment and instruction alike to the learned and the ignorant. The secret of FABRE's genius seems to have been its utter sincerity, its abnegation of self. He deliberately chose poverty because it was only thus that he could devote himself to the study of the insect multitudes that attracted him. The history of science has no finer example than his of careful, unwearied observation of the minute complexities involved in the lower forms of animals. The accuracy of his methods, and the importance of his discoveries excited the admiration of such men as DARWIN. But FABRE was an artist, as well as a scientist, and thus he was able to give to the world the results of his studies as few, if any, of his profession had done before him. As yet we have had only small, detached portions of his great "Souvenirs Entomologiques" in translation. The whole work, say the publishers, will find its way into English literature.

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faith,
The army of unalterable law.

Mr. HOWELLS recently wrote of his emotions regarding verse libre—which he happily described as "shredded verse"—but it is doubtful if he had had anything quite so elusively imaginative as "Cousin Nancy"—"who" strode across the hills and broke them"—upon which to try his fancy. It was "Walt," however, who started the verse libre fashion, unless we grant that honor, as some do, to LANGLAND, the English poet of more than five centuries ago; and so the interesting question regarding "Cousin Nancy" and all of her free verse relatives should be referred to the authority indicated by *Poetry* in its question: "What would Walt think?"

LATEST PUBLICATIONS

Books Received During the Week Ended Oct. 14 Classified and Annotated According to Contents

- History and Biography**
- THE ROMANCE OF LEONARDO DA VINCI. By A. J. Anderson. Svo. New York: Brentano's. \$1.75.
Profusely illustrated biography and sketch of the times of Leonardo da Vinci.
- THE FUTURE OF SOUTH AMERICA. By Roger W. Babson. 12mo. Boston: Little, Brown & Co. \$2.
A view of the Southern Continent that takes into account its economic and commercial possibilities, as related to the United States.
- HIGH LIGHTS OF THE FRENCH REVOLUTION. By Hilaire Belloc. Svo. New York: The Century Company. \$2.
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- THE RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENT WITH LIBERTY. By John V. Burger. Svo. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons. \$2.40.
A brief study of the historical development of the State.
- EARLY AMERICAN CRAFTSMEN. By Walter A. Dyer. Svo. New York: The Century Company. \$2.40.
Sketches of noted craftsmen, with illustrations of their work.
- OLD CONCORD. By Allen French and Lester G. Hervey. Svo. Boston: Little, Brown & Co. \$1.
Illustrated account, with its literary associations, of a historic town of Massachusetts.
- THROUGH COLLEGE ON NOTHING A YEAR. By Christian Jensen. 12mo. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons. \$1.
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- MY CHILDHOOD. By Maxim Gorky. Svo. New York: The Century Company. \$2.
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- FREDERICK THE GREAT AND HIS SEVEN YEARS' WAR. By Ronald A. Hall. 12mo. New York: E. P. Dutton & Co. \$1.40.
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- DENMARK AND THE DANES. By William J. Harvey and Christian Reppien. Svo. New York: James Pott & Co. \$2.
An illustrated survey of recent social, economic, and political movements.
- GEORGE WASHINGTON, FARMER. By Paul Leland Haworth. 12mo. Indianapolis: Bobbs-Merrill Company. \$1.50.
An account of Washington's home life and agricultural activities.
- ATTILA AND THE HUNS. By Edward Hutton. Svo. New York: E. P. Dutton & Co. \$2.
The story of Attila's career as an invader of Southern Europe in the fifth century.
- AN INTRODUCTION TO THE ECONOMIC HISTORY OF ENGLAND. By E. Lipson. Svo. New York: The Macmillan Company. \$2.50.
Covers the Middle Ages.
- IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF NAPOLEON. By James Morgan. Svo. New York: The Macmillan Company. \$2.50.
An illustrated biography. The author personally went over the ground covered by Napoleon in his more famous marches.
- THE PATRIOT MEMOIRS. (1796-1815.) By the Marquis de Lafayette. Translated by Mrs. Hugh Fraser. Svo. New York: Brentano's. \$2.50.
Illustrated memoirs of a Roman family under Napoleon. There is a historical introduction by John Fraser.
- CARLYLE: HOW TO KNOW HIM. By Elias Loring. 12mo. Indianapolis: Bobbs-Merrill Company. \$1.50.
A critical and biographical study.
- OLD BOSTON MEMOIR DAYS. By Kate Ryan. 12mo. Boston: Little, Brown & Co. \$1.50.
The author was for many years a member of the Boston Museum Stock Company. The present volume contains her reminiscences.
- MR. FARMER'S YEAR. By T. E. Sanders. Svo. New York: James Pott & Co. \$2.50.
Illustrated narrative of a teacher's experience in Japan.
- DAVE CROCKET. By William C. Sprague. 12mo. New York: The Macmillan Company. 50 cents.
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- CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS. By Mildred Stapley. 12mo. New York: The Macmillan Company. (True Stories of Great Americans.) 50 cents.
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LIFE AND WORK OF A FAMOUS VICTORIAN

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THE WORKS AND LIFE OF WALTER BAGEHOT. Edited by Mrs. Russell Barrington. 10 volumes. Longmans, Green & Co.

IN the middle period of Victoria's reign there appeared a group of writers characterized by common traits, and forming, as it were, a school of their own. Their views were sound rather than profound; they were more lucid than subtle; they appealed less to the imagination than to the common sense of their readers. They were critical rather than constructive, and above all they were uniformly liberal in politics. Though not directly Communist, they were Positivists in their dislike for anything metaphysical or mystical. Among these writers may be mentioned Leslie Stephen, W. R. Greg, H. S. Maine, Frederic Harrison, Charles Pearson, R. H. Hutton, John Seeley, and G. H. Lewes, now almost forgotten name but for his association with George Eliot. Their nearest analogue in the sphere of the novel was Anthony Trollope and the nearest representative voice in the poetic field was that of Arthur Hugh Clough. Above them all loomed the figure of John Morley, now Viscount Morley of Blackburn, with his sombre enthusiasm for his zo-faith, and it was in the pages of the *Fortnightly Review*, edited by him, that many of their most characteristic utterances appeared.

Of this *Fortnightly* school of writers, as it might be called, Walter Bagehot was in some ways the most characteristic figure. He shared in the typical qualities of his contemporaries, their common sense and lucidity, their Liberalism and Positivism. He was, in the main, the economist of the school, but his interests ranged over the border line of economics into sociology and anthropology, and in early days he attained some distinction as a literary critic and retained to his last days a strong interest in the fundamentals of belief. He was best known during his lifetime as editor of *The Economist*, and his views on finance and commerce were respected both in the "City" and in the Cabinet. He was, indeed, one of those figures so characteristic of English official life who are consulted, though they hold no official position, by the small circle of heads of public departments that really rule England.

His three Opera Maxima were closely connected with his life work. In his "Lombard Street" he explains with admirable lucidity, the operation of the London money market, which he had to watch so closely as editor of *The Economist*. His work on the "English Constitution" was the first which explained its actual working, with which he was so closely connected. His series of essays entitled "Physics and Politics" applied to the life of primitive peoples, and then being studied by men like Maine, Lubbock, and MacLennan, the principles of natural selection which Charles Darwin had recently introduced into the world of thought. All three were full of illuminating aperçus, but they were scarcely epoch-making in their influence on English speculation, though their main doctrines—the need of a large banking reserve in "Lombard Street," and the all-importance of the Cabinet and the imaginative appeal of the monarchy in his "English Constitution"—have been adopted by all later writers on the subject.

Bagehot's sister-in-law, Mrs. Russell Barrington, has collected together in ten stately volumes all his writings, and has supplemented them in the tenth volume by an elaborate biography, putting us in full possession of all the critical events in his career and of the personal influences which made him what he was. Curiously enough, she had preceded in this task by an American admirer of Bagehot's work, Mr. Forrest Morgan, who issued in 1889 a uniform edition of his writings, published under the auspices of The Traveler's Insurance Company, of Hartford, Conn., and so thoroughly was the work done by Mr. Morgan that it included at least four-fifths of the present edition. This edition is now out of print, and Mrs. Barrington is desirous of reviving her brother-in-law's fame and reputation, and puts forth her edition explicitly as an attempt to gain a just appreciation of Bagehot's powers and contribution to English thought and letters.

It seems, indeed, an appropriate occasion to try and place Bagehot in his proper niche in Victorian literature. It cannot be said that this place is a very high and distinctive one, though his writings can still be read with much interest and instruction. His literary criticism is far below that of Leslie Stephen in insight and knowledge, though, as we shall see, it has merit of its own which are neither literary nor critical. His books were lucid expositions of their themes and had many original suggestions which have been accepted by later writers, but they were wanting in what might be called architectonic power, and neither his economics nor in constitutional theory made any epoch. His miscellaneous essays were often ingenious and suggestive, but, on the whole, not above the level of *The Fortnightly* in its best days. Altogether his work had fulfilled its mission, and it is doubtful whether this revival of it can enhance the reputation which Bagehot had got as economist and publicist, a reputation secure enough in its way, but not of the highest order.

Mrs. Barrington is continually speaking of the "genius" of her brother-in-law, yet the term is inapplicable to his powers, whatever interpretation we may give that much abused term. It implies a swift and penetrating grasp of the essentials of the subject, and unexpected and imaginative modes of expounding it. The penetration and the grasp were there in Bagehot's case, but he was distinctly wanting in the imaginative synthesis which is the true character of genius. This is sufficiently indicated by the very plain method of his approach to his subject. No first-class thinker or writer was ever so long-winded in putting his points. One cannot call Bagehot tedious; he diverges into the longeurs of his analysis by anecdote and epigram, apt quotation, and illuminating side remarks, but nothing can disguise the comparative paucity of illuminating thought and many pages taken to expound a single position. His thoughts may be golden, but he spreads his gilt very thinly over his gingerbread. An adept précis-writer could give the really essential parts of his chief works within a comparatively few pages. All this may help toward lucidity, but it does not leave that impression of a richness of knowledge and imagination which characterizes the true genius even in exposition.

I have said that his criticisms were neither literary nor critical, and this seemingly harsh judgment needs some explanation. In his studies of men like Scott or Dickens, Beranger or Hartley Coleridge, Bagehot directed his attention not so much to their literary production as to those elements in their mental makeup which led to these productions. His method was, therefore, psychological rather than critical or literary. It is characteristic that in dealing with Shakespeare he is not concerned so much with the works as with the man. Bagehot knew his own limitations and his forte. He came of a banking family, and as the late J. P. Morgan expressed the world by revealing the essence of a banking business lies in a knowledge of character. In this aspect of his work Bagehot was indeed distinctive, though with limitations, and perhaps the most valuable part of his critical writings consists of careful studies of enigmatic characters like Bolingbroke the brilliant or Althorp the dull. Like all his school, he was rather contemptuous in his attitude toward Disraeli, but his keen grasp of character enabled him to do justice to the many merits of that remarkable personality, and the pages devoted to it in these volumes should not be neglected by those who would understand that Spink-like individual.

In order to prove her thesis as to the genius of Bagehot Mrs. Barrington has collected together some of the earlier writings that have escaped Forrest Morgan, and has devoted a whole volume of this edition to a selection of editorials from *The Economist*. As a rule, nothing is more dreary than canned editorials, and Mrs. Barrington ran a great risk in attempting to revive Bagehot's Economist leaders. Wisely, however, she has not attempted to revive Bagehot's comments on the fleeting phenomena of British commerce and finance. She has restricted her choice to the editorials of a more political character, and especially those dealing with the critical stages in the lives of personages distinguished in British politics of the mid-Victorian period. Many of these editorials stand re-suscitation better than might be expected, but it cannot be said that they add much to our knowledge of Bagehot's powers, which are sufficiently indicated by the more elaborate and considered treatment of the same kindred themes. Certainly these editorials fail to confirm Mrs. Barrington's claim as to the genius of Bagehot. They are full of sound, British common sense; they are well informed, as might be expected from Bagehot's position in the world of politics and finance; they are lucid and suggestive, as was everything that Bagehot wrote—but there is no sparkle in them, nor any of those profound glimpses into the depths which we associate with the name of genius.

As regards the other side of the previous collection, one may dismiss at once the three essays written in early youth, which are far from betraying any exceptional promise. The review of Mill's "Principles" is commonplace in the extreme and shows little of Bagehot's later power of connecting the views and tendencies of the chief British economists with the events of their lives and the circumstances of their social environment. Again, the series of papers on the Depreciation of Silver, which was reprinted by Bagehot himself, is only of interest to economists who could probably obtain second hand one of the two thousand copies printed by Bagehot himself. Circumstances have so changed during the forty years since it was written that it is of little value except as historical. Mr. Morgan was well advised in omitting it from his edition.

Mrs. Barrington has made a final attempt to prove her thesis as to Bagehot's brilliant powers in the elaborate biography which fills the tenth volume of this edition. Like all biographies written by members of the biographer's family, it is mainly a hodgepodge of letters of little or no value, of anecdotes

mainly of family interest, and is characterized by the same want of proportion which is almost invariable in such cases.

The early years are dilated upon out of all proportion to the more significant period after his powers are fully developed. One new point is brought out by Mrs. Barrington which was naturally concealed in the earlier memoirs written by his life-long friend, R. H. Hutton. Bagehot's mother was subject to fits of insanity, during which she was often attended most affectionately by her son, and this tragic experience gave, according to Mrs. Barrington, an undercurrent of mystical gloom and solitariness to his whole life. This enables us to understand the interest he took in Cowper, on whom he wrote one of his best essays. One would have thought it would have given him greater sympathy for Charles Lamb, whose life was equally shadowed by the insanity of his sister, but curiously enough Bagehot appears to have preferred Hazlitt to Lamb, much to the displeasure of his friend, Crabbe Robinson. At the end of the memoirs Mrs. Barrington prints letters from many of Bagehot's distinguished contemporaries like Gladstone, Lord Avebury, Lord Bryce, Sir Robert Griffin, and Sir Mount Stuart Grant Duff, but all these insist rather upon Bagehot's judgment than upon his brilliance, and this is the general impression left by a perusal of his works. It has not been a pleasant task to subject Mrs. Barrington's excessive claims on behalf of her brother-in-law's "genius" to a considerable discount, as he himself would have put it. The true aim of criticism is to bring out the distinctive characteristics of an author and for the most part those deserving of praise, otherwise his work would not be worth criticizing. There is, indeed, much to praise in Bagehot. His sound common sense and his full information on the topics about which he wrote in later life give an air of reality to his exposition on topics like finance and administration, which in the hands of others like Sir G. C. Lewis or John Stuart Mill tend to become unnecessarily abstract. If, as Matthew Arnold contended, it be the true function of cultured criticism to see things as in themselves they really are, Bagehot was indeed a capable critic. He did not see all of the things in writing on subjects other than economic and administrative, but what he saw he saw accurately and he could describe what he saw in social phenomena with effectiveness and often with point. He often hits off a whole social stage in a

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ROSAMOND FAYRE

THE WOODING OF ROSAMOND FAYRE. By Rosamond Fayre. (New York: Doubleday, 1915. \$1.25.)

IN her previous novel, "His Official Flanerie," Mrs. Onions proved her ability as a light comedy author. With pleasing deftness and ingenuity she can devise an unusual and striking situation, full of humorous possibilities, work it out gracefully, cover it all over with humorous sparkling, touch it up with high lights and romantic colors—and there it is, dainty and iridescent as a cobweb in the morning sun and as gayly and light-heartedly amusing as a kitten chasing its tail. But she needs to watch herself very carefully or she will spoil her joyous promise with too much indulgence in saccharine romance and with too easy satisfaction in the conventional ideas, situations, and style of that kind of novel.

Both these faults are present in her new book and vibrate somewhat its otherwise sparkling and entertaining comedy. Her heroine, Rosamond, is serving as secretary to a nice girl who is much absorbed in very modern kinds of good work.

She is so much absorbed that she instructs the secretary to write her weekly love-letters to her fiancé, off at the other side of the world. If she has time she reads them and if not they go anyway. Rosamond does her best to make them prim, precise little letters, just like the kind her employer would write, but despite herself, since she is a very feminine girl, something of her own personality slips in and once she fills the letter with rose petals. The young man feels a new response springing up in his heart to the new qualities the letters and her russet hair. Complications result, of many and varied kinds, but the author finally straightens them all out with everybody happy, having in the m. n. time afforded the reader a good many—yes of sprightly entertainment. Nearly all the characters are portrayed with a good deal of humor, and one buxom lassie who plays in a pantomime is to be specially remarked for the cleverness with which her breezy personality is caught and set forth in her speech.

As do so many of the recent English novels, "Rosamond Fayre" ends with its last chapter engulfed in the early months of the war. But even these are bright and gay upon the surface, although one catches underneath, like a secret sob, the deep note of passionate patriotism.

THE ISLAND OF SURPRISE

THE ISLAND OF SURPRISE. By Walter Townsend. (New York: Doubleday, 1915. \$1.25.)

THE crucial situation in this novel is one more proof of its author's prolific and ingenious inventiveness. A young man and two lovely girls, members of a yachting party journeying lazily through Southern Seas, find for a few hours on an uninhabited little island, are caught by a storm which drives away the yacht and fall over a cliff. When they return to this remote the man has been injured by the fall so badly that his memory of the last six years is completely gone. Each one of the girls, and they are both lovely and attractive, claims him as her husband. The first half of the book tends up to this situation, the story having started in New York and traversed thence, with scenes along the way in various trunks, in Chicago, Kansas City, and San Francisco, in the course of which the reader has become acquainted with the real relationship between the three. The latter half of the story is taken up with the developments of the extraordinary case in which the harassed young man finds himself. These include an attack by a swarm of Papuan savages in

which the three have to fight desperately for their lives.

Dr. Brady's reputation as a writer of swiftly moving and colorful tales of romance and adventure will hardly be added to by "The Island of Surprise," whose unique plot is not quite convincing and whose important situations are often not plausible, even for a nautical tale. There is overmuch verbiage also, as there is likely to be in novels that are dilated—a method of work Dr. Brady has elsewhere explained that he uses. In the opening chapters of this book the hero writes a novel by the same method and through his mouth the author praises it warmly.

EVE DORRE

EVE DORRE: The Story of Her Precarious Youth. By Emily Vele Stroncher. (New York: E. P. Dutton & Co., 1915. \$1.25.)

EVE DORRE tells the story of herself, and, although the reader will agree with her title that hers was a "precarious youth," she has made out of it a charming, idyllic little tale, clean and sweet as the breath from a rose garden, but told with such simplicity and truth that it is entirely free from sentimentality. Eve is an American girl who is taken to Paris, with her brother when they are both tiny children, by their widowed mother. The fender gets only glimpses, although they are frequent and always vivid, of this mother, and she quite merits the description of "that surprising woman" which her daughter sometimes applies to her. In the course of her depiction of a strong and dominating personality, impulsive and erratic, full of faults and follies, but true and sweet enough to inspire and hold the love of her children.

The story of how these two children grow up in Paris, somewhat as if that city were a cross between a Coney Island and a wilderness, Eve tells in a forthright spirit and with loving memory, making one feel that she and her brother, with their managerie on the tiny balcony of a Paris apartment and their secret excursions by night on Paris streets, enjoyed a happy childhood. One of the story's most charming features is the way the author opens one door after another into the intimate home life of French people, showing a phase of it that one rarely gets even in French novels, making them seem warmly real and human, and always delightful, notwithstanding the occasional tolerant mention of human frailties.

An episode in Eve's young girlhood which takes place at a resort in Germany is told with delicious naïveté, through which twinkles a sense of humor, the humor with which the mature person can look back upon youthful experiences and laugh at them, although remembering and recognizing the utter seriousness with which they were regarded at the time. This same kind of humor brightens all the book and brings many a smile to the reader's lips. Eve and a young German officer believe that they fall in love with each other. He is handsome and stolid, and she is full of aspirations, in love with music and nature and beauty; and the report she makes of their conversational duets is both realistic and amusing.

A little later love that is the real thing comes to her in Paris, an art student with an American mother and a French father being the hero in her romance. They tumble irresponsibly into love, and finally, notwithstanding some obstacles that come near to ending in tragedy, they carry their romance through to marriage. The account of the events attending upon that ceremony gives the author opportunity for some very pretty descriptions of Parisian marriage customs among the people, the same customs which, imbued with gravity and poetic spirit, she instilled follows the story of the first happy years of married life, and then an epilogue telling of the coming of the war and of the absorption of herself and her artist husband and their many young son in the work it has brought, written in that spirit of exalted patriotism combined with earnest, practical effort with which the whole French nation faces the foe.

The little story makes a very frank, clear, and warmly uncondemned portrayal of a gay, winsome, lovable young woman. The simplicity and naturalness with which it is done, suggest the skill, the artistic insight, and the nothing-too-much-of-French literary art. Sometimes there is an offense against good taste, more often there is a lack of care in writing, and occasionally one comes upon a detail so unpalatable—the sort of thing that might really have happened to somebody, but ought never to be used in fiction, because truth, without half trying, can be more impossible than fiction can dare to be—that it would better, for the sake of

the artistic effect, have been left out. But it makes, on the whole, an unusual and wholesome little story having much beauty and idyllic charm.

ALLOY OF GOLD

ALLOY OF GOLD. By Francis William Sullivan. (New York: Robert M. McBride & Co., 1915. \$1.25.)

WORTH PRYCE is an engaging youth as he steps into Mr. Sullivan's story on the fourth page, and he shows himself, as the pages increase, to be also a lovable and interesting one. He has just returned to his native New York City after growing-up years spent abroad with his mother, and he brings with him the pure gold of youthful idealism, his happy belief in others, his ready confidence in everybody's good intentions, and his warm-hearted insistence upon taking all things and all people at their own reekate valuation. But the pure gold proves too soft to be workable and useful in the hard give and take of everyday life, and under the blows of reality it crumples up and flattens out. Knowledge of people as they are and of the world as they make it is bitter enough to his lips, but it puts into the pure gold of his character at the beginning the alloy it needs to make it hard enough to be useful under the blows of circumstance. Wise old Francis Bacon's remark—"It is better to be a fool than to be a knave"—that "The alloy debaseth the metal but maketh it work the better," quoted upon the title page, gives terse statement of the author's theme.

The action takes place in New York City and on Long Island, and the people who belong to that small but highly illuminated section of the populace which believes amusement to be the serious business of life and views itself as society with a large S. The setting is made up of their activities and functions, dances and dinners, teas, tennis, receptions, clubs, and stag parties. But these are all duly subordinated to the action, and the reader sees them only as a rich, gay background to the personalities in whose making or marring of their destinies he is interested. There are, however, some very attractive descriptions of scenes upon Long Island estates in which the author deserves the credit of making the reader feel the beauty of the setting without thrusting it upon him.

The young hero, Worth Pryce, comes into this gay, bright, and seemingly happy world and enters with eager expectancy upon his inheritance of wealth and social position only to find after a few months of enjoyment, that it is full of baseness and evil. His chosen friend deceives him and misuses the money he has loaned; the girl he loves with a youth's reverent adoration uses him as a cloak for a base intrigue; even his dead father, whom he has idolized as a knightly man without reproach, he finds to have had feet of the dirtiest kind of clay.

Mr. Sullivan writes, evidently, with earnestness and the desire to portray life truly, to be true at once to its material manifestations and to its spiritual recognitions and imperatives. In both this and his previous novel, "Children of Banishment," a tale of the Northern woods of unusual worth, written with poetic truth and feeling and evincing much knowledge of human nature, he has steered clear of tinsel and sensationalism and

has written with dignity and artistic restraint. But in this new book it must be said—that what was not true in his first—that his theme has ridden him too hard, to the detriment of his story as a work of art. "Alloy of Gold" contains much that is good and charming and full of promise; he has a deft and vivid touch in character delineation; his sense of dramatic values is keen, and he can write good English—which too many American, and also English, novelists cannot. But it is to be hoped for his own sake that in future novels he will find some way of working out his stories without letting even a pretty girl preach quite so much.

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The earlier letters give a glimpse of his relations with Schumann, already touched, but not yet felled by his tragic fate. His intimate relations with Brahms and Clara Schumann stand forth distinctly. These relations were temporarily clouded by misunderstandings which have been now concealed by the editor of this volume, Julius Otto Grimm, Waldemar Bargiel, Hermann Grinm, Hermann Levi, Ernst Rudorff, and Philipp Spitta are among the others of his chief correspondents. His letters to his wife have an infinite pathos—the joy of the earliest over happiness reflected in their first married life—then the sudden cessation of letters to her and of the mention of her name; for they were separated and were never reunited.

Much of artistic interest is discussed in these letters, naturally, and there is light thrown on some important incidents, as on Joachim's break with Liszt and the school he represented; on the inception of some of Brahms's and Bruch's compositions; on the early history of the Berlin High School. There is much that is illuminating as to the character and personality of Joachim and some of his correspondents. It may be said that Joachim's uprightness and sincerity and absolute artistic rectitude command admiration, and that a certain narrowness of his artistic nature is revealed. Mme. Schumann presents herself as a widow intensely devoted

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New York Times Review of Books:

As a writer of books for boys I have been greatly interested in the letter of Grace Blanchard of the Public Library, Concord, N. H., appearing in a recent number of the *Book Review*. Miss Blanchard complains that there is too heavy a flood of juveniles, and calls a halt to "series" books. Librarians in general, I fancy, will agree with all that Miss Blanchard says. The "series" is a library nightmare. The point that Miss Blanchard misses is this—that the "series" type of book has been forced, to a large extent, upon the men and women who write it.

Juvenile literature may I say literature?—is seldom given the attention which it is entitled. Any time a reviewer uses as much as one-quarter of a column to say anything about juveniles, that which he says is generally derogatory. I read five publications that seriously review books; yet, looking back over a period of five years, I cannot recall an extended, cordial review of a single juvenile. Surely some good books for boys or for girls must have been published within that period of time.

Let me speak, particularly of writers for boys. I know that part of my subject better. The writer for boys faces a market that must buy its books by proxy. When the boy desires a volume costing \$1 or more he must appeal to some adult member of his family. He cannot stroll down to the bookshop, browse around, find his book and walk out with it. Could he browse around the matter of titles and series would be of small moment—if he forgot his title he could search and find. However, he is forced to buy by proxy, and there's the rub.

Lacking the opportunities of publicity that seem to come to the writers of every other type of literature, even minor poets, the juvenile writer dare not use a general title. It would be too vague. So he takes advantage of the gang spirit of the boy or of his capacity for hero worship. The result is a series running "Lansing Boys on the Diamond," "Lansing Boys in the Woods," "Lansing Boys on Bob Drake at School," "Bob Drake, Class Leader." Call that last book "The Class Leader" and it would have to search for its friends. But "Bob Drake, Class Leader," means something to every boy who has read a Bob Drake book.

Coming from a library standpoint, Miss Blanchard is justified in her complaint against the "series." I have written the series books, though no series of mine has run more than six volumes. As a writer for boys who takes the review seriously, I am beginning to doubt the artistic wisdom of the series. For one thing, the series handicaps you in plot and character treatment. You are bound by what your characters have done in the past. Yet boys demand more than the volume of a series, they want a general title. I believe I shall ultimately compromise by limiting any series I may write to three volumes. That should be good news to Miss Blanchard, provided I am fortunate enough to have any career for my books at her library. Miss Blanchard wants to buy for her boys and girls some interesting modern stories. Where is she to find them? Surely she cannot sit down and read the mass of juvenile stuff that comes from the presses. She must make her selection of titles by the way—blindly and by chance, from published reviews, or from the A. L. A. booklist.

Let us go back to the question of reviews. How many juveniles are adequately reviewed? The average title of a book for boys is worthless because the review looks at it from the adult standpoint. The only person qualified to judge a book for boys—I do not mean now the book that is thinly or thickly vicious—is a person who understands boy nature thoroughly. Last month the newspapers were filled with invective concerning the work of the late Harry Castlemon. His books were fine and wholesome. He deserved all the good things that were said about his work. But how many of these good things were said about his books at the time that he was penning them? Men writing in newspaper offices could look back with delight upon the days when they read Castlemon, and those same men wrote the tributes. Rack through the years those writers who Castlemon's Frank Nelson books with the eyes of a boy. For the moment, in memory, they were boys again. I wonder would those men enthuse over a modern juvenile.

We have writers today who are doing work as fine and as wholesome as Castlemon's. For instance, let me cite two writers, Arthur Stanwood Pier and Clarence E. Keland. Mr. Keland's humor is clean and bubbling; it sparkles with youth and joy. And Mr. Pier's book stories are to me a constant delight. How much recognition have these two men received from the reviewers? However, though the juvenile writer seems to be literature's poor relation, I can assure Miss Blanchard that better times are coming. In many sections of people are beginning to express an eager interest in the right kind of books for the young. And in other sections there seems to be an awakening to the fact that while high standards are much to be desired, high standards and right standards are not necessarily synonymous. Standing at the head of this fight for a rational judgment of books for boys is Franklin K. Matthews, Chief Scout Librarian of the Boy

Scouts of America. Mr. Matthews has lectured before many meetings of librarians, and one of his propaganda articles entitled "Blowing Out the Boy's Brains" was widely copied after its publication in *The Outlook*. My hat is off to Mr. Matthews for this. He went to his task with his preconceived idea that a boy's book must be considered as lacking in worth if it does not deal with some hunky braggart like Robin Hood or some historical hero like King Arthur. The clear vision of men like Mr. Matthews must, in the end, make the lot of the librarian, struggling in a wilderness of juveniles, easier and more secure. For out of the movement that he has started must come some standard of criticism of books for boys. At present there are no standards.

Miss Blanchard thinks that the A. L. A. has given up in despair, so far as mentioning juveniles is concerned. If this is so, the blame can be laid to this same lack of some standard of criticism. With juvenile literature in a critical state of chaos, how can the A. L. A. recommend anything? By what standards does it recommend? Let me illustrate this lack of unity. My books are of a type that are referred to as "school-athletic." There seems to be a feeling that this type of story has been worked to death. Gladly would I write another type if I could. But, fortunately or unfortunately, this is the kind of story that is a delight for me to pen. And the A. L. A. has not placed one of my books upon its list of recommended volumes.

Now, by what standard do they exclude me? By the claim that there are too many school-athletic books and that the three or four writers of this class that they do recommend are representative enough of the field? But I am not interested in a representation of the field, and I do not think a librarian should

LIFE AND WORK OF A FAMOUS VICTORIAN

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phrase; thus the opposition of savage life to, any change or progress is called by Bagehot "a cake of custom"; or again, English society is characterized as an order of "removable inequalities."

Bagehot was writing at the time that anthropologists like Morgan, Macmillan, and Lubbock were beginning to find out the close marital relations of savages, if they can indeed be called marital. He wittily describes this stage of social evolution as one which "maternity was a matter of fact, paternity was a matter of opinion" (he quotes the phrase as if from another, but that was merely a trace of early Victorianism). His lengthy approach to the intricacies of his subject is often enlivened by sallies of this kind, which help to brighten the way. Like all his school, there was nothing so repellent to him as anything of the nature of romance or sentimentality, and, consequently, he never lets himself go even on things about which he feels deeply, and his style is uniformly of the pedestrian order. But it is effective enough for his own purposes of exposition, and we are at least never in doubt as to his meaning, which is as clear as crystal.

Bagehot's method was in the main psychological. I have said, even in his critical essays, and this marks an advance on his immediate predecessors of the same or similar school, utilitarian writers on economics and government like James Mill, Nassau Senior, or Malthus. They regarded man as a perfectible being, who would be mainly moved by reason. Bagehot recognizes the immense force of stupidity in human affairs and makes allowance for it at every stage of his inquiries. Though not highly imaginative himself, he recognizes the power of imagination, especially among ordinary people, and half the novelty of his "English Constitution" is the recognition of the need of a monarch to appeal to the imagination of the common man, while the Premier, really unknown to the Constitution-mongers, does the actual work of government. Bagehot applies his psychology even to such a seemingly unsympathetic topic as finance. Thus he explains the rather mysterious phenomenon why new men in Lombard Street (or Wall Street) are able to hold their own

against the established financial magnates. There is an economic reason, because the new men can trade on borrowed capital, for which they need only get back the interest they pay, whereas the money kings want full profits on their own capital, which forms the bulk of their investments.

But, Bagehot continues, there is also a mental reason; the older men have an established position and do not therefore care to take the risks which their less well-endowed competitors are willing to take. And so throughout Bagehot makes allowances for the elements of character which affect men's actions and even human institutions. He is thus at his best in explaining why a Bull peer devoted to sport, like Lord Althorp, "saved the Bill," meaning the Reform Bill of 1832. It was just Althorp's dullness which appealed to the sympathies of the members of Parliament who were mostly as dull as himself, and they trusted him where they would not have trusted a more brilliant man. Long before Tarde, Bagehot recognized the mob consciousness and its influence on human affairs, and this recognition gives his exposition a further approach to reality.

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who recognizes the value of the decorative parts of government as well as the administrative section.

The most remarkable thing about the history of English literature is the consistent appearance in it of two disparate orders of mind. Unlike France with its uniform golden mediocrity, in which we overlook the mediocrity because of its golden character, English letters have produced, frequently in alternate generations, two orders of mind, one essentially mediocre, but not golden, and the other of gem-like brilliance which is like water.

We have the sound, humorous commonplaces of men like Chaucer, Ben Jonson, Dryden, and Crabbe; then again we have the mingled mysticism and imagination of Spenser, Donne, Blake, and Shelley. The same contrast is to be seen even in English philosophy. Locke is followed by Berkeley, Mill by Green, Spencer by Bradley. Even in the novel we have the contrast of Fielding and Richardson, of Dickens and the Brontës, of Trollope and Meredith.

Which class of mind is to be regarded as distinctively English it would perhaps be difficult to say. If we cut out the mystics and romantics, English literature would be robbed of most of its glory. There is no doubt that the other more pedestrian school corresponds more closely to what we understand by the English national character. It is needless to say to what class Walter Bagehot belonged. In this sense, he was English of the English, and his work, now definitely collected together, are an admirable example of the more pedestrian English mind attempting, and to a large extent with success, to explain some of the most characteristic of English institutions.

WILLIAM HEYLIGER.

Ridgefield Park, N. J., Oct. 12.

STEPHEN COLLINS FOSTER

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lins Foster. It was only fitting that his na-

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written that gives to this great American

literary prominence to which his works

justly entitle him. There should at least be

a volume containing something about his life

and the three hundred or more songs he gave

to the world—something worthy his unique

place in American letters and music.

That specimens of his work should be in-

cluded in "Warner's World's Best Poetry" is

proof of the literary merit of his songs,

their beauty and finish. Yet the creator of

these immortal ballads, their music ringing

round the world, echoing the plaintive, lovely

strains of the Southland, how little we know

of him!

I had occasion to go to the New York Public

Library on Fifth Avenue and Forty-second

Street the other day, and took the trouble of

looking up any references that might be

made to this writer and information concern-

ing his life and works. All that was ob-

tainable there were two magazine articles,

and these very brief ones.

It seems to me that the writer of stirring

and touching plantation melodies is more de-

serving of the homage of posterity. His

songs are classics in their unique and beau-

tiful finish, their spirit, their compelling in-

terest, and their power to move. Little won-

der that the world's celebrated operatic sing-

ers always have room for one or two of the

imperishable gems of this gifted composer!

Why cannot we have a biography worthy

the memory of this, one of America's greatest

musical geniuses, Stephen Collins Foster?

New York, Oct. 11. THOMAS MILLS.

Woodcraft Indians

The fourteenth annual publication has been made of Ernest Thompson Seton's "Manual of the Woodcraft Indians." The Woodcraft Indians is an organization founded by Ernest Thompson Seton in 1902 to promote a "character-making movement" with a "blue sky method"; their manual contains their constitution and laws, and other matters of interest to members of the organization. (Doubleday, Page & Co. 75 cents.)

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As the war draws on its hideous length, month after month, the books upon it are inspired by it increase in number. Among those promised for early publication which will deal with it descriptively or philosophically or will consider means of preventing war in the future are several of much interest. Henry Holt & Co. will bring out very soon "The Stakes of Diplomacy," by Walter Lippmann, in which the author of "Drift and Mastery" and "Preface to Politics" is said to set forth a new idea of international diplomatic action which will satisfy the demands of patriotism and yet will do away with the many present-day sources of international friction.

"A Book of Belgium's Gratitude" is a volume of much international interest, to be published in French and English, now in process of preparation, which will be brought out in New York by the John Lane Company. It will have also London and Paris publications. King Albert of Belgium is the patron of the undertaking, and M. Paul Hymans, Belgian Minister in London, is its President. On the list of members of the committee, which is preparing the work are the names of some of the most prominent Belgians in literature and public life. King Albert and most of the members of the committee will contribute to its pages, as also will Maurice Maeterlinck, Emile Verhaeren, Baron de Broqueville, Mmes. Vandervelde and de Wiart, and many others. Special commissions will be devoted to the help rendered to Belgium by Great Britain and her colonies and the United States. Nearly a dozen Belgian artists will contribute the illustrations. Many well known English names are among the list of translators. W. J. Locke serving as translation editor.

The letters by Mildred Aldrich which have been appearing in The Atlantic Monthly will soon be published in book form by Houghton Mifflin Company under the title, "A Hilltop on the Marne." The book will have, in addition, maps, illustrations, and other new material. This house has ready "The Fall of Tsing-Tau," by Jefferson Jones.

Alfred A. Knopf has taken over from George H. Doran Company "The Russian Problem," by Vinogradoff, and "Russia's Gift to the World," by J. W. Mackall. Mr. Knopf is also the publisher of Vladimir Soloviev's "War, Progress, and the End of History," which makes a defense of war as a means of human progress. He will have the work ready shortly.

"Women at The Hague," by Jane Addams, Greene Balch, and Alice Hamilton, will be offered soon by the Macmillan Company. It will contain a narrative account of the international congress of women held at The Hague last Spring.

In "The Ballet of the Nations," by Vernon Lee, which the Putnam announces for Fall publication, the author applies to the carnage now raging in Europe the medieval conception of the Dance of Death.

A thorough discussion of maps and methods for a permanent settlement of conditions in Europe is made in "The Great Settlement," by C. Ernest Fayle, which Duffield & Co. have ready for immediate issue. The peace societies of England have endorsed the book, and the American Association for International Conciliation will distribute the volume among its various branches.

The latter part of this work will bring from the George H. Doran Company "The World's Highway," in which the Norman Angell will make an exposition of America's position in the world crisis of the present time, and "Kings, Queens, and Pawns," Mary Roberts Rinehart's account of the things she saw and did and the people with whom she talked during her stay at and near the battle front.

Publication of Mary Johnston's new novel, "The Fortunes of Garin," has been postponed by the Houghton Mifflin Company from Oct. 18 to Oct. 25.

Dorothy Canfield's new novel, "The Bent Twig," whose appearance was postponed for two weeks, is now ready for immediate issue by Henry Holt & Co.

The Putnams are publishing at once "A Recipe by Compulsion," by Victor Bridges, an English story of rapid and vigorous action.

Baroness Orczy's new story, "The Bronze Eagle," dealing with Napoleon during his march from Elba to Waterloo, is promised by the George H. Doran Company for Oct. 22, when they will have ready also "Ten Degrees Backward," by Ellen Thorncroft Fowler, a quiet love story of rustic England, and "The Folly of the Three Wise Men," a Christmas fable by Edgar Whittaker. Works by G. Arnold Shaw announced for publication on Oct. 30 "Wood and Stone," by John Cowper Powys, a novel presenting the rather

weird idea of how the good and the evil in human beings are encouraged and drawn out by the material contact of the soil upon which they live.

"The Anvil of Chance," by Gerald Chittenden, which Longmans, Green & Co. will publish this month, will have its scenes staged first in a boy's boarding school, then in the hill country of New England, and later in Central America.

Arvo Gundersen's Russian classic "Ob-lonov," will for the first time be presented to English readers by the Macmillan Company, who have it ready for immediate issue. The translation is by C. J. Hogarth. This house has ready also Ralph Graham Faber's "Chained Lightning," a story of adventure in the real Mexico of today, meant especially for older boys and young men, written out of personal experience.

Harper & Brothers announce for immediate publication "Fishers Mead," by Compton Mackenzie, a love story of England, and "Over Paradise Ridge," a love story of America, by Maria Thompson Davie, whose scene is laid in the Tennessee mountains. This house has ready also "Clearing the Seas," by Donald H. Haines, a story for younger readers of a supposed naval war between the United States and a foreign power.

John Trevena's "Moyle Church Town," whose publication was delayed, is promised for early issue by Alfred A. Knopf. It is a novel, founded on Cornish local color, its scene laid in Cornwall. Mr. Knopf announces also "Yvette and Other Stories," by Guy de Maupassant, the translation by Mrs. John Galsworthy, the volume containing also an introduction on Maupassant by Joseph Conrad. Many of the stories deal with the Prussian troops in France in 1870, and some, it is said, are here rendered into English for the first time.

The Putnams have arranged for the publication in this country of "The National History of France," in seven volumes, of which they expect to have ready this Fall the second volume, on "The Renaissance," by L. Batiffol. Of the others the first will deal with "The Middle Ages," and will be by Francis France-Brentano, who is also the general editor of the work. The third, "The Great Century," is by Jacques Boulenger, and the fourth, "The Eighteenth Century," by Casimir Strylenski. The fifth and sixth volumes, dealing with "The Revolution," are by Louis Madelin, who writes also the seventh, on "The Empire."

The Putnams announce for early publication "Prussian Memories," by Poulney Bigelow, which recounts the experiences of his boyhood and later years in Germany; a volume of reminiscences called "Memories and Anecdotes," by Kate Sanborn; "The Romance of Old Belgium," by Elizabeth W. Champney and Frère Champney; "History of the Child in Human Progress," by George Henry Payne, a work dealing with the history of man in his formative years and covering an almost untouched field of investigation, and "Crises in the History of the Papacy," by Joseph McCabe.

The Century Company will bring out this week "Pleasure and Palace," a book of reminiscences, by Princess Lazarovich-Hrebnianovich, who before her marriage was Eleanor Calhoun, an American.

A new edition of Anthony Comstock, "Fighter," by Charles C. Trumbull, is announced by Fleming H. Revell Company, for which the author has written an additional chapter, bringing the story of Mr. Comstock's life down to its closing scenes.

"The Life of Clara Barton" has been written by her life-long friend, Percy H. Epler, and will be published within a week or two by the Macmillan Company. It is the first authorized biography of Miss Barton, known during our civil war as the "Angel of the Battlefield," to be published.

William Roscoe Thayer's "Life and Letters of John Hay" is ready for immediate issue by Houghton Mifflin Company.

William Winter's "Vagrant Memories," to be published this week by the George H. Doran Company, is full of personal recollection of the famous stage people of the last forty years.

Sir Edwin Pears's recollections of "Forty Years in Constantinople," from 1875 to 1915, will be published the latter part of this month by D. Appleton & Co. It will tell the inside history of many important events in Turkish affairs, and offer pen pictures of many famous men whom the author has known dur-

ing his long and prominent life in Constantinople.

B. W. Hoebech announces for immediate publication "The Nearing Case," by Lightman Wither, head of the Department of Psychology of the University of Pennsylvania, a complete statement of all that led up to Dr. Nearing's dismissal from the Faculty of that institution.

On the Rolland's "Some Musicians of Former Days" is being published this week by Henry Holt & Co.

James Pott & Co. promise for the latter part of this month "Denmark and the Danes," by William J. Harvey and Christian Topples, with an introduction by Maurice Francis Egan, and "My Japanese Year," by T. H. Sanders.

"From Moscow to the Persian Gulf," by Benjamin B. Moore, is a narrative of travel by train, carriage, and caravan across the steppes of Russia and through Persia, which the Putnams will bring out before long.

"The Boy Scout Year Book" is ready for issue by D. Appleton & Co. It contains stories, articles, and illustrations covering the widest variety of subjects by some of the most prominent men in the United States, as well as by others of more humble station. Moffat, Yard & Co. will publish shortly "Greek Genius and Other Essays," by John Jay Chapman.

"On the Trail of Stevenson," by Clayton Hamilton, which Doubleday, Page & Co. have ready for immediate publication, follows R. L. S. on his vagabond journeys in Scotland and on the Continent, and is said to contain some hitherto unpublished material concerning his stay at Lake Saranac.

The October number of "The Print Collector's Quarterly," published by the Boston Museum of Fine Arts, contains illustrated articles on "Claude Mellan, (1598-1688)," by Louis R. McCalfe; "Eugene Delacroix," by Frank Weitenkamp; "Dante Gabriel Rossetti; Illustrator," by Elisabeth Luther Cary; "German Woodcuts of the Fifteenth Century," by Emil H. Richter.

The Macmillan will soon have ready "The Song of Hugh Glass," by John G. Neihart, an epic poem dealing with frontier conditions and the fur trade in the early days west of the Missouri River. It is said to be strictly national in character and to prove that this country has heroic traditions worthy the use of the poet.

A special edition of the "Twentieth Century New Testament" has been made by Fleming H. Revell Company for Boy Scouts, which has been adopted by the Executive Board of the Boy Scouts of America, and has an introduction by the board.

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John Cooper Powys, author of "Visions and Revelations," is in America on his 22nd lecture tour. His New York season will begin on Nov. 9 at the Cort Theatre, with a course of six lectures on French literature.

Arthur Guiterman, whose book of humorous verse, "The Laughing Muse," is a Fall publication, is an instructor in journalism at the New York University, offering a course in newspaper and magazine verse.

Booth Tarkington's "The Turnout" has been placed by the Navy Department on the list for sailors' libraries on board men-of-war.

Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett got the basic idea for "The Lost Prince" from an old Serbian legend, her attention having been first turned to that country by a Serbian friend, who described to her its life in ancient days, when it was a beautiful pastoral land, and its later tragedies.

Gutson Borglum is at work upon the memorial to Stevenson, which is to be placed on the shore of Lake Saranac. It will be ready for unveiling next Fall.

"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" has just gone into its forty-ninth printing, which, like all of its printings since its first few weeks, is a large one.

A. C. Benson in his new book, "Escape and Other Essays," describes and philosophizes upon school life as he knew it at Eton, which, he says, "made boys overestimate athletics, despise intellectual things, worship social success."

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THE WEEK ON THE VARIOUS WAR FRONTS IN EUROPE

By a Military Expert.
THE Teuton attack on Serbia has not gone forward with the celerity looked for when it was inaugurated. Even though Serbia has had so long to prepare her defense for an attack that was sure to come, the impression was created by the typhus scourge with which she was visited during the Fall and Winter that her small army had withered to such an extent that her resistance could not be more than perfunctory.

Germany, it was expected, would find the way to Nish almost open, and after some preliminary fighting, which would be but little more than skirmishes, the Serbians would retreat to their mountain defenses, leaving the northern part of the State in Teuton hands. But this, as has been the case in many other instances in the war, has proved to be altogether an erroneous impression. Instead of the Berlin and Vienna press announcing an uninterrupted series of successes and a consequent general forward movement of the Teuton armies, the principal references of the

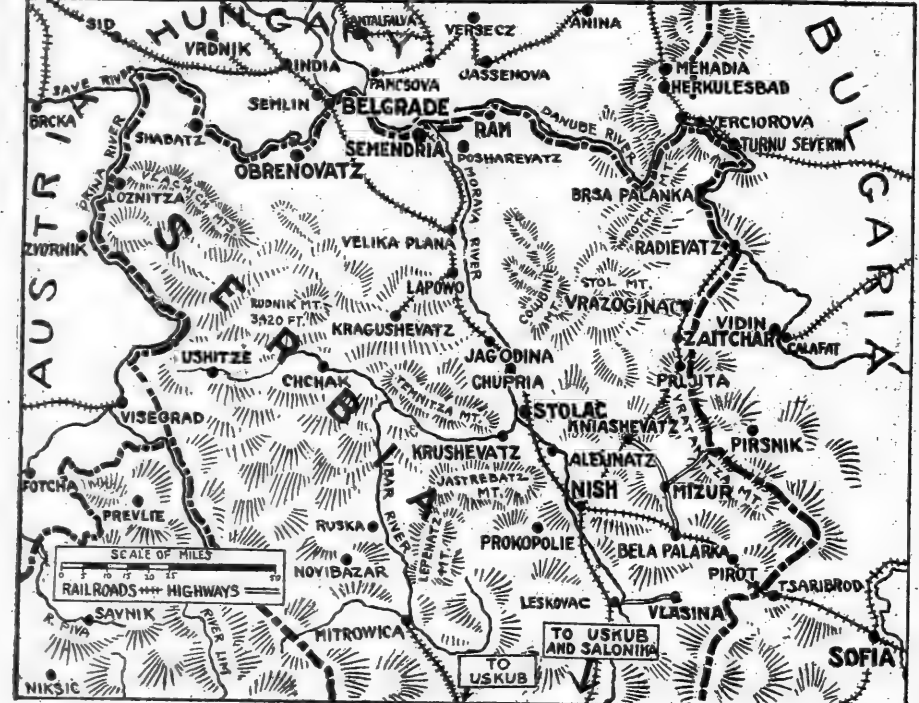
Austro-Germans and Bulgarians Concentrating Their Efforts on the Railroad Running Through Serbia to Saloniki and Constantinople--Russians in Much Better Shape Along Their Whole Front--Active Fighting Around Loos and in Champagne.

is true, by clever use of railroad lines, effect rapid concentrations at selected points, but it is always at the expense of some other part of the line. The net result is that, after an almost inconceivable sacrifice in men, and an expenditure of enormous supplies of shell in order to accomplish a given object--the forcing of Russia to a decisive battle--Germany faces a winter in the interior of Russia with her object as far removed from accomplishment as it was months ago. This means stagnation, and time works to the benefit of Russia more than to that of Germany.

The Siga section during the week has been extremely quiet, but south, in the Dvinsk region, there has been violent fighting. Yet, in spite of their efforts, the Germans seem no nearer to capturing Dvinsk. Small gains at some points have been more than offset by the losses at others. From Dvinsk to the Dniester the Germans have been hard put to it to hold the Russians in check without attempting an offense of their own. As a matter of fact, the Russians have made a number of gains at different points--unimportant, it is true, but indicative of the reviving striking power that enabled Russia to sweep through Galicia a year ago. In particular is this true along the Strypa River in Eastern Galicia, where they have been for some weeks conducting a very active offense. A number of small towns have been recaptured and the Austrians driven west across the river until practically all of the east bank is now held by the Russians.

This represents a gain during the last few weeks of ten miles over a front of about sixty miles. In these operations the Austrians have suffered very heavy losses in killed, wounded, and prisoners. The latter alone amount to about 125,000, a sufficient indication of the severity of the fighting and the strength of the Russian attacks.

These successes, so close to the Rumanian frontier, will, of course, have their influence on Rumania's attitude toward the Entente. In all probability this was Russia's object, particularly during this past week. The Teutons have had a considerable force concentrated on the Rumanian frontier to deter Rumania, if possible, from lining up with the Allies by showing her what must be faced if her troops attempted to cross into Bukovina. But this move the Russian advance has entirely discounted.



Where Serbs, Germans, Austrians, and Bulgars Are Fighting for Control of the Railroad from the Danube Through Nish to Constantinople and Saloniki. It is Reported That the Serbian Government May Be Transferred from Nish to Mitrovitz, Shown on the Map to the Left. From Mitrovitz a Branch Railroad Connects at Uskub with the Nish-Saloniki Line, So That Help from the English and French Might Still Reach the New Serbian Capital in the Event of the Abandonment of Nish.

reports from these two capitals are to the stubbornness of the resistance with which General Mackensen is meeting. As pointed out last week, the main object of the German campaign is the Belgrade-Nish-Sofia-Constantinople railroad by means of which ammunition and supplies may be sent to the hard-pressed Turks on the Gallipoli Peninsula. Neither Germany nor Austria care anything about Serbia, for although on the border of Austria, Serbia is not a menace. Her army is small and exists at this stage only for defense. Such a thing as an invasion, or rather an attempted invasion, of Austria was not for a moment thought of or feared.

But within the boundaries of Serbia is a long stretch of the Oriental railroad, the only through rail route from Berlin to the east. Germany needs it now to reach the Turk on Gallipoli, and wants it later to reach her much-cherished place in the sun. Bulgaria, of course, was a vitally necessary link in the chain, as the Bulgarian section of this road was as important and as necessary as was the Serbian. Once Bulgaria was won over to the Teuton cause, the German plan was ready for execution.

This plan is, in a nutshell, for the Austro-Germans, operating from Belgrade and Semendria, to drive south along the railroad to Nish, while the Bulgarians are to drive toward the same point from Serbia's eastern frontier. When the junction is effected, naturally all of the railroad that is needed will be in Teuton hands. There are other advantages in this double operation incidental to reaching Constantinople, but nevertheless of great importance. If the Allies send Serbia assistance--and they are doing so now--such assistance must be sent up to the Serbian rear by means of the Belgrade-Saloniki railroad, which also passes through Nish. Once the Bulgarians reach and cut this road, this source of reinforcement and supply is at once destroyed. Not only that--this railroad is also the one great life line on which the Serbian armies on both the Austrian and Bulgarian front depend for supplies furnished locally without regard to the Allies at all. Were the Bulgarians to reach Nish, the Serbian army defending the Austrian frontier would have to change its entire front, pivoting on the left wing, or face an absolutely disastrous defeat.

In accordance with this plan, the Teutons crossed the Danube between Belgrade and Semendria, crossed the Save at west of Belgrade, and still further west, crossed the Drina. The latter move, however, was intended purely for defensive purposes to prevent their right flank from being turned. The importance of Semendria lies in its relation to the railroad scheme. At the small town of Velika Plana, about twenty-five miles due south of Semendria, the railroad from Nish and Belgrade branches, the main line going on to Belgrade and a single track branch going north to Semendria. Belgrade and Semendria are in turn connected by a railroad running along the south bank of the Danube, and are, therefore, considered the two terminal of the road running north from Nish. From Belgrade to Velika Plana is close to fifty miles by rail, about half of which distance is through high, heavily wooded hills, the foothills of the west Serbian mountains. It may well be anticipated, therefore, that the Serbians will be able to put a serious check on a hostile advance. From Semendria south to the main road, the country is generally rather flat and without serious natural obstacles to a hostile advance. Moreover, the branch road from Semendria is paralleled for most of its length by the valley of the Jezeva River, which offers a ready means of advance. It is, therefore, entirely feasible that the Teutons in front of Belgrade would devote themselves to keeping the Serbians in their front as busy as possible while the Teuton left advanced down the Jezeva Valley toward Velika Plana. This would have the same effect on the Serbians north of the latter point as if the road were cut at Nish, i. e., their supply line would be cut and they would be completely severed from both foreign and local sources. So far the Teuton advance has been negligible, but such advance as there has been is most noticeable in the Semendria region.

On the eastern border Bulgaria, having formally declared war, is trying to work her way west. So far, however, she has been unsuccessful, and has, as far as we may judge from official reports, suffered a not inconsiderable loss without any gain. Bulgaria's task of driving to Nish is much more difficult in its first stages than is Germany's, on account of the difference in the character of the country. From Belgrade south, over the line which the Teutons will follow, the country is generally flat, though partly broken by the foothills. From the Bulgarian border west it is mountainous in the extreme for a considerable depth, and is therefore admirably adapted to defensive tactics. The Serbs will, of course, on this front be greatly outnumbered, but because of the strength of their natural defensive screen it will take an almost overwhelming force to drive them back.

While all this is going on the Allies will not be idle. France and England are already rushing reinforcements by way of Saloniki. Italy is reported to be about to strike at the Teuton flank through Montenegro, and the Russians are bombarding the Bulgarian Black Sea ports. On the whole, therefore, it may be expected that the conquest of Serbia will be a long-drawn-out arduous procedure. The race for Constantinople will be a slow one.

Reports of the Allies' operations on Gallipoli show no material gain--in fact, no gain at all. They are still in front of the Achibaba position, with the Turks everywhere holding their own. Failure of the Turks' sources of munition supply would seem to be the only chance of anything like immediate success. If they cannot reach Constantinople before the defenses of Serbia give way, all hope of giving Russia an opening into the Mediterranean is gone, and Russia will, unless Rumania joins in, have to depend entirely on her present inadequate

sources of munition supply--Archangel and the Trans-Siberian Railroad. What was generally regarded as a temporary check to the Germans on the Russian front while the Teuton leaders were making redistributions of their forces bids fair to become permanent. In fact, the German offense seems to be paralyzed. From Riga to Bukovina Teuton reports have told of but little except their ability to repulse Russian attacks. It seems that the initiative has passed to the Russians and that, even in front of Dvinsk, the Germans are now on the defensive. The combination of the rainy season, of marshes, of long lines of supply and inability to maintain a continuous flow of heavy shells, has brought the Germans to a halt. Once operations in the east, by reason of difficulties in transportation, are reduced to a matter of rifle fire, the Germans no longer can run over the Russian armies, but, meeting them on

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the Cossack and the Moujik. Velours and Scotch heathertones are responsible for a number of innovations in town-and-country suits, while serges and gabardines are in the front line of practical, smart, all-purpose suits. Many are at \$25 and \$30--and in between. Values are equally unusual at \$40, \$50 and up to \$125.

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Even the greatest of French designers have always wondered why they had such success with their definitely Parisienne conception of the street suit which England invented and America perfected. They are always frank in their praise of the admirable cutting and fitting of our mannish uniform in heavy materials. "But," they argue, "if the buyers come to us for suggestions and pay good prices for what we offer, and we comprehend

Domestic Styles, Designed Especially for Walking, Are Lighter and Less Cumbersome Than Foreign Makes—Many Kinds of Materials and Colors Used.

parent blouse and open neck which have been abandoned for the open. It has never been satisfactorily proved that these features of fashion heightened the death rate among women, regardless of all the hysteria on the subject. The verdict from Japan is different, according to the recent statement of a Japanese doctor, who says the mortality among Japanese women has materially increased through the adoption of American clothes. If these tiny little peach blossoms had only waited until this winter to adopt our fashions such a terrible statement would not have been possible, for they would probably have been kept so warm they would have rebelled and gone back to their open-necked kimono. We ourselves are likely to resemble Eshimo between October and April.

Coats Are Heavy.

The effort made by the American designers is to cater to the desires of our women by providing them with skirts that reach almost to the ankles and are not over two and a half yards wide. They put sufficient fullness in the long coat, below the waistline, to obviate the lack of it in the skirt. There is already an objection to this fullness, for it adds to the weight of the garment and thereby contributes to fatigue when walking, something that the American woman has avoided with energy during the last decade, since she was emancipated from swathing clothes.

Such coats are all very well for the stage, where they have been exploited recently by one of the best-dressed actresses, and they serve for velvets and silks, heaped with peltry, worn in the motor, but they will not serve for the woman who walks. And she is in the majority. Some compromise will have to be made for her. Along with the reasonably narrow skirts for the great mass of Americans will have to come a coat that clings to the figure, even if it is not narrow in its skirts, and is less in weight than the present ones.

The motor woman has been well accounted for. Now let's have something equally good for the walking woman who cannot be annoyed by weight, by fullness, by overornamentation.

One of the best-looking of these suits is of Garibaldi red velvet. It is the one worn on the stage. The skirt is suitably long, although wrinkled Russian boots are worn beneath it, looking so fetching that all the women in the audience want to go out and buy a pair; the coat has a long waistline and its peplum is unusually long at the sides and cut quite short back and front. This peplum is pleated and its voluminous hem is edged with kolinsky. There is an immense collar of the fur that smoothes the chin, and cuffs that can serve as a muff, as they are intended to do. This is the only touch of economy advanced in the use of fur this season.

Everywhere among the best of the American tailored suits is shown the tendency to elongate the sides of the coat and place the fullness there. There is no material in the front, and in the back the circular part is smoothed out so that the line is graceful and not bunglesome. The French coats, on the contrary, carry the full peplum around the figure on a straight line, and the only irregular line is placed at the hem of the skirt. The latter idea was started by the



ASTRACHAN FUR EFFECTIVELY USED.
Georgette model of blue gabardine with gray astrachan collar and buttons and gray suede belt.

house of Premet among the first short rarely does a marked departure from the prevailing thing have more than a lukewarm attention until two seasons have passed. Over here we talk and accentuate the wide Russian skirt as a novelty, whereas every house in Paris showed it last August, and two seasons have come since then. In France, there is already talk of modifying it.

trying its width. When we do it here, suits will be far better to look at. Woman who brought home full skirts from Paris a year ago, and who were persuaded to have them narrowed, are now wondering why they listened to the advice of those who did not look into the future and who were convinced that the narrow skirt would never be thrown out; and yet today one cannot even get \$5, second hand, for a \$100 frock that has a yard and a half skirt hem.

Among the leading suits that France has sent over, and that, undoubtedly, will be copied throughout the winter, are one from Cheruit of green cloth; one from Georgette, of blue gabardine; one from Drocoll, of gray worsted mixture, named Cobb, (probably not after Irvin), that are happily suited for American figures. The Cheruit suit is of that new weave of soft satinated cloth, in a deep green, that is very fashionable. It is distinctly Russian. The coat, apparently, has no opening, as it presents an unbroken surface, front and back. The long waistline, beloved by the house of Cheruit, although the lovely Luise is not there to guide its destinies, is outlined by a folded belt, fastened at each side by a button. There is a military touch of braid and buttons carried out in a panel at each side, and the hem, the choker collar and small cuffs are of krummer. The skirt owes its fullness to inverted side pleats; the front and back are plain.

This manipulation of pleats is far better than the way Cheruit arranged the fullness last season, when she had the trick of placing pleats in the front. Avoid that feature, if you see it on a skirt made of heavy cloth. It gives an ugly line over the abdomen.

The Georgette suit is of blue gabardine, well braided. The skirt does not care how wide it is, evidently, but it lacks trimming, fortunately. The coat is military, although each of the designers insists that militarism is dead in clothes. There is wide braiding at each side of the waistline, it covers the shoulders in an attempt to give the effect of epaulettes, and three large buttons keep the single-breasted fronts together, including the high collar, which is cut in one with the shoulders. There is a gray suede belt, to carry out the touch of gray given by the top of the collar, which is gray krummer.

While the belt is supposedly at the normal waistline, it is really an inch or two below it, in order to give that long military line that the soldiers have on their jackets, due to their long-waisted figures.

The suit that Drocoll calls "Cobb" is of gray worsted, most serviceable in every way for steady wear over here. Drocoll usually can turn this trick, for Vienna always knew how to cut and fit an admirable coat. It does not do,

however, to whisper the name "Vienne" in connection with this house in Paris. The firm has had a hard time of it because of its past; it claims now that no German or Austrian money is any longer involved in the business—for the house was put out of the syndicate of French dressmakers, and has met with immense resistance from every commercial quarter in carrying on its work, despite the fact that the chief designer, wife of the manager, is one of the heads of the Red Cross in France.

The suit in question, which is of gray worsted, has a wide, short skirt edged with a black velvet ribbon. The jacket has a slim upper part, a high flaring collar that does not meet in front, unlike most of the other collars one sees, and is fastened straight up the front with black bone buttons. There are two pocket flaps on the chest, and long sleeves with small, tight cuffs piped with black velvet. The hem of the coat is edged with the velvet ribbon, and there is a band of it that runs up the front from hem to belt. The latter is built of the two materials and fastened with a silver belt. You can see for yourself what service such a suit will give and how smart an appearance it will present on the street.

Referring to the name of this suit, which is English, it is an interesting fact that a number of the Paris designers gave English names to their creations for the first time. They paid their allies this mark of respect. Russia contributed the majority of these names, but there was a reason for this, in the amount of Russian fashions introduced. The English names were merely compliments.

Worth calls his best evening frock "Lord Byron." Drocoll calls a suit "Cobb." Georgette calls one "Greenaway." Bernard calls a frock "Gainsborough," and a suit "Tommy." These few show the way the wind blows.

What Materials Are Used.

In choosing the tailor suit one need not be bothered by a diversity of materials or colors. They are somewhat limited by the mills, and, at any rate, woman should be governed by her social opportunities. Velvet is not suitable for one who has no time, nor reason, to go to formal afternoon affairs; a luncheon or the matinee is better served by a one-piece frock of chiffon cloth under a heavy coat. Velvet is only for the rich, not the poor. Duverne is lovely, but if there is a lingering doubt of its wearing qualities, avoid it. Broadcloth with a high finish is in fashion, and serves admirably. All the mixed worsteds are good. A woman with one suit should avoid plaid cloth. It becomes tiresome. Black makes the most fashionable suit, but dark green, seal brown, deep purple, and any shade of dark red are

used. Red is impossible for any one but the woman who has a wardrobe full of clothes; purple suits only a few skins; dark blue is not urged by those who make fashionable suits, but it is in excellent taste and nearly always becoming. Of course, it is a Spring color and not a Winter one, but this should not deter any one from choosing it, if it is what she wants.

Black is the smart thing in Europe, naturally, and the leading tailors advocate it for everyday suits here; but it has its drawbacks. It is often unbecoming; it is old-looking, especially in a long coat and full skirt, and it shows every spot more quickly than do the other colors.

Probably the American woman could do no better than to choose one of these rough, but soft, gray worsteds that go through the sun and the snow without being affected by either.



JENNY MODEL IN SERGE.

Blue serge frock by Jenny. The collar is of pink silk and the stitching which trims the frock is also pink.



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that we have, by their courtesy, entered the American field as arbiters, then it is human nature, to hold that position and secure all the trade, we can."

Under these conditions it has come about that we take our coat and skirt styles from Paris, as we do everything else in costumery, but, granting that, we should have our coats and skirts made here, even if we adopt French suggestions. We never suffer by comparison with Paris in this field. Our workmanship here is perfect. The backs are sufficiently broad, the sleeves long, the skirts admirably shaped, the surface not overtrimmed. Probably Paris will continue to lay down the fundamental changes in the silhouette, in the coloring, the width of skirt, the length of coat, for that is the established mission of those designers, but the new movement over here to create tailored suits at home, for this winter, has resulted in success.

The effort has been made before, but it was too experimental. It did not succeed. Except in a few distinguished cases the results were commonplace. The majority of women who buy clothes for prudential reasons might not offer any objection to the suits that were offered, but they were not even considered by the woman who knows that good street dressing is an art. This season the work was undertaken in earnest by those who usually buy all their models in Paris and faithfully copy but never create. They have worked out several admirable designs for strictly American tailored suits which are really more original than those brought over from France.

After all, there was no scarcity of tailored suits in various kinds of cloths at the French openings, and the shops are showing them along with the home-made product. There is a distinct difference between the two, although they do not advocate different silhouettes. Both have the more or less wide skirt, the long sleeve, the fronts fastened to the neck or the chin; nearly all the coats have peplums that extend somewhere between the hips and the knees. But the American suits are simpler. They have little ornament, if any. They require the wash blouse beneath and the

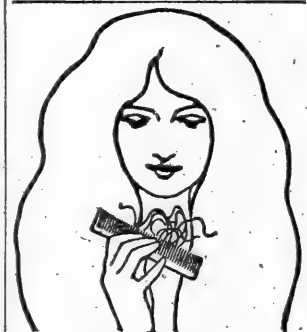
kind that do not hamper movement, yet do not swirl in the wind like a merry-go-round, showing the legs half to the knees, as the French skirts do. The American climate is decidedly cold in winter, for one thing, and these short, full skirts are no protection to the lower part of the body. Unless one wears the Russian boots that reach nearly to the knees, and are often edged with fur, one is far more apt to catch pneumonia than in the trans-

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at the age of eighteen, and they can afford, from the marriage viewpoint, to tide over for a few years.

The left-overs of each social year are gradually accumulating, however, and society is fearful lest it be in time overstocked with spinsters.

THE presentation of girls to society is really like a play. The curtain rises at the beginning of the social season and falls at the end. In a short period they must win favor, or popularity, or else they will be forgotten, like player-folk, who shine for a night and a day, and are eclipsed by other and brighter stellar light.

It takes a long and gradual process for the formal coming-out, and the future depends entirely upon the girl herself. No matter how loud the plaudits of her fond relatives, she must "make good," or else step down from the glare of the social limelight, to make room for another.

There are many heart-burnings behind the scenes, some pathetic, but mostly good cheer. The pathetic scenes are enacted when people who have the ancestry but not the means attempt to see their daughter through an expensive season. There is sure to be an ugly duckling, and plain girls, who become wall flowers, but the community of interest among the debutantes is such as to frequently carry the ugly duckling, the plain girl, or the girl who has little or nothing but ancestors, safely through the season.

As a class, the New York debutante is free from snobbishness. The majority of girls are from representative New York families, some of wondrous wealth, yet they recognize and accept the girl of lesser means who is making her modest bow to society.

Once upon the stage of social activity the debutante finds herself engaged in other diversions than the pursuit of pleasure, and the displaying of fine feathers in the marriage mart. She finds that a great deal is expected of her in the way of social service, and very soon she has become interested in the various opportunities for philanthropy.

This is where the Junior League steps in, an organization primarily for debutantes, formed fourteen years ago with a threefold purpose--first, to interest the girls in philanthropy and social service; second, to provide out of its membership volunteers to answer the many calls issued by the settlements, hospitals, and charitable agencies, and, third, to raise and contribute money toward the many worthy objects in which its members are interested.

The league was started by Miss Mary Harriman, now Mrs. C. C. Rimes, as a small group of debutantes, who acted a little play for a few friends, and gave the proceeds--a few hundred dollars--to the college settlement. Now the league has a membership of about 700, and about \$25,000 passed through the treasury last year.

One of the league's first contributions toward solving the housing problem was the model hotel erected for working girls. It supports nurses, visiting teachers, and the debutantes help by sending the flowers from their entertainments to the poor and the sick. Its activities are multifarious, and the results prove the spirit which pervades these activities.

A GOOD many of the debutantes have been about in an informal way during the summer. The autumn ball at Tuxedo will find many of the buds assembled, but the greater number will be at the first of the Junior Assemblies.

The Tuxedo ball comes a day or so earlier this season, falling on Oct. 29, which is not so far removed. Even the first of the Junior Assemblies comes a day earlier than last season, being fixed for the night of Nov. 30. As already announced, the annual Horse Show will open in Madison Square Garden on Nov. 6. Consequently the round of gayeties will begin early and run late.

Dates for the many coming-out tea dances, receptions, and dances are being announced almost daily now. No large debutante dances are to be given in town before December.

Among the reports of the week was that Miss Maud Kahn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kahn, is to be presented to society this season. Another addition to the list was Miss Adele Pringle, daughter of Mrs. Leeming Walker, of 390 Park Avenue, who is to give a reception for the debutantes on Dec. 23, to be followed by a theatre party and dance.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wood Cushman of 515 Madison Avenue will present their daughter, Miss Mary Allerton Cushman, at a tea to be held on Dec. 8, Mr. and Mrs. Edward R. Stettinius will introduce their daughter, Miss Isabel Stettinius, at a reception at their residence, 16 East Seventy-third Street, on Dec. 4, and they will give her a dance on Dec. 31 at Sherry's. Mrs. Robert Hartshorne of 449 Park Avenue is to give a tea dance on Dec. 18, to introduce her daughter, Miss Mary Minerva Hartshorne. Mrs. Edward T. Potter will give a tea on Monday, Dec. 27, at her home, 114 East Thirty-seventh Street, for her granddaughter Miss Julie E. H. Potter, the debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Nott Potter of Harrison, N. Y.

Mrs. Cyril Dugmore of 903 Park Avenue is to present her daughter, Miss Florence Gilbert, this season. Owing to the fact that Captain Dugmore is at the front with the British Army, Miss Gilbert's debut will be very informal. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Vanderbilt have taken the Oakleigh Thorne house at 783 Park Avenue for the early season, and will no doubt entertain considerably for Miss Elizabeth Howard, daughter of Mrs. Thomas H. Howard. Mrs. Vanderbilt, who is Miss Howard's great-aunt, will go to California later in the winter. Mrs. Howard gives a ball at Sherry's for her daughter on Dec. 28.

Miss Charlotte Platt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barstow Platt, of 535 Park Avenue, is to be introduced at a reception the latter part of November. Miss Margaret Dickson, daughter of Joseph Dickson of Morristown, N. J., will have her coming-out tea on Dec. 4, at the St. Regis. Mrs. James Byrne, who has taken the Koven house at 1,025 Park Avenue, is to give a large dance there on Dec. 10 for her daughter, Miss Helen M. Byrne. Mrs. Ernest Adey will give a reception on Dec. 21 at the new Colony Club for her daughter, Miss Geraldine F. Adey. Miss Madeleine Carey, a daughter of Mrs. Frederic F. Carey, is to be presented on the afternoon of Dec. 2 at the club, and on Dec. 29 Mrs. Lowell Lincoln will introduce her daughter, Miss Mary Lincoln, at the club, which makes an ideal place for debutante affairs. In the select atmosphere of upper Park Avenue, Miss Grace Bristol, daughter of Miss Charles Astor Bristol, is to be introduced by her mother at the new clubhouse on Dec. 21. Mrs. Linsley Tappin is to give a tea dance at Sherry's on Dec. 27 for her debutante daughter, Miss Mary I. Francke. Mrs. George Q. Palmer will give a dance for her daughter, Miss William Palmer, at Sherry's, on Christmas eve.

The first of the debutante entertainments is set for Nov. 15, at Haverford, Penn., where Mrs. Thomas de Witt Cuyler will give a tea dance for her daughter, Miss Eleanor de Graft Cuyler, with the Misses Mildred Mitchell and Constance Chappell, two debutantes of this city, assisting. The debutantes are under way now in Philadelphia. On Nov. 18 Mrs. Alphonse H. Alker of 21 East Sixty-sixth Street will introduce her daughter, Miss Mabel W. Alker, at a reception at her home, and will give a dance on Dec. 21 at Sherry's. Several coming-out receptions will follow. On Nov. 24, Mr. and Mrs. George Dallas Yeomans of 6 North Washington Square are to give a reception that afternoon for Miss Isabel S. Yeomans, to be followed by a dinner and dance. Mrs. Israel O. Blake will give a dance at Sherry's that night to introduce her daughter, Miss Jeannette Blake. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Geer will introduce their daughter, Miss Helen D. Geer, on that afternoon at their home, 246 West Seventy-second Street, which is to be followed by an informal dance in the evening. Miss Dorothy Dulles, daughter of Mrs. William Dulles, will not be presented on the 24th, her coming-out reception having been postponed on account of the death of her father.

SOCIAL and sporting activities are at their height now in the country, where the coloring of the autumn foliage makes an attractive setting for the out-of-door pastimes. The polo season on Long Island has closed. The Meadow Brook Club has just purchased eighteen acres of land on the western border of the present international field, which is to be improved before next season.

The colonists at Tuxedo are planning some gay festivities for the mid-autumn season, with a series of informal week-end dances at the clubhouse. The colony of the Hudson River is still enjoying the charm of the river hills in gorgeous colors, and on Friday night many of them attended the annual entertain-



Mrs. Sidney S. Breeze. Photo by Rochlitz.

ment for the benefit of the Robin's Nest held in the Irving Town Hall.

People are coming and going at this time of the year, some to the Pacific Coast, and many to the resorts in the Virginia mountains. There are naturally some changes in town residences, and the drift to the apartment house is on the increase.

Dr. and Mrs. Alexander H. Rice have left their apartments at 22 East Forty-seventh Street, and have gone to California on their honeymoon, to remain until Nov. 23. They expect to take a house on their return. Mrs. Rice was formerly Mrs. George D. Widener. Mr. and Mrs. E. Roscoe Mathews, who were in West Ninth Street last season, are now occupying their new house at 673 Lexington Avenue. Mrs. Richard T. Auchmuty, who has been at Lenox, will occupy her home at 101 University Place, which is now wholly business, having succumbed to trade, which left some of the cross-town streets of that part of town, and lower Fifth Avenue, free from invasion.

Mrs. I. Townsend Burden and her daughter, Miss Evelyn Burden, will spend the winter at the Ritz-Carlton. George J. Gould has rented for his son-in-law, Anthony J. Drexel, Jr., the house at 1,015 Fifth Avenue, to J. Henry Lancashire. Mr. and Mrs. Drexel are abroad.

News comes from Cleveland, Ohio, of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Kaufman. Mr. Kaufman was formerly Miss Hope Hamilton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Hamilton of New York, and was presented to society by her cousin, Mrs. George J. Gould. They were married last January in the Church of the Heavenly Rest. Mr. and Mrs. Sidney W. Fish (Miss Olga Wiborg) will pass some time in Mexico and South America before returning to New York. Their wedding was a recent event. Edward N. Teller of 11 North Washington Square is at

Tuxedo, after completing a 3,500-mile motor trip. Mr. Teller is 35 years old. Besides the military attaché of the Russian Embassy, Colonel Golejewski, who is to live at 18 East Ninety-second Street, the Naval Attaché, Commander Michtow, will also be in this city for the greater part of the winter, at 216 West Eighty-ninth Street.

ONE of the first large entertainments in November will be the annual subscription dance, to be given for the benefit of the Children's Club of St. Ambrose, by the New York Guild of St. Timothy Alumnae, on Tuesday evening, Nov. 23, at Sherry's. Features for the evening are to be announced later. Among the patronesses are Mrs. Robert Bacon, Mrs. Joseph H. Choate, Mrs. E. H. Harriman, Mrs. Rudolph Kissel, Mrs. John T. Pratt, Mrs. Willard Straight, and many mothers of this season's debutantes.

In charge of the dance are to be Mrs. Stephen Clark, Mrs. George Whitney, Mrs. Joseph Seligman, Mrs. Arthur O. Choate, and the Misses Ina Kissel, Mary Tweed and Genevieve Sanford. Applications for tickets at \$3 each are being received by Miss Lois Martin, 178 East Sixty-fourth Street. The club carries on its settlement work at 236 East 111th Street among the Italian immigrants.

There are sure to be some new dances this year. At the Panama-Pacific Exposition the three-step has been a favorite, and the glide waltz is said to be coming back into its own. The tango still holds in favor.

THE weddings are increasing in number, although the rush will not come much before November. The first important wedding of the week will be that of Miss Rheda van Bibber Tanner, daughter of Mrs. John James Tanner of 37 Fifth Avenue, and

Felix D. Doubleday, son of Frank N. Doubleday, which is to be celebrated on Tuesday, in the Church of the Ascension, with a reception afterward at the Colony Club. On the same day, in Irvington, N. Y., Miss Mary Corbin and William B. Eddison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eddison of Irvington, will be married in St. Barnabas's Church. A small reception is to follow at the home of the bride's cousin, Mrs. William Usher Parsons, at Ardsley.

On Saturday Miss Estelle Young Romeyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Romeyn, and Ernest W. Pittman are to be married in St. Thomas's Church, with a reception following at the Women's University Club in West Fifty-second Street. Several out-of-town weddings are scheduled for that day. In Newport Miss Margherita Siegfried, daughter of Mrs. Charles A. Siegfried, will become the bride of Joseph H. de Rivera of this city. The couple will live in New York. In Hampton, Va., Alfred Van Santvoord Olcott, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Eben E. Olcott of this city, will be married to Miss Ruth Purves, daughter of Mrs. Alexander Purves of New York and Hampton. William Ward Smith, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Smith of this city, and Miss Ellen West Page, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Carter Page of Baltimore, Md., will be married in that city on Oct. 23.

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was founded in 1887 will take place on Nov. 10 at the Biltmore. A musical program from noon to 1 o'clock, in the grand ballroom, is to precede the luncheon, provided by a committee of which Mrs. Henry Meyers is chairman, composed of the Board of Trustees. Among the speakers will be Collector Dudley Field Malone, Dr. John H. Finley, State Commissioner of Education;

Mrs. William Einstein, and Mrs. Alexander Kohut, President of the sisterhood. The other officers are Mrs. Jacob H. Schiff, Vice President; Mrs. Daniel Guggenheim, Treasurer; Mrs. Adolph Lewisohn, Chairman of the Finance Committee; Miss Carrie Wise, Secretary, and Mrs. Joseph Hoffman, Financial Secretary.

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NOW that the autumnal season is well advanced preparations for entertainments for the debutantes of the winter are under way and with the large number of girls to be introduced, the early season promises to be a very busy and giddy one. Already the list of buds has gone over seventy, and it will likely soar near a hundred before the whirl of gayeties starts in November.

This is an unusually high percentage as compared to former years, when the number of girls presented to society kept pretty close to the hundred. The increase means an extra demand for young men, especially the men who dance, who were rather scarce last season when dancing reached the zenith of popularity.

The young man of today is a very serious person, and he is buckling down to business, whether it be in Wall Street or in the marts of commerce and shipping, for the war profits are worth striving for. The big universities and preparatory schools are also making an inroad into the list of desirable young men, which must also be taken into consideration. There was a howl of protest last season from the young men over the multitude of dancing engagements and entertainments which kept them up until break of day.

There are many young men, of course, who have the time and the wherewithal to shirk their business duties and who think nothing of averaging one full night's rest a week. But the tendency these days, with the passing of the idle rich, is for the actions of the wealthy to carve out their own destinies in the business of life, with the result that many young men of wealth and position are now paying more attention to their business interests than to the continuous frivolities of the season, which put them to bed at cock crow, to breakfast hurriedly at 10.

It is a wise hostess who places the stamp of approval on the early dances for the younger set. In the end she will have the bulk of the more serious-minded and desirable young men at her beck and call. The lack of young men becomes hazardous at times, for it often brings into the entertainments and in close association with the debutante a class of young men who are on the ragged edge, but who are often asked to fill in.

The happy go-between is the tea dance, which seems to have come to stay as a means of presenting and entertaining the debutante. This is a popular form of afternoon entertainment and it has numerous good points, otherwise it would not hold its own. Primarily it presents the opportunity for informality, which the young people like most of all, and the young men can drop in when they please and without rushing home from the office to fuss up. It allows the debutante and her girl friends to wear their engaging afternoon frocks, and if there are three or four girls to one young man it causes no comment. But once let a debutante scintillate at an evening affair, with girls in the majority, and she will never hear the last of it.

In proportion to the number of girls presented each season, there is a low percentage of marriages. Within the last year or so only about 20 per cent. of the girls presented to society have become brides. There are scores of girls now hovering on the edge of that perilous quantity known as "the older girls." Naturally most of the girls are presented

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SHADOW LAWN, the million-dollar home of the late John A. McCall at Long Branch, N. J., which, according to a report from Washington last Friday, had been offered to President Wilson as a summer residence by a delegation of prominent citizens of New Jersey, headed by Representative Scully, and accepted by the President, has had a

clous. The grand social hall measures 70 by 85 feet and the grand staircase is 25 feet wide at the base. There is a large mezzanine floor, furnished as a music room, and on the next floor there is a promenade hall, surrounding an open court, lighted from above through an art glass dome. The promenade on the third floor is used as an art gallery, the chambers, dressing

Mr. McCall's death, when it was closed. It was rumored at the time that Mr. Oppenheim paid not more than \$300,000. When Mr. Oppenheim took possession of the property he announced his intention of turning it into a country club. Members were to subscribe \$2,000 each and the membership was to be not more than 500. Several



Shadow Lawn, Long Branch, N. J., the New Summer White House.

varied career since it was built, some thirteen years ago, by Mr. McCall. He was at that time President of the New York Life Insurance Company, and Shadow Lawn was considered one of the most beautiful Summer homes in America. It stands on a hill in the center of about forty acres of rolling land which have been beautified by every art of the landscape gardener. The house is of Colonial design, from plans by Henry Edward Creiger, and the numerous observation towers, outhouses, and barns are all built in perfect harmony with the main structure.

rooms, and bathrooms opening off the hallway. Ivory color predominates in the social hall, the fluted pillars, arches, and balustrades being of that hue. The walls are hung with green tapestries, having Greek border effects, and the color scheme is carried out in the portières, rugs, and hangings. The two enormous mantels are of mahogany, as are the folding doors. The electric fixtures are pale Pompeian bronze, filled with amber-colored glass. Antique bronze vases flank the main staircase.

men went into the scheme, and it was to be called the Brook Lawn Country Club. However, Mr. Oppenheim found difficulty in securing enough members, so the plan was abandoned. In August, 1906, Abraham White, then President of the De Forest Wireless Telegraph Company, visited Shadow Lawn and, after looking over the place very carefully, opened negotiations for its purchase. In 1906 Mr. White had practically no money. He invested 44 cents in postage stamps, and, with an audacity that astonished Wall Street, borrowed \$1,000,000 on nothing more than notes signed by himself and his wife, getting part of the amount from Russell Sage. With this he made a gold deposit required on an issue of Government 4s then being put out by Secretary of the Treasury Carlisle, putting in bids around 110 and 112. He got the bonds, and within a few days made a big clean-up.

had the most beautiful voice in America. In explanation of this statement, he said that Mrs. White, although possessed of a beautiful high soprano voice, refused to sing in public, so he hoped that the beauty of the mezzanine floor would appeal to her and result in her singing to her friends, at least. White occupied the house for a season, and entertained lavishly, but in 1908 failed to meet his obligations on the property, and it was sold at Sheriff's sale on May 25, 1908, to Myron H. Oppenheim for \$108,000 above a \$100,000 mortgage held by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. White stated that he wanted to start a bungalow colony on the property, but the scheme never materialized.

DECISION DAY IN JERSEY

By the Editor of The New York Times:

The question of equal suffrage is to be decided in New Jersey on Tuesday, Oct. 19. As a New Jersey woman deeply interested in this question, may I voice one last protest against taxation without representation, and remind the many thousands of your readers that their forefathers fought and died for precisely the simple justice which we are demanding for womanhood? We have no voice in making the laws which govern our daily living, although we may be punished by them if we do not obey. These laws relate to the most vital interests of our lives—pure food, fire protection, the public health, hours of labor for women and children, factory inspection, public schools, etc. What was once considered woman's "sphere" has become inextricably confused with what was supposed to be purely masculine, and we have women doctors, lawyers, preachers, etc. But in return, men have insured what were considered women's occupations, and we have men milliners, dressmakers, cooks, man-run laundries, etc. Surely, if men compete with women in women's occupations and women compete with men in men's occupations, is it not the merest justice that they should equally share the responsibility of making the laws under which both must labor and in electing the officials by whom the laws are administered?

A Suffragist Tells Why the Women of Her State Want the Ballot.

every human life is quite as heroic as that possessed by the man who faces the enemy on the field of battle. What man would exchange the military service which he may be called upon to render to the State for the service, which every mother renders? Not one! "Equal suffrage has proved a success in the Western States. No one can read the man-and-women-made laws which have been enacted since women shared the ballot without admitting their humanitarian and moral tendency. Women are in politics to try to make the world better. Women first voted in Wyoming in 1890. Twenty years later when a commission went to Washington to ask that the Territory be made a State, they were told that they could come into the Union if they would come without equal suffrage. The commission sent this message to the Governor and legislative body, and the telegram they sent to Washington in reply read: "Rather than come in without the women we will stay out for a hundred years." That is a fine tribute to women who have proved that they can share in government successfully. It is a significant fact that where women

vote there has never been an organized effort to deprive them of the right. But beyond the question of justice involved is the even more vital question of the self-development of women—those members of the body politic who should devote the duty and privilege of training the coming generation in high ideals of human justice and liberty and clean living. It is not of value to the State to put into the lives of women every incentive to a wider understanding of the needs of the community in which they live which will only come with a sense of personal responsibility? Many American women have this sense of responsibility now and the work they are doing in civic betterment is ample proof of the earnestness with which they will use their wider opportunities when they share in government. This type of women are organized in a great Federation of Women's Clubs reaching from the Atlantic to the Pacific. For the past fifteen of twenty years these clubs have been studying current events, civic improvement, etc.; their members are trained in conducting public discussions and are thoroughly informed as to the questions of the day and the laws by which they are governed. It is this type of women—the useful, intelligent women of high ideals and tireless endeavor for the betterment of the communities in which they live who are asking for a full share in government. They know that ignorant foreign women and little children need laws to safeguard their food supply, the sanitary conditions under which they work and their hours of employment, the healthfulness and morality of their surroundings, their education, and it is in the spirit of human helpfulness that they ask for the ballot as well as in a spirit of human justice. Can any man who realizes the value of the work that women are doing refuse them a share in government? A NEW JERSEY SUFFRAGIST. Orange, N. J., Oct. 16, 1915.

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PLAYS AND PLAYERS IN THESE PARTS



Douglas Stevenson in "Chin-Chin."—Globe.

SECOND THOUGHTS ON FIRST NIGHTS

The Return of Sherlock Holmes—Some Movie Notes—At the Bandbox, Again.

WILLIAM GILLETTE has come back as Sherlock Holmes. Again the ultimate detective treads the Empire's boards, again the lean, nervous fingers caress the immortal pipe. Once more the weary, small voice plays humorously with the supreme sleuth of the dressing gown reads in the ascending smoke the utter confusion of Professor Moriarty—the man higher up of a day gone by.

A dispassionate study of this perennial piece, were any so misguided as to make one, would provide many reminders of how fashions in play-writing have changed since the late twenties when it was written and first produced. Of course, it is as artificial as a false tooth. Of course, its indebtedness to Sardou produces that impression of the wheels going around which would be made on a guest whose seat at dinner commanded, through the door ajar, a glimpse of the kitchen and of the busy, responsible cook. Indeed, the presence in this revival of a rather comic Moriarty suggests that Mr. Gillette himself finds "Sherlock Holmes" more amusing than he did when it was new.

But who cares? To scold the play at the Empire for all this is just a little like lamenting the lack of realism in "Alice in Wonderland," like condemning Barrie's supreme stage fantasy for being fantastic, like coming away from a parlor magician's party with the sour comment that he was very, very tricky.

As sometimes happens with a bad, old melodrama—as happens markedly with "Grumpy," for instance—"Sherlock Holmes" is lifted by a genuine and telling characterization. This is true of the stories and doubly true of the play. It is Mr. Chesterton who points out that not since Dickens has an author of fiction created a character so universally known as Sherlock Holmes. Probably neither Swengall nor Huckleberry Finn has had so wide an acquaintance. And for the intimacy of that acquaintance one actor has been more largely responsible than in the case of any other dramatization with the exception of Jefferson's Rip. The detective visualized by the author of the stories, the figure drawn by the clever Frederick Dore Steele and the Sherlock of the stage are now one and indistinguishable, but to the character as conceived by the then plain A. Conan Doyle, the skilful, gracious, gentle, winning Gillette has added a charm that was beyond the author's somewhat limited power to bestow. The impress of the player's personality is indelible and the appearance of any other actor in the part is as unthinkable to one who has seen the original as would be an understudy for "The Music Master," or a road company in "Peter Pan."

It must be a pleasant and a grateful thought to Mr. Gillette to remember now how many are the millions to whom, in his lifetime, he has given pleasure. He is adding to the number. They are turning them away at the Empire. Those who know the performance by heart eagerly revisit the scene of an ancient thrill and those who do not are obviously curious to see this play of which they have heard so much.

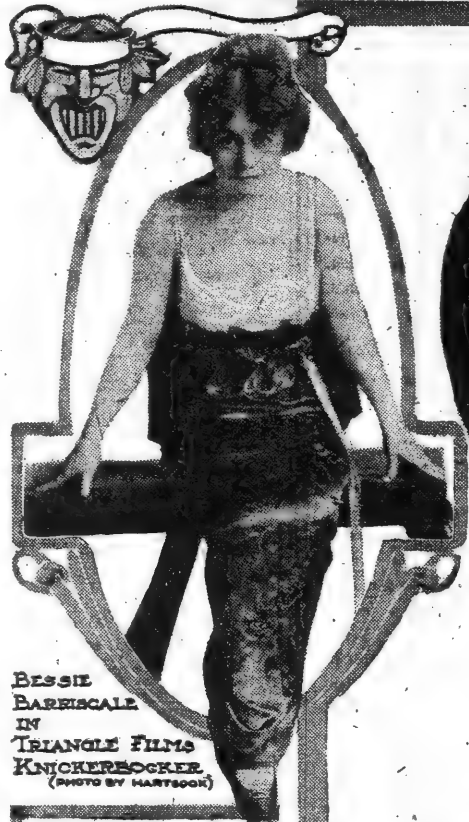
No one could tease Mr. Gillette for getting out the famous dressing-gown he had permanently discarded more than four years before. His own playful curtain speech (printed in this vicinity) disarms the tactless, and besides, it is so very agreeable to have him back.

It is great fun to see once more an exhibition of such unabashed theatricalism, such unblushing working up of an entrance, for instance. The scene is a luxurious ambush of crime. A woman's screams are heard above, and before your eyes a safe is cracked. A fair prisoner is just being tortured to make her reveal the hiding place of priceless papers when the door bell rings. A secret window affords the villainess a glimpse of the unwelcome visitor. It is a tall, thin man. "Sherlock Holmes," murmurs the burglar, and departs by way of a window. There is a hasty assumption of calm. The rather suspect body passes along the lighted hallway toward the door. Portentous silence, broken only by the rustle of murmurous anticipation from the other side of the footlights. And then, and then, there appears in the doorway—Sherlock Holmes. Loud cheers!

The Longest Run.
A GLANCE at the "To Be Continued" table published elsewhere on this page and an occasional sight of the box office line at the Liberty serve to remind us that the entertainment which has been here for the longest continuous run and which has played here more weeks than any, save "Chin-Chin," is not a spoken play, but a photoplay. At a time when road companies are being called in and plays that played here for months and months last season are already gracefully "released to stock," "The Birth of a Nation" is extending its territory in this country, and recent mails bring across the Atlantic the reports of its exhibition at the Scala in London, where the price per stall is the time-honored ten and six.

Neither its novelty as the first two-dollar movie nor the uproar of protest raised against it in Boston and elsewhere alone accounts for its enormous success. Calculate it in money, and, if you dislike the art and social spirit of the Rev. Thomas Dixon, who wrote the scenario, you will hear with pain that his royalties threaten to pass the million-dollar mark. Calculate it in terms of runs, and you will come upon figures likely to give you pause. The inclusion in the management's own announcements of the 172 performances given at Brighton Beach during the summer confuses the statistically minded and is unnecessary for the purpose of making an impression. Beginning early in March, this big movie has been shown at the Liberty ever since at the rate of fourteen exhibitions a week. If it remains, as it doubtless will, till the end of 1915, then those who go to the Liberty on Dec. 29 will witness the 604th performance in Manhattan of "The Birth of a Nation." And that, please remember, was the run achieved by the unprecedented "Peg o' My Heart." If the huge Griffith photoplay remains at the Liberty till the end of December, then it will beat the record. Of course, it is being shown at the same time in other cities, and doubtless the denizens of distant Dallas go trustingly to "The Birth of a Nation" because they know that there can be no substitutions in the movies. A photo-play can have no road company.

Writers on things theatrical, if observed closely, wear a somewhat baffled expression when wrestling with this comparatively new form of enter-



BESSIE BARESCALE IN TRIANGLE FILMS KNICKERBOCKER (PHOTO BY HARTSOCK)



CYRIL MAUDE IN "GRUMPY," STANDARD.



ETHEL BARRYMORE IN "OUR MRS. MCCHESENEY," LYCEUM (PHOTO BY UNDERWOOD & UNDERWOOD)

HOME-MADE PRIMA DONNA

THROUGH the universal blackness of the war Eleanor Painter sees a tiny ray of light for American singers. Miss Painter is the dainty apparition of the new Victor Herbert operetta, "The Princess Pat," at the Cort Theatre, who when she smiles is alluring, when she sings, charming, when she dances, divine. Consider, then, Miss Painter smiling, singing, and dancing all at once, while hundreds are doing with great joy at six night and two matinee performances weekly.

Miss Painter's ray of light is this: with the opera houses of the Continent closed, America may realize the folly of her way and make a place for her young artists who have been forced to go abroad for a hearing. "Perhaps," the young prima donna said one day last week, "the chaotic conditions in music circles abroad brought about by the war will result in the creation of opportunities for our own singers at home. There has never been any question but that the best teachers in the world are to be found right here in America. I did not go abroad to study because I chose to, nor because there weren't excellent teachers here—better, in fact, than were to be found in Germany—but because before the war conditions there were more conducive to rapid advancement. My case was that of hundreds of others."

A Change for the Better.
ATTENTION should be called to the fact that of the four playlets at the Bandbox "Night of Snow" will give way gracefully tomorrow evening to "Interior," the Masterlinck piece which was one of the most successful things done by these same Washington Square Players last Spring. It was delicately intimated in this column last Sunday that the former play was not an unalloyed delight.

The official announcement of the change suggested that it was over the heads of an American audience, and, indeed, it had been observable that the players were rather up in the air. However, the bill as amended is capital entertainment, and should be seen forthwith. With such dramatic fare as the lovable "Young America," "The Boomerang," the second act of "Common Clay," Grace George in "The New York Idea," Eleanor Painter in "The Princess Pat," and the Washington Square Players at the Bandbox, he is a cheerful playgoer who says there is nothing in New York worth seeing.

These players seem to work with a nice democracy, with a fine friendliness. Dwellers in their neighborhood report that after a performance all the company (from the ticket taker to the several leading ladies) repair to a near-by coffee house, and there, with light refreshments and high converse, speed the waning night. All that, save the billygoat, who is as temperamental as Jasper but not so affable. The goat, by the way, is an uncertain artist, sometimes playing with marked indifference, sometimes rising to great heights. The evening he will turn his back on the love scene between Mr. Hudson and Miss Lopokova. But the next he will gaze at them with an expression of mingled distaste and incredulity, and then, in that intimate way Marie Tempest has will confide in the audience by a glance that says loudly: "What fools these mortals be!"

voice is not the only essential. After all, it is personality that counts. I took lessons in acting from the stage manager of the Royal Opera, and also developed my dancing. I love to dance almost as well as to sing, but I should never care to do that exclusively, because I shouldn't want to unless I could be a Paviola.

"I studied in Berlin four years. At the end of the second year I went to an agent and sang for him. After that I had no trouble about engagements. I sang at the Deutsches Opera, a Charlottenburg, Marguerite and Butterfly were my favorite rôles. I shall never be happy till I sing Butterfly here, and I mean to some time. The German critics liked my Butterfly best. And I am going to sing in concert, too."

But what about the light opera stage, Miss Painter? Ann Swinburne has deserted it, and if you desert it, too, what shall we do, what shall we do? For who that has seen Miss Painter smile, or heard her sing, or seen her dance could possibly be satisfied with the prima donnas from the banks of the Seine, the Danube, or the Thames?

LIZZIE.
LIZZIE KELLY is perhaps the best American performer of her type on the American stage. Of course, Jasper Taylor earns more money, but Jasper doesn't get to keep it and Lizzie does. Lizzie is the canine actress who scored an individual triumph in "Watch Your Step" when it was acted at the New Amsterdam last Spring. Her only line was attached to her collar at one end and Harry Kelly, her boss, at the other. The Kellys are with "Watch Your Step" in Chicago at present and Lizzie is still drawing her \$5 a week. She has a contract with Charles Dillingham, and Mr. Kelly is meticulous about keeping her money inviolate. He has opened a bank account for Lizzie, and keeps a set of books for her, so that when she needs a new sweater or a box of dog biscuits it comes out of her bank account and not her master's.

After the war Lizzie is to be sent to a finishing school at Frankfurt.

Tonight at the Hip.
Some of the stars of "Hip Hip Ho!" will assist John Philip Sousa and his band at the third Hippodrome concert tonight. Belle Storey and Orville Harrold will sing, and Nat Willis will play a monologue. The Mirambas band will play, and Virginia Root, who made the world tour with the band as soloist, will sing.

The Elmdorf Talks.
The first of Dwiglit Elmdorf's annual travel lectures will be given Sunday night, Nov. 7, in Carnegie Hall. The countries to be visited by the lecturer this season are the British Isles, Holland, Switzerland, and Italy.

TO BE CONTINUED

Play	Playhouse	Presented
Birth of a Nation (film)	Liberty	March 4
The Girl Who Smiles	Longacre	Aug. 9
The Boomerang	Belasco	Aug. 10
Under Fire	Hudson	Aug. 12
Some Baby!	Fulton	Aug. 16
Chin-Chin (second year)	Globe	Aug. 16
Rolling Stones	Harris	Aug. 17
Common Clay	Republic	Aug. 26
Young America	Gaiety	Aug. 28
The House of Glass	Candler	Sept. 1
Battle Cry of Peace (film)	Vitagraph	Sept. 9
Hit the Trail Holiday	Astor	Sept. 13
Ned Wayburn's Town Topics	Century	Sept. 23
The New York Idea	Playhouse	Sept. 28
The Princess Pat	Cort	Sept. 29
Hip Hip Ho!	Hippodrome	Sept. 30
Four Playlets	Bandbox	Oct. 4
Miss Information	Cohan	Oct. 5
Sherlock Holmes	Empire	Oct. 11

THE FIRST NIGHT CALENDAR.

"OUR MRS. MCCHESENEY"—A comedy based on Edna Ferber's stories, written in collaboration with George V. Hobart, with Ethel Barrymore in the title rôle, Tuesday night in the Lyceum Theatre.

"INTERIOR"—Revival of Masterlinck's playlet by the Washington Square Players in the Bandbox tomorrow night.

"DER WEIBSTEUFEL"—A drama in German by Karl Schoenherr, Wednesday night in the Irving Place Theatre.

AN event of unusual interest in the theatre will be the return of Ethel Barrymore to light comedy. This will transpire Tuesday night, when Miss Barrymore will be seen at the Lyceum in "Our Mrs. McChesney," an American comedy based on Edna Ferber's stories of the adventures of the lady drummer of that name.

It seems almost unnecessary to go into detail about the McChesney stories. Miss Ferber is one of the most popular of the younger school of magazine writers and her stories have been widely read. She belongs to that large band of short story writers upon whose shoulders, according to the blurb of their respective editors, the mantle of O. Henry descended upon his death. This is a bit unfair to Miss Ferber, because O. Henry's mantle does not fit her, and anyway she has one of her own that does very well.

This is Miss Ferber's first play, so George V. Hobart, who has had much experience at stage carpentry, was called in to help her. But while some of the mechanics may be Mr. Hobart's, it is safe to assume that most of the dialogue and situations will be Miss Ferber's, and that consequently there will be an abundance of real humor in the piece. The play is in three acts and five scenes reaching from Sandusky, Ohio, to the Dulcinea Apartments on Riverside Drive.

There are more than thirty speaking parts in the play, and in the most important of them will appear Roy LaRue, Nina Forbes, George Harcourt, John Wise, Hugh Dillman, James H. Morrison, E. H. St. James, Huntley A. Gordon, Lola Fisher, Donald Gallagher, William Boyd, Jacob Kingsbury, Emma Salvatore, A. Romaine Callender, Sara Enright, George Meade, and Carree Clarke.

The weakest spot in the new bill given by the Washington Square Players in

the Bandbox Theatre was a translation of a playlet from the Italian called "A Night of Snow Snow." It has been decided to eliminate this number from the program and to give in its place tomorrow night Masterlinck's playlet, "Interior." This was on the first program given by the players and was one of the most interesting things they did, last year. The same cast will appear in it. Josephine A. Meyer, Florence Blair, Edwin Behre, Beatrice Savelli, Agnes McCarthy, Ralph Roeder, Walter Frank, Remo Bufano, and James Terbell among the principals.

This afternoon in the Bandbox the first of a series of lectures on the drama will be given by Walter Pritchard Eaton. His subject will be "The American Theatre: How the Land Lies."

Karl Schoenherr, the author of "Glaube und Heimat," wrote "Der Weibsteufel," the play that will be acted by Rudolf Christians's Irving Place Theatre stock company for the first time on Wednesday night. "Der Weibsteufel" is said to be a stronger play than "Glaube und Heimat," and it has been acted with pronounced success in both Berlin and Vienna. There are only three characters in the drama, and these will be acted by Arnold Korff, Greta Meyer, and Christian Rub.

AT OTHER THEATRES.

STANDARD—Cyril Maude and the company that appeared with him "Grumpy" before last at the Empire is "Grumpy," his international success of three seasons, their last week in New York before going on tour.

YORK—"A Pair of Sixes," H. H. Frazer's Longacre Theatre success of a year ago, the company including in the principal rôles Paul Nicholson, Miss Norton, Alice Claire Elliott, Janis Quinn, Walter Fennar, and Godfrey Matthews.

LEXINGTON—"Twin Beds," the Salisbury Field-Margaret Mayo farce seen all last year at the Fulton and Harrie Theatres, with Lois Bolton, Clara Weldon, John Welch, Auguste Aramini, and Susanne Morgan in the principal parts.

BROOKLYN OPERA HOUSE—"The Song of Songs," a dramatic arrangement by Edward Sheldon of Sudermann's famous novel of that title, acted by a company that includes Irene Fenwick, Thomas A. Wise of the original Elbridge Theatre cast.

COLUMBIA—"The Beauty Palace," a new two-act travesty by John G. Jerome, presented by the Smiling Beauties company, which includes Harry K. Morton, Zella Russell, June Mills, and Joe Emerson.

YORKVILLE—"At Palm Beach" and "In Panama," two short burlesques given by the Blue Ribbon Belles.

EDEN MUSEE—The World in Wax in the crypt, new Kinemacolor motion pictures, and concerts in the concert hall.

THE FRENCH THEATRE.

The Théâtre Français will begin its new season on Oct. 25 in Philadelphia. Ten performances will be given there, and then, after short engagements in Northampton and New Haven, the company will return for its season at the Berkeley Theatre. This will begin on Nov. 15.

Pierre Wolff's "Les Marionnettes" will be the first offering, with André Mery in the rôle created in Paris by Mme. Pierat, in which Alla Nazimova was seen when the play was acted at the Lyceum here. The second production will be "La Petite Peste," with Lillia Greuse, and the third "La Princesse Georges," with Mlle. Mery.

The date for the gala performance at the Metropolitan Opera House for the benefit of the Société Fraternelle des Artistes has been set for Nov. 8.

BROOKLYN AMUSEMENTS.

MONTAUK—"The Show Shop," James Forbes's comedy of stage life, with Zella Sears and George Sidney in the rôles they created last Spring at the Hudson.

MAJESTIC—Granville Barker's company, in G. B. Shaw's "Arms and the Lion," and Anatole France's "The Man Who Married a Dumb Wife," the double bill with which the English producer made his American debut at Wallack's last Spring, the company including Mary Forbes, Lionel Braham, and O. F. Heggie.

TELLER'S—"Sinners," Owen Davis's melodrama seen last season at the Playhouse.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—"The Law of the Land," George Broadhurst's melodrama first acted last year at the Forty-eighth Street Theatre.

ORPHEUM—Keith vaudeville with these numbers: the features: "Sunburst," a condensed version of Reinhardt's wordless play, acted by Gertrude Hoffmann and company; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Barry, in their newest offering, "The Rubie"; Ota Gygi, Spanish court violinist.

BUSHWICK—T. Roy Barnes and Bessie Crawford in their familiar skit, "The Magistrate and the Lady"; John Hyams and Lella McIntyre in a musical comedy playlet, "The Quakers"; Fred V. Bowens and his scenic song revue, as the features of a program of Keith vaudeville.

PROSPECT—Keith variety with these features: Eddie Leonard, assisted by Austin Mack and company, in "The Minstrel's Return"; Marshall Montgomery, ventriloquist; J. Francis Dooley and Corinne Sales, offering their skit, "That Silly."

Concerts at Grand.

At the Grand Opera House in Brooklyn Sunday night concerts will be after a feature. Entertainers from Marcus Loew's theatres will contribute to the programs.

Creator Again.

The gymnastic Giuseppe Creatore and his band will return to the Standard Theatre today for two concerts. Emilio Bernabo will again be the soloist.



Will Rogers and Lois Josephine in "Town Topics."—Century.

THE AU REVOIR TOUR

Being the gravely uttered words of a curtain speech spoken by William Gillette about the last act of "Sherlock Holmes" at the Empire Theatre on Monday night of last week.

I AM really very much ashamed to appear before you this evening, and especially to come out here and talk to you pleasantly like this across the footlights, for I have been shamefully lazy and negligent the past three years. With all that time at my disposal this is only my Second Farewell. It is really shameful. I do not wonder that you feel as you do about it.

I must say it looks as if we Americans can't keep up with the seasoned Farewellers from abroad. You may not have noticed it, but some little time back I made quite a charming and impressive little address from this same stage, and after the performance of this same play, making a farewell for myself and Sherlock—mixing in some pathos and a few little things like that to help along. That was three years ago, and I haven't done a thing since. I am ashamed!

There isn't any reason in the world why we can't do as well in the farewell business as any other country on the face of the globe. We have the farewellers and we have the people to say farewell to. Now let's get together and see what we can do about it. As I said, this is only my Second Farewell, but if I can get back here in the Spring that will be one more, and at that rate—

If I can only keep it up, I will be up even with my competitors by the Spring of 1922, and the Winter season of 1937 I'll be well in the lead.

But, of course, you will realize that I can't do all this by myself. There is one thing I need, and that is you—your sympathy, your affection, and all those things, but above all your co-operation. These farewells would be very expensive things to give all alone in an empty theatre just for the fun of it. And for that reason it seems to me that audiences should do their part in the noble work of putting our beloved country in the lead in this respect, as she is in so many others of less importance. I hate to talk to you about duty, but there it is—it is your patriotic duty, and I have to tell you about it. And now that I have called your attention to the matter I am sure you will do your share, which is merely to come here and be farewelled to. It won't be for long, and therefore it will cause you very little inconvenience to put everything else aside for the time being and come here every night till about the end of this month. The nights are all that are necessary; there isn't any reason of the matter. So it is perfectly understood, and it is very nice of you, I am sure, and it will help us along a whole lot.

As I said, it will soon be over, and then perhaps next Spring we'll give you another whack at it, for my Third. Therefore, as I shall see you so soon again, I will only say au revoir until tomorrow night.

SKETCHES AND STORIES OF THE STAGE

THE AMERICAN PRODUCER WHO LIVED AT MARLOW

Haddon Chambers Tells Why Charles Frohman's English Friends Chose This Thames Village as the Place for His Memorial.

ON a commanding site overlooking the High Street, Marlow-on-Thames, the Anglo-American friends of Charles Frohman are going to erect a fountain to the memory of the man who figured so largely in connection with the English-speaking stage for a third of a century. The fountain will be within sight, almost, of the Compleat Angler Hotel, where Mr. Frohman used to stay during his frequent visits to the town, and of the church and graveyard opposite, where he often expressed the wish to be buried.

It was Haddon Chambers who introduced Charles Frohman to the village that was to mean so much to him through all the last years of his life, and Fate, with more regard for the fitness of things than he sometimes shows, ordained that the English-speaking stage for a third of a century. The fountain will be within sight, almost, of the Compleat Angler Hotel, where Mr. Frohman used to stay during his frequent visits to the town, and of the church and graveyard opposite, where he often expressed the wish to be buried.

Mr. Chambers is in New York on one of his frequent visits, and the other day in his rooms he talked of Mr. Frohman's Marlow.

"It was fifteen years ago, I should say, that Mr. Frohman first came to see me at Marlow. I was spending my Summers there and he had been staying at Maidenhead. He loved the river and as Marlow is on the Thames and much the same sort of town, only smaller, simpler and more peaceful, I thought he might like it better. So he came to visit me, and from his first glimpse of the place he fell in love with it, and as his knowledge of it ripened he came to look upon it as his spiritual home. After that first visit he never failed to include a stay at Marlow in every trip to England.

"Marlow is a one-street town. There are other streets, of course, but the High Street Marlow lives and moves and has its being. Up and down this Mr. Frohman used to love to walk, dodging in and out of the stores, where he would purchase unconsidered trifles as an excuse for chatting with the shopkeepers. The simplicity of his manner and his keen interest, humor and sympathy won him many friends, and his Marlow was always more or less of an event in the little township.

"He stopped at the Compleat Angler, an old-fashioned inn hard by the river. Just opposite was the church with its inevitable graveyard, and it was here he often said he wanted to be buried, to be near his friends of the High Street. Muriel Kilby, the inn-keeper's daughter, was a special favorite of his. Muriel was a little girl in short dresses when he first saw her; now she is engaged to be married to an officer in the army. A day or two before the Lusitania went down she received a note from Mr. Frohman saying he was on his way to Marlow and would see her soon.

"Clark, the butcher, was another favorite. Clark kills his own meat and Mr. Frohman was always vastly interested in the butcher and his immaculate little shop with its sawdust-covered floor, and its neat rows of carcasses prepared by the hands of this pocket edition of John Bull strong enough to lift an ox. Once Mr. Frohman wrote Clark a letter, and he replied very wittily, saying that if Mr. Frohman would allow him to propose his name for Mayor he would insure his election."

INTRODUCING NUTTY

THEY call him Nutty or Benny at the Gaity, and he answers to either name, for on the stage he is Nutty Beemer, and in real life he is Benny Sweeney—diminutive, freckled, his mouth brimming with teeth of ivory and gold. Benny is a native of Hog Hill, Yonkers, and a Broadway actor, and proud of both facts. Those who have seen "Young America" will remember him as Art Simpson's friend; those who have not should be informed that he gives a bully performance as a young archer in "Art" in the person of Percy Helton, and the dog Jasper form an invincible and irresistible trio.

Benny Sweeney belongs to the realistic school of acting. All he would have to do to make up for his part would be to take off his coat and shoes and stockings, roll up his trousers and step on, for, although he is 29 years old, he doesn't look a day older than 15. Think of it—29 and the father of three babies, whose pictures adorn the edge of his dressing room mirror.

It was only a little while ago that Benny Sweeney was working in a carpet factory in Yonkers. He was a weaver, who worked from 7 o'clock in the morning to 5:30 in the afternoon, and when he had a good week he made as high as \$22. And now for an hour's work a day he gets a regular actor's salary. Quite naturally he is enthusiastic about Art and isn't interested in Commerce.

"What do you think about acting?" Benny replied the other day when the question was asked him. And then he went on to give his opinion in a patois

characteristic of Hog Hill and similar communities, but impossible to indicate through the rigid medium of typewriter and linotype:

"Pretty soft, I say, pretty soft. I used to get from \$15 to \$22 a week in the carpet factory working nine and a half hours a day, and now I get a regular salary for working an hour.

"I worked in the factory for ten years. A friend of mine had a theatre in Yonkers and I was a property man. When he put on the play 'Just Boys' he gave me a part something like this, 'You Harris and George Cohan saw me in the show and asked me how I'd like to have a regular job on Broadway, and you bet I grabbed it.

"I was born on Hog Hill, and I still live there. Just now I'm interested in politics. A friend of mine is running for Alderman, and when I'm not acting I'm canvassing for him.

"Benny is the nicest little soul," said one of the young women of the company a little later. "We were afraid at first he might be a bit of a pest, but he's not at all. Instead, he's thoughtful and sunny, and we all love him."

BURTON HOLMES'S RECORD.

Burton Holmes's coming season will be his twenty-third as a lecturer on travel. During this period he and his associates, Oscar Bennett Depue and Louis Francis Brown, have traveled more than two and a half million miles over the entire globe. Out of more than 5,000 lecture dates Mr. Holmes has missed only three—one on account of a blizzard and two because of illness.



Ice and Snow at the Hippodrome—But Not a Sign of Frost.

MINUTE VISITS IN THE WINGS

IT seems hardly fair to go so far into the past, but Natalie Alt, the charming prima donna of "The Girl Who Smiles" at the Longacre, made her first appearance on the New York stage as one of the four young women in "The London Follies." You didn't see "The London Follies"? Probably not—only a few did, for it was one of those gems like "The Passing of the Idle Rich" and O. U. Beaumont's production of "The Aster Romance" that glitter for the briefest space before they are snatched away.

That was a memorable night, at Weber's when a band of young men and women attired in Pierrot and Pierrette costumes came out on the stage and sang songs and spoke pieces to a bewildered audience that wanted to be kind but ended up by being almost obstreperous.

But that is another story; this is about Miss Alt, who long ago lived down her unlikely debut. As a matter of fact, Miss Alt was attractive that fatal night, the memory of her great eyes pleading for mercy seems to linger—but one was scarcely prepared to see her burst forth a full prima donna a few years later in "Adele." She did just that, as many who saw her in that dainty "comedy with music" will remember.

Miss Alt is a New York girl. She was educated in the schools here, and as a child much help was given her in anything with her voice. When she was ready to begin she sang for Nathan Franko, who introduced her to Mr. Conried, then Director of the Metropolitan. Mr. Conried placed Miss Alt in the Metropolitan school, where she spent two years in study. But she was only a member of the chorus, and, restless for larger experience, she got a position as a church singer in a Montclair choir. She sang there a year or more and then decided to get a job in a New York church choir.

Then she discovered a curious situation—she found that most young women singing in New York churches were married, and that unmarried singers were more or less frowned upon. At least, that was the way it seemed to Miss Alt, who next turned to the stage. Her first engagement was with one of the "Little Nemo" companies. She toured a season in this musical comedy, and then returned to New York for her menial adventure at Weber's. Followed a brief engagement in "Jumping Jupiter," one of Richard Carle's pieces,

brief because it failed, and after that a year at the Park as understudy for Ina Claire in "The Quaker Girl."

Then came Miss Alt's big chance. She was engaged by Joseph Bickerton to sing the title role in "Adele." Mr. Bickerton's contract read that he should provide a cast for the operetta that met the approval of the management of the theatre. The management objected to Miss Alt, not for any specific reason beyond the fact that she was new and comparatively unknown. But Mr. Bickerton was adamant. He said that Miss Alt would be the prima donna or there would be no "Adele." He carried his point, and with the recollection of Miss Alt's delightful performance one is tempted to confirm Mr. Bickerton's estimate and to say that without her there would have been no "Adele"—or, at least, none half so alluring.

SHELLY HULL, who has been added to the cast of Edgar Selwyn's "Rolling Stones" at the Harris Theatre, has generally eluded the snares of the interviewer, although he has been playing important parts for a number of years. Here, at last, is the truth about Mr. Hull.

He is one of three sons of William Hull, for many years dramatic editor of The Louisville Courier-Journal. His elder brother is Howard Hull, husband and manager of Margaret Anglin; his younger brother is Henry Hull, who has won some distinction in the companies of Margaret Anglin, Guy Bates Post, and Ralph Kellard.

It was as a party to the famous "Florodora" sextet that Mr. Hull began his stage career. He remained with that organization for two years. His next two years were with Henrietta Crossman in "Sweet Kitty Bellairs," under management of David Belasco. This was followed by the appearances in the dramatization of "The Crossing," "The College Widow," and with George Ober's company. From 1906-07 he played varied roles at the Castle Square Theatre Stock in Boston. Again came some miscellaneous characterizations as George Preston in "Glorious Betsy" with Mary Manning and Phil Jordan in "The Great Divide."

In 1908 he appeared with Guy Bates Post in the Fiske production of "The Bridge," by Rupert Hughes. An engagement in "The Fortune Hunter" followed. A brief engagement with Mrs. Pat Campbell in "The Foolish Virgin" gave way then to one in the Manhattan company with Mr. Fiske, the play being "The New Marriage." At this point began his work for Frohman management with Marie Dorin in "Electricity."

He played Bayard Ducloux in "What Als You," Richard Carle's production in the American tryout of Elizabeth Baker's "Chains," and Viscount Farmcume in "The Mind the Faint Girl." This latter part started a long engagement as leading man opposite Billie Burke, which included parts in "The Amazons," "The Land of Promise," and "Jerry."

THE REICHER PROGRAM

EMANUEL REICHER, the German actor who has taken the Garden Theatre for the season, makes this statement of its program:

"When I was playing as a guest in America about fifteen years ago, several actors and friends of literature to whom my intimate relationship with the aspirations of dramatic art were well known, approached me with the request that I give a representation of Ibsen's 'Ghosts' with an American cast. Therefore I resolved to stay in New York a month longer than I had intended to. I succeeded in producing the drama, and the performance created such enthusiasm that the friends of the modern development of the dramatic art begged me to stay in New York, and assured me that as the manager of similar performances I would have a field of action large enough to satisfy my ambition and my artistic aspirations, and also to further my practical interests. Although I was attracted by the idea, and would have liked to comply with the request of my friends, all the more as I had always been much attracted by and deeply interested in this country, it was nevertheless impossible for me to remain here. I was bound by contracts in Europe and, being a father of a family, I hesitated to give up a safe and very lucrative position in order to carry out a plan which though promising was largely speculative.

"Today the situation has changed. Suddenly this most unfortunate European war has freed me from all engagements.

"I have come back to America, accompanied by my daughter, Hedwig Reicher, who, as is well known, is a member of the American stage and able to assist me in my work. Now, after fifteen years, I find that my old friends, as well as the new generation, have still the same longing for serious and true art. I am now at liberty to do what has been asked of me and would take pleasure in giving my services to the good cause. I have promised my friends to create an independent stage in this city, which, like the former 'Theatre Libre' of Antoine in Paris, the 'Freie Bühne' of Otto Brahm in Berlin and the 'Artistic Theatre' of Stanislavski in Moscow, will be open to all lovers of real art who do not go to the theatre for mere pleasure, but feel in their hearts a longing to respond to the call of earnest art. To attain this aim the stage must be wholly independent of the favor or displeasure of the public and the press.

"Since the issuance of my first prospectus last year I had the fortune to secure the support by means of subscriptions of many lovers of the drama, but only two performances were given, 'Elsa,' by Gerhart Hauptmann, with Miss Hedwig Reicher in the title role, and 'John Gabriel Borkmann,' by Henrik Ibsen, in which I made my first appearance in this country. Both productions were received by the public and the press with great approval. Last year I had the greatest difficulty in finding a theatre for special evening performances, but for the coming season I secured the Garden Theatre and engaged a large company of artists, the complete cast to be announced shortly.

"The repertoire, announced annually in advance, will include the most worthy plays of the period. American writers are earnestly invited to contribute to this list. In the first series, now announced, several new American dramatists are represented by interesting contributions. Plays of historical importance will be produced for the first time in the English language and others for the first time in the United States.

"The Modern Stage makes its chief appeal to those interested in the presentation of notable plays with a company of artists, carefully selected and directed, where the company and not its individual members dominate. It is the purpose of the founder to create a repertoire company which shall be used to present plays of every nation, when these plays meet the highest ideal of literature and drama. There will be no general box office sale. Admission is by previous subscription only."

The plays to be seen this season at the Garden are Björnson's "When the New Wife Blooms," Hauptmann's "The Weavers," von Hofmannsthal's "Madonna, Diana," Ibsen's "Rosmersholm," Tchekov's "Uncle Vanja," a three-act comedy by Zoe Atkins, and one-act plays by Theodore Dreiser, David Pinski, and Percival Wilde.

Announcing the Score.

William Courtenay, Robert Fisher, and lots of the other principals of "Under Fire" are great ball fans. There were matinees of the war play at the Hudson Tuesday and Wednesday, which prohibited them from standing at a bulletin board, so this clever method of announcing the score was resorted to: It was arranged that Boston's score should be told by the number of German shells exploded in front of the trench in the third act, while the score of the Phillies was given in the answering shots.

TOPPING THE VAUDEVILLE BILLS.

PALACE—Evelyn Nesbit and Jack Clifford in a program of dances; the fashion show presented last week with additional models; Ray Samuels with a new selection of songs; Imhof, Conn and Coreene in "Surgeon Louder, U. S. A."

COLONIAL—Dorothy Jardon singing a group of classical and popular songs; Homer B. Mason and Marguerite Keeler in a one-act playlet, entitled "Married"; Manuel Quiroga, the young Spanish violinist, in a brief recital; Doyle and Dixon, dancers.

ALHAMBRA—Fritzi Scheff in a program of songs made up of numbers she has sung in light and grand opera; Harry Fox and Yansci Dolly in a specialty of song, dance and patter; Craig Campbell, tenor, and the Avon Comedy Four in "The New Teacher."

AMERICAN ROOF—S. Miller Kent and company in H. H. Nicholson's playlet, "Mr. Graves"; the Wilson Brothers in a comedy skit called "Go Out"; Edith Helena, soprano, in a program of songs.

WRITTEN ON THE SCREEN

KNICKERBOCKER.—Tully Marshall and Thomas Jefferson in "The Sable Lorch"; "The Disciple"; Hale Hamilton in "Her Painted Hero"; and Charles Murray in "A Game Old Knight."

GLOBE.—Vernon and Irene Castle in "The Waltz of Life."

STRAND.—"The Chorus Lady."

BROADWAY.—Laura Hope Crewes in "Blackbirds."

EIGHTY-FIRST STREET.—Ethel Barrymore in "The Final Judgment."

PROCTOR'S TWENTY-THIRD STREET.—Daily features.

WEBER'S, also SPOONER'S.—German war pictures.

PLAZA.—Kathryn Osterman in "The Bludgeon."

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—Valeska Suratt in "The Soul of Broadway."

RIVERSIDE.—"The Little Gypsy."

C. R. MACAULEY, whose cartoons New York papers during the past quarter of a century, has invented an interesting method of reproducing his drawings in motion-pictures. The artist has named the pictures Epic Cartoons, and they will be shown shortly in the picture theatres of the country.

The problem Mr. Macauley had to solve was a method of visualizing every stroke of the pen without the use of thousands of drawings that would take months to make, assemble and photograph. The cartoonist solved the problem and he expects the process, which he has protected by patents, to revolutionize this branch of the industry.

He now works at top speed as though making a rush cartoon for the next edition of a paper. Not only do the pictures move in what is described as a wonderfully lifelike manner, but they cast their shadows as they go.

The management of the Strand Theatre announces the following plays to follow: "The Chorus Lady," this week's offering, "Blanche Ring in 'The Yankee Girl' (Fallas); Geraldine Farrar in 'Carmen' (Lasky); Mary Pickford in 'Madame Butterfly' (Famous Players); John Barrymore in 'The Red Widow' (Famous Players); Victor Moore in 'Chimmie Fadden Out West' (Lasky).

The list of stars under the Griffith banner now includes besides Douglas Fairbanks and DeWolf Hopper, Helen Ware, Jane Grey, Orrin Johnson, Lillian and Dorothy Gish, Tully Marshall, Robert Barron, Frank Campeau, Sarah Truax, Norma Talmadge, John Emerson, Thomas Jefferson, Paul Gilmore, and Mary Alden. Some of the recent casts of Broadway all-star revivals could not compete with this galaxy of names.

Mary Pickford has been provided with John Luther Long's "Madame Butterfly" for her first screen excursion into Orientalism. So great was her interest in the rôle that when she was informed she was to represent the screen embodiment of Cho-Cho-San she immediately engaged a Japanese maid in order to study her mannerisms, her walk, and her gestures. This little daughter of Nippon is now acting as adviser in chief to Miss Pickford in the matter of selecting her Oriental wardrobe and in the arrangement of her coiffure.

Miss Pickford is frankly apprehensive over her first digression from the type of character she has always presented to the public.

"I feel almost as nervous about Cho-Cho-San as I did about the first picture I ever played in," says Miss Pickford. "When one has been playing a certain type of character almost exclusively, the public almost resents a de-

parture from that particular style of impersonation. Cho-Cho-San is such a universally beloved little personage that I am particularly nervous about the Pickford version of a character that has become familiar to the public through the medium of opera, novel, and play; and if it does not succeed I shall probably commit har-kart."

After weeks of search, Essanay found one of the extremely few ravens in captivity in the United States for use in its six-act feature photoplay, "The Raven," from George C. Hartson's romance and novel of Edgar Allan Poe. The bird—a splendid specimen—was obtained from the Milwaukee, Wis., zoo, which possesses one of the best collections of animals in this country. It is said not more than half a dozen ravens are in captivity in the United States, and three of these are the property of the Milwaukee zoo. They are kept in a huge cage, in which also are numerous eagles, and it proved a task of several days to corner one of the ravens.

Essanay deposited \$100 to insure the safe return of the bird, but when the company's representative asked the zoo authorities to quote a price on the raven in case of accident or death, they refused to do so, asserting that, because of the rarity of the species, they could not do so and would not permit the raven to be removed under such conditions. So Essanay merely borrowed the bird.

Elsie Janis is the star of "Miss Information" at Cohan's Theatre, but that does not keep her from writing a new serial for the movies. It is to be in eight installments and Miss Janis plans to make it hold many stirring and martial scenes and much of romance and comedy. "The Colonial," the story of the Spanish-American war, will be some of the periods of American history touched upon. In each Miss Janis will play a girl of the period.

Billie Burke will return today from the Triangle studios in California, where she has been receiving large quantities of legal tender for acting for a picture that will be released soon on the Triangle program. Thomas H. Ince, who directed the making of the picture, wired the New York offices that Miss Burke had exceeded his expectations for her first picture and that he would have retained her for other pictures but for her determination to return to the legitimate stage.

Comes from Los Angeles a yarn that Ince has had himself insured in the sum of \$250,000. The tale bears the marks of credibility, inasmuch as business rather than life insurance was the end in view. Some years ago the world was startled by the announced huge amount of the insurance made on the life of Mr. Wanamaker, till the explanation was proffered that merchandising interests so extensive must be protected against the loss that would be caused in the event of the chief executive's demise. The reason for the Ince quarter-million insurance is similar in character. The overhead expense of the Ince department of the Triangle film-making activities is not far from \$50,000 a week. Any ill that befell the director of it would involve a tremendous readjustment, and it is this contingency of misfortune that the big insurance guards against. Yet Mr. Ince is one of the most forward-looking directors in the film, and he always keeps eight plays ahead of the schedule of Ince productions at the Knickerbocker Theatre. In other words, there are always eight completed new features in his film vaults or else on the way in the custody of the New York companies from the coast to New York.

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DOINGS AND SAYINGS IN THE REAL ESTATE WORLD

LATEST DEALINGS IN THE REALTY FIELD

Chevrolet Motor Company Acquires Block Front on Eleventh Avenue for Factory.

GREENWICH VILLAGE RESALE

Investors Buy Upper East Side Apartment House—Many Suburban Sales Recorded.

A convincing indication of the marked increase in the automobile industry, of which many evidences have been shown within the last few months, was given yesterday in this city by the announcement that the Chevrolet Motor Company of New York has acquired the easterly block front on Eleventh Avenue between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth Streets. Most of the property formed part of the old Chanler estate, now owned by the heirs, and this has been taken on long leaseholds, while parts of the plot, which runs back to a depth of 200 feet in each street, have been purchased.

The Chevrolet Motor plant now covers the block front directly to the north, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh Streets, and with the improvement of the new block front with a modern factory and service building, the facilities of the company in this city will be more than doubled.

In addition to this deal, the company is making large additions to its plants at Tarrytown and at Elmsford, Mich. Within a short time the Chevrolet Company expects to be turning out 800 cars a day.

Another Greenwich Village Deal

Mrs. W. Forbes Morgan, Jr., has purchased from Richard S. Elliot 52 West Ninth Street, a three-story dwelling, with a two-story dwelling at the rear of the lot. The site measures 25 by 93.11 feet, and is located between Fifth and Sixth Avenues. Mrs. Morgan plans extensive alterations to the houses.

The selling company acquired the property, together with the Rosebury, adjoining, last year in foreclosure proceedings.

Investor Buys Heights Flats

An investing client of John R. and Oscar L. Foley has purchased from the South Side Construction Company 289 to 275 Audubon Avenue, south-east corner of 179th Street, two five-story new-law houses, each on plot 50 by 85. Each house contains 22 apartments, and there are three stores.

Bronx Sales

Mrs. A. M. Harrington has sold to Ornela Brothers 1,225 Union Avenue, a three-story dwelling on lot 20 by 122.7, near 165th Street. The property was given in part payment for the 50-foot plot at 96th Avenue.

William M. Moore has sold to Hyman Berman Building Company the plot, 100 by 106, on the west side of Morris Avenue, 47 feet north of 153d Street. Plans are now being prepared for the improvement of the site with five-story apartment houses, for which the seller has agreed to advance building loans.

The four-story flat at 1,015 Trinity Avenue, northwest corner of 165th Street, has been sold by Joseph A. Wasserman for the Argonaut Realty Company to an investor, and the same broker has sold for the S. Steinmetz Construction Company a plot 92 by 118 on the west side of Bryant Avenue, twenty-five feet south of 179th Street, to the Trojan Building Company for improvement with two five-story apartment houses.

Brooklyn-Manhattan Trade

John H. Fay has purchased from the Title Guaranty and Trust Company the dwelling on the northwest corner of East Twenty-first Street and Avenue F, Flatbush, for occupancy. In exchange he gave the three-story house at 237 West 122d Street, 15 by 93.11, between Seventh and Eighth Avenues. L. Covert was the broker.

Brooklyn

Frank A. Seaver & Co. have sold five lots on the north side of Seventy-first Street Parkway, 200 feet east of Narrows Avenue, for Margaret J. Shields to a builder.

The Alex G. Calder Building Company has sold a bungalow with garage on East Seventh Street, Flatlands, to A. Foster Baker, and a new house on Ocean Parkway near Ditmas Avenue to Harry Kramer.

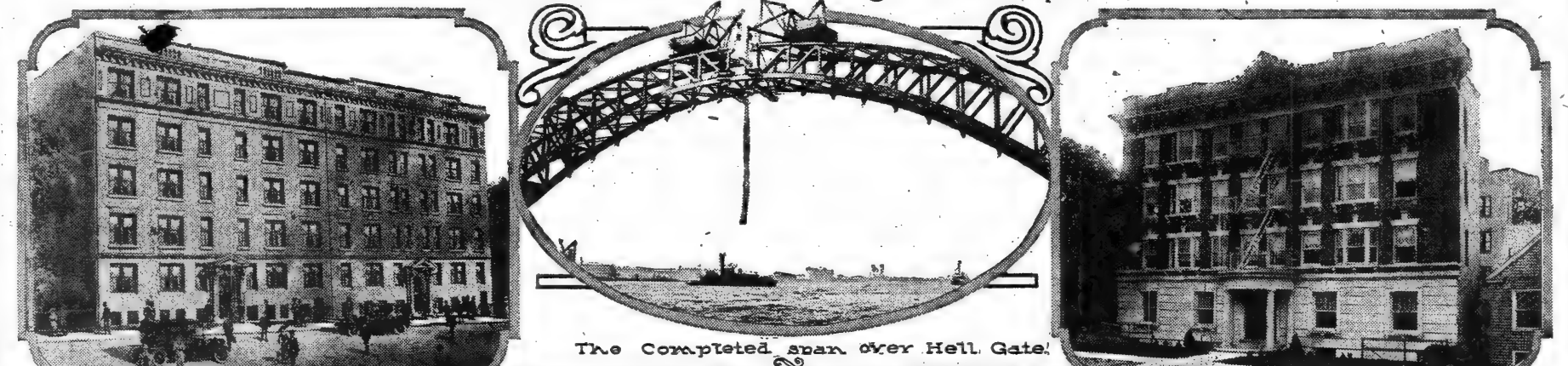
Henry Plerson & Co. have sold the three-story dwelling at 309 Park Place for Mary E. Nolan, and at 212 Eighth Avenue for a client, to Mary F. Canine, also a plot 20 by 100 on Ashland Place, adjoining the Fulton Street corner, for N. Hubbard Sons.

Long Island City

Hammond & Fay have sold at Long Island City a two-family frame house on the east side of Ninth Avenue, 237 feet north of Jackson Avenue, for Karl Havling, to Kate Keany, and a plot 30 by 100 on the east side of 12th Street, between Jackson and Park Avenues, Corona, for William F. McCauley, to James and Annie Callan.

REMARKABLE INDUSTRIAL AND RESIDENTIAL GROWTH OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS SHOWN BY BUILDING DEPARTMENT STATISTICS

Over a Million Dollars Involved in One Day's Real Estate Transactions—Twenty-Five Industrial Concerns Have Located in the Borough Since April 1, 1915.



The Completed Span over Hell Gate.

4 and 5 Room Apartment House, Jackson Heights, Elmhurst.

MORE than \$1,000,000 involved in real estate transactions in a single day, as shown by the records of the Queens County Clerk's Office during the latter part of September, gives some indication of the immensity of the development that is taking place in the biggest borough in New York City. While this enormous sum is not invested every day, it is no infrequent occurrence to see the daily figures rise to the hundreds of thousands.

Twenty-five industrial concerns have definitely located in Queens Borough since April 1 of this year. This is at the rate of a new factory each week. Of further significance is the fact that during this same period ten plants established previous to this year have built extensive additions. Enterprising industrial activity of this character during a year reputed to be commercially unsteady is especially noteworthy.

Nor has all of the development been along industrial lines. Immense sums have been expended in the erection of dwellings and apartment houses.

The figures for the first nine months of 1915, just reported by the Queens Building Bureau, show that plans have been filed for 4,299 buildings, estimated to cost \$15,297,903. This is 664 more buildings than in the same period of 1914.

CLASSIFIED BUILDING FIGURES FOR FIRST SIX MONTHS OF 1915.

Classification	Number of Buildings	Cost of Buildings
Frame dwellings	1,152	\$3,386,704
Brick dwellings	2,200	2,200,000
Frame stores and dwell'gs	45	85,035
Brick stores and dwell'gs	45	194,900
Brick tenements	121	1,227,800
Brick stores and tenements	10	121,000
Sub. bldgs. (amusements)	10	521,200
Factories & workshops	23	678,400
Schools	9	82,300
Churches	8	82,300
Stables	16	21,400
Hotels	1	116,800
Office buildings	4	128,000
Garages	28	106,700
Stables	21	129,800
Other frame structures	333	128,031
Total	2,641	\$6,165,163

An official of the Chamber of Commerce of the Borough of Queens, discussing the real estate and business

prospects of the borough, said yesterday:

"That Queens is becoming the mecca of big industrial business is not surprising, for its economic advantage has made it stand out strikingly in contrast to other less favored communities. While many cities throughout the country have been coaxing, cajoling and even 'bribing' industrial concerns to locate within their borders, the record of such cities within any given similar period has been uninteresting in comparison with Queens. And let it be remembered that were this huge borough of New York City regarded as a city by itself, it would rank seventeenth in the United States in value of its manufactured products.

"Any of the executives of the manufacturing establishments now permanently settled in Queens Borough will quickly tell you that the determining factors in choosing their present location were the availability of a site of ample proportions with shipping facilities by rail and water, proximity to the large wholesale and retail centers in Manhattan, and an adequate labor supply close at hand.

"It has been these factors that have induced some of the largest manufacturers of their kind in the world to establish in the borough—the Loew's Blus Company, the American Hosiery Company, the New York Consolidated Card Company, the Bret Lithographing Company, and the Sterling Gum Company. Many large automobile manufacturers have established here their assembling and service headquarters, notably Ford & Co., the Ford Company, the

Studebaker, the Pierce-Arrow, the Packard, and the Simplex Company.

"Manufacturing concerns of a variety that is surprising have come into the borough within the past few years. A glance through the classified list of manufacturers gives one the impression that the borough is really self-contained. The advantage accruing to the borough as a part of New York City gives it the advantage of the great port and railroad facilities through which raw materials can be readily obtained.

"One of the greatest assets possessed by Queens is its 200 miles of water frontage and five miles of docks and bulkheads, practically all of which is available for shipping and for future developments. Next in importance, perhaps, is the New York Connecting Railroad, whose steel arch bridge over Hell Gate has but recently been joined.

"This railroad, which forms a part of the Pennsylvania and New York, New Haven & Hartford systems, and joins Queens Borough by direct rail route to all New England and the West, will curve through the borough, giving to the business men of Queens another big leading string to help them in their rapid strides toward industrial supremacy.

"Three terminals of the State Barge Canal have been located in the Borough of Queens—two on the East River and one on Flushing Bay. These terminals will place all of the advantages of the \$100,000,000 State Barge Canal at the disposal of the shippers of Queens Borough, and will materially reduce the cost of transportation of raw materials and manufactured products.

"The Queensboro Terminals, located on the East River, receive and deliver freight each day for every railroad in the United States, Canada, and Mexico, and the steamship lines on Long Island Sound, the Hudson River, and the Atlantic Coast.

"The importance of Newtown Creek to manufacturers is apparent, for it carries a tonnage valued at over \$225,000,000. The chief commodities handled on this waterway are copper ore and its products, petroleum, lumber, coal, chemicals, and building materials. The Long Island Railroad branches over the borough and is available for sidings into the factory yards. Accessibility to Manhattan over the Queensboro Bridge furnishes easy facilities for trucking.

"With the establishment of an industrial colony must always come the demand for homes. It has logically followed in Queens, and the figures of building development for the first nine months illustrate the significance of this fact. As an added stimulus to home building have come the new rapid transit lines built and now under construction in the borough.

"The rapid transit work already completed and under construction totals nearly \$10,000,000. It means that Queens is being inseparably linked by the dual subway system of New York City, which will bind her more closely into the family of boroughs. Queens has always been the biggest of this family in area, but has lacked the strength that adequate rapid transit facilities afford.

"With the acquisition of these new means of travel, the building of homes and apartments should develop at even a greater rate than at present. It promises an unprecedented period of activity that will be of advantage not only to the borough, but to all of New York City. Queens furnishes relief to the congestion in Manhattan by making available 'homes with outdoors,' where the price of land is low and transit is good.

"Queens is not cramped by narrow natural limitations. The density of population of Queens Borough today is five persons to each acre, in contrast to Manhattan, with its 180 persons to the acre.

"Queens has been essentially the borough of small homes, because of the cheapness of the land. An interesting feature of the development, however, has taken place in certain areas of restricted property and high-class building sections, built up entirely with one-family dwellings ranging in cost from \$5,000 to \$50,000 each.

"The occupants, who are usually the owners, have come mostly from Manhattan, desiring the privacy of a home in a detached dwelling, and securing better accommodations for less money. These sections include such locations as Flushing, Jamaica, Kew Gardens, Forest Hills, Elmhurst, Corona, Whitestone, Bayside, College Point, Hollis, Queens, Richmond Hill, Woodhaven, Far Rockaway, Rockaway Park, etc.

"Five years ago Queens hardly knew the presence of an apartment house, whereas there are hundreds in

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Am. Clip Co., L. I. City, clips	30
Arrol Mfg. Co., Long Island City, drug	30
Auto Specialties Equipment Co., Long Island City, auto specialties	60
Bret Lithographing Co., L. I. City, lithographing	150
By-Products Chemical Co., Long Island City, chemicals	40
Commercial Research Co., Long Island City, metal products	40
De List Berline Co., Long Island City, manufacturers of macaroni	10
Flicka Reed Co., Long Island City, furniture and baby carriages	15
R. H. Hoskins Co., L. I. City, shoes	50
Richard Holman, Long Island City, pure food products	20
Jensen Creamery Machine Co., Long Island City, creamery machines	10
Pin-It Co., Long Island City, pins	1,000
Kaufman, Worms & Co., Woodside, L. I., clear manufacturers	300
Starch Heating Co., Long Island City, moving pictures	1,000
Reed & Dinkins, Glendale, L. I., wooden sash, doors and blinds	100
Sterling Gum Co., Long Island City, gum	700
Studebaker, Corporation, Long Island City, auto services	50
Stuart Bros., Long Island City, bearings	500
Music publishers	600
The Texas Co., Long Island City, petroleum products	20
Transport Tractor Co., Long Island City, United States Coal Tar Products Co., Long Island City, asphalt and asphalt products	60
Universal Electric Welding Co., Long Island City, electric welding	11
Paul Wismach Glass Co., Long Island City, glass	11
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INCREASING VALUES ON PARK AVENUE

Apartment House Demand in Choice Blocks Leads to Higher Assessments.

FIFTH AVENUE STATIONARY

Nearly \$1,000 a Front Foot Added in the Lower Fifties—Only Club Increase.

Park Avenue's influence upon the realty as well as the residential conditions of Manhattan Island has been clearly recognized within the last few years. That the demand for splendid apartments has by no means ceased is evidenced by eight or ten new houses on and adjacent to the avenue, chiefly in the lower section.

The blocks south of Fifty-ninth Street, since the completion of the railroad yard work and the artistic adornment of several of those blocks, have witnessed some of the finest building operations on the avenue. The end is not yet, for work is now under way to improve three block fronts, all on the west side, respectively from Fiftieth to Fifty-first, Fifty-first to Fifty-second, and Fifty-third to Fifty-sixth Streets, with big apartments for occupancy next year.

Park Avenue, naturally, can only furnish a limited amount of ground area, and as nearly all the desirable sites are either occupied or closely held by investment interests it is not surprising to see that this lively demand for good building sites has added considerably to property values. This phase of Park Avenue has been strikingly exemplified in the new assessment rates for 1916, in which Park Avenue stands out conspicuously as the only great residential thoroughfare where values have been materially increased. On the west side West End Avenue duplicates these conditions in some degree, but not to the same extent as Park Avenue.

Another interesting feature of this upper east side home area is that while Fifth Avenue north of Fifty-ninth Street has not only shown no change in values, but in some cases a decrease, everything on Park Avenue from the Fifties to Eightieth Street has gone up in land values. The greatest increase is seen as one gets nearer the Grand Central Station zone, where ground values have advanced from \$750 to nearly \$1,000 a front foot.

The Golet estate block, on the west side, Fifty-second to Fifty-third Street, 200.10 by 100 on Fifty-second Street and 60.9 on Fifty-third Street, has advanced in land value from \$415,000 last year to \$613,000. The northwest corner of Fifty-second Street, 100 by 100.5, is placed at \$390,000, an increase of \$95,000, or \$23,750 for a twenty-five-foot lot. The land value of the Montana apartment, on the easterly block front, 184.8 on Fifty-third Street, has advanced \$230,000, the new assessment being \$970,000. With the building the total is \$2,850,000.

An increase of nearly 100 per cent. has been made in the westerly block front, Fifty-fifth to Fifty-sixth Street, 66.8 feet deep, now being excavated for a seventeen-story apartment. In 1915 the rating was \$308,000, and for 1916 it stands at \$610,000. The easterly block between Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth Streets shows a large advance. In marked contrast to the two fine apartments on the remainder of the block front is the old-fashioned mansion on the northeast corner, 25.5 by 70. Less than a full lot, it has been advanced \$20,000, to \$64,000 from \$44,000. The seventy-five-foot, twelve-story apartment adjoining advances in land value from \$115,000 to \$220,000, while the Fifty-fourth Street corner building represents a land value of \$365,000, against \$280,000 last year.

The following table of the 1915 and 1916 assessments for some of the important buildings on the avenue will indicate the general ratio of change in different localities. As most of the properties mentioned are big apartments, the total value is given, but the increase is solely due to land value.

Site	1915	1916
66th Street, n. e. cor.	\$185,000	\$192,000
67th Street, n. e. cor.	118,000	240,000
68th Street, n. e. cor.	218,000	230,000
69th Street, n. e. cor.	223,000	245,000
70th Street, n. e. cor.	270,000	245,000
71st Street, n. e. cor.	115,000	120,000
72nd Street, n. e. cor.	90,000	170,000
73rd Street, n. e. cor.	84,000	90,000
74th Street, n. e. cor.	115,000	120,000
75th Street, n. e. cor.	115,000	120,000
76th Street, n. e. cor.	115,000	120,000
77th Street, n. e. cor.	115,000	120,000
78th Street, n. e. cor.	115,000	120,000
79th Street, n. e. cor.	115,000	120,000
80th Street, n. e. cor.	115,000	120,000
81st Street, n. e. cor.	115,000	120,000
82nd Street, n. e. cor.	115,000	120,000
83rd Street, n. e. cor.	115,000	120,000
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95th Street, n. e. cor.	115,000	120,000
96th Street, n. e. cor.	115,000	120,000
97th Street, n. e. cor.	115,000	120,000
98th Street, n. e. cor.	115,000	120,000
99th Street, n. e. cor.	115,000	120,000
100th Street, n. e. cor.	115,000	120,000

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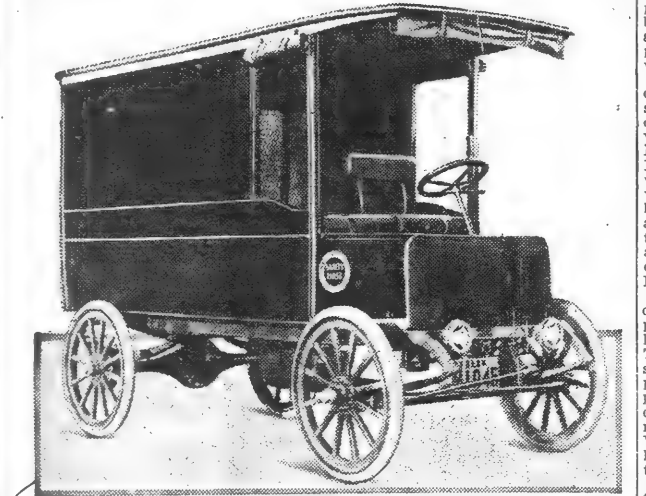
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TOPICS OF INTEREST TO THE MOTORIST

LONG NORTH AND SOUTH HIGHWAY IS PROJECTED

Trunk Line Road 3,308 Miles Long from Mackinac to Miami Hoped For by Road Enthusiasts in Michigan—Present Status.

A trunk-line highway linking the Gulf of Mexico with the Gulf of St. Lawrence, 3,308 miles from Mackinac, Mich., to Miami, Fla., is the dream of good roads enthusiasts that promises to come to early realization. With the enthusiasm already awakened by tours and meetings that are being held along the route, a very few years are expected to witness the major portion converted into modern and substantial roadway. The highway traverses a territory populated by 40,000,000 of people, owning 800,000 automobiles. When the conference of Governors of the States interested in the "Dixie Highway" was held last fall at Chattanooga, Governor Ferris, on invitation of Governor Ralston of Indiana, sent two Commissioners representing



TO USE RENTED BATTERIES.
Ward special electric light delivery wagons, like that shown above, are to be used under the battery rental system to demonstrate low delivery cost by this method. One of these cars just made a successful run from New York to Cleveland.

NEWS AND NOTES OF THE AUTOMOBILE TRADE

For the third successive year the Williams Overland Company will occupy the position of honor at the New York Automobile Show, to be held at the Grand Central Palace from Dec. 28 to Jan. 1. The space allotted is based entirely upon the volume of business done by the companies affiliated with the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce. The Michigan Tire Company has perfected an entirely new type of tire known as the "Michelin Universal Tread." It is really a combination of the Michelin racing type flat tread, having the same characteristic heavy tread, and the plain tread, a full round edge, the over the top type. The non-skid tread is a combination of the raised or studded tread non-skid, with the flat or suction tread type.

Automobile Row was interested to learn last week that Nilla Dearborn, widow of Frank Dearborn, had been named as the winner of a contest to select the best car in the world. She was driving a bright red car when she was named as the winner. The contest was held by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce. The winner of the contest will receive a prize of \$10,000.

The Delco Company is building a large addition to its factory, 420 feet long, 38 feet wide, and five stories high, which will double the present floor space. It will be completed in a few weeks.

The Hudson Company after experimenting with eight and twelve cylinder motors has decided to stick exclusively to the six-cylinder motor. This decision is important as it fixes a certain definite value for a Hudson six in case an owner desires to dispose of his machine.

The Velle Motor Vehicle Company of Montreal, Canada, has announced a new type enclosed car body for the "Blitz" six cylinder car. This body is built on a new chassis, but has the seating capacity of four passengers. The main seat is amply wide for two persons, the driver being seated slightly ahead of the other two. A fourth seat is mounted on a stationary pedestal and may be revolved into any desired position.

Promotions in the organization of the Packard Motor Car Company of New York are announced by the company as follows: B. C. Day has been appointed branch manager at Buffalo; T. E. Myers has been chosen manager of the truck sales department.

The Ionta Corporation, distributors of the Scripps-Booth roadster, has completed arrangements for Lingard Brothers to represent this car in the Brooklyn territory.

Dodge Brothers' motor car has been selected at the Panama-Pacific Exposition to be given as the grand prize to the winning exhibitor in the Palace of Machinery.

Prospective truck buyers may secure a copy of the 1916 edition of Motor Trucks of America from the local branch of the B. F. Goodrich Company. This book gives the essential facts about nearly 100 of the leading makes of trucks, with illustrations.

Mr. R. Benson has resigned as Vice President and Director of the Studebaker Corporation, to become distributor of Studebaker cars for the State of Maine and a part of New Hampshire.

The R. E. Taylor Corporation, Eastern distributor of Garford Motor Trucks, recently has put two worm-drive fire-fighting machines in nearby towns.

Sedan top equipment for both six and four cylinder models is the latest announcement of the Empire Automobile Company. The tops are of special design and can be attached to any of the company's cars.

James Joyce has joined the forces of the Hook-Wright Wheel Company at Broadway and Fifty-ninth Street.

Of interest to the automobile world is the purchase by the Remington Motor Company of the Vaughn Car Company's plant, located at Kingston, N. Y.

W. O. Allen, general manager of the Allen Motor Company, Chicago, Ohio, motorist to Bucyrus, Ohio, last week to officiate at a banquet which celebrated the completion of a large addition to its factory.

At a recent meeting of the Board of Directors Charles F. Lott, for the past fifteen years private secretary of Hugh Chalmers, was elected Secretary of the Chalmers Motor Company. C. A. Pfister, Vice President and Assistant General Manager of the company, who has previously fulfilled the duties of Secretary, will turn over that portion of his work to Mr. Lott.

J. G. Ferrin, who has been for nineteen years chief engineer and factory manager of the Lozier Motor Car Company of Detroit, has joined the forces of the Timken-Detroit Axle Company as chief engineer.

Kent Motors Corporation, distributors and export agents for Abbott-Detroit and Marion cars, announces the appointment as Superintendent of service of William Watson.

The Pathfinder Company has enlarged its present organization. The Directors are: W. C. Tansdale, Jr., President; W. E. Steiner, Vice President; W. K. Bromley, Secretary and Treasurer; Crawford Fairbanks, C. J. Root, George H. Mosher, and Karl Faltus. The management of the business will be in the hands of an Executive Committee composed

gan, the West Michigan Pike links resort to resort, from Michigan City and South Bend, Ind., to the Strait of Mackinac. A delightful variety of scenery lures one on from the prosperous cities, farms and orchards, to the wilder scenes and virgin forests of the Northland. Never an hour without a lake or forest fringing the road; perhaps a glimpse of the blue of Lake Michigan in the distance, or miles of touring along its very beach.

Lower Michigan's peculiar situation guarantees it immunity from the excesses of great heat or great cold. The prevailing winds are from the west. In Northern Michigan cool nights are not rare. Sleep and absolute rest are two of the gifts of this vast north country.

The route of the West Michigan Pike is designated by legislative enactment of the State of Michigan, and constructed under State supervision by the various counties through which it passes. The State pays a high reward for every mile of the pike which meets its rigid specifications, and these stretches of highway are commonly known as "State reward" road. Seventy per cent of the pike is now completed as State reward road, and about 15 per cent is under construction during 1915. The poorer sections are receiving first attention in order to secure funds to complete the pike, and the Fall of 1916 will see a first-class highway every mile from the Indiana line to the Strait of Mackinac.

The Pike Association is a voluntary organization of those interested in the promotion of good roads, and in its life has done much along this line. The laying out of the route, its construction and sign-posting, and the promotion of tourist travel over the pike have been its chief work. In addition to its general officers it is represented in each county by a resident Vice President, who is in charge of its local affairs and tourist matters pertaining to the pike.

Father Allouez is credited as being the first white man to discover the St. Joseph River, coming down the Lake Michigan shore from Sault Ste. Marie, which he had reached in 1696. Accompanied by the famous Pere Marquette, a complete circuit of the shores of Lake Michigan was made, the party entering at the principal bays and rivers. To the St. Joseph River they gave the name "Miami." This was about 1690, but no permanent establishment was made here until 1679, when La Salle sailed as far as Mackinac in the Griffin, the first sailing ship to navigate the Great Lakes. From Mackinac the Griffin was sent back to Niagara for supplies, with instructions to meet La Salle's party at the mouth of the "Miami." La Salle reached the river mouth on Nov. 1, 1689, and at once built a fort of hewn logs, 40 by 80 feet, on the site now occupied by Lake Front Park in the center of the city of St. Joseph. A month later, the Griffin having been lost with all on board, La Salle and his men went up the St. Joseph River, and portaged into the Kankakee, finally reaching Peoria, where the winter was spent.

In 1700 a mission was established at St. Joseph by the Jesuits, and shortly after, a second one near the present site of Niles. Both these missions were

attacked and the occupants massacred on May 8, 1763, when Pontiac's war opened with the destruction of all the forts and missions west of Niagara except Detroit.

Up to 1822 the French traders and the Jesuits were the sole white inhabitants of the St. Joseph Valley. In that year the Rev. Isaac McCoy established a Baptist mission near Niles, and settlers began to come in. Land was cleared and the agricultural development began.

Most of what is now Berrien County was ceded to the Government by the Potawatomi tribe in 1826. The first steamer was put on the river in 1833, and in the forties there was a flourishing trade with Chicago.

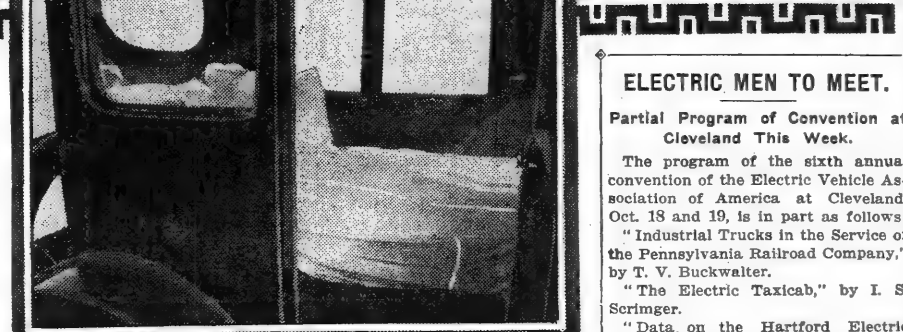
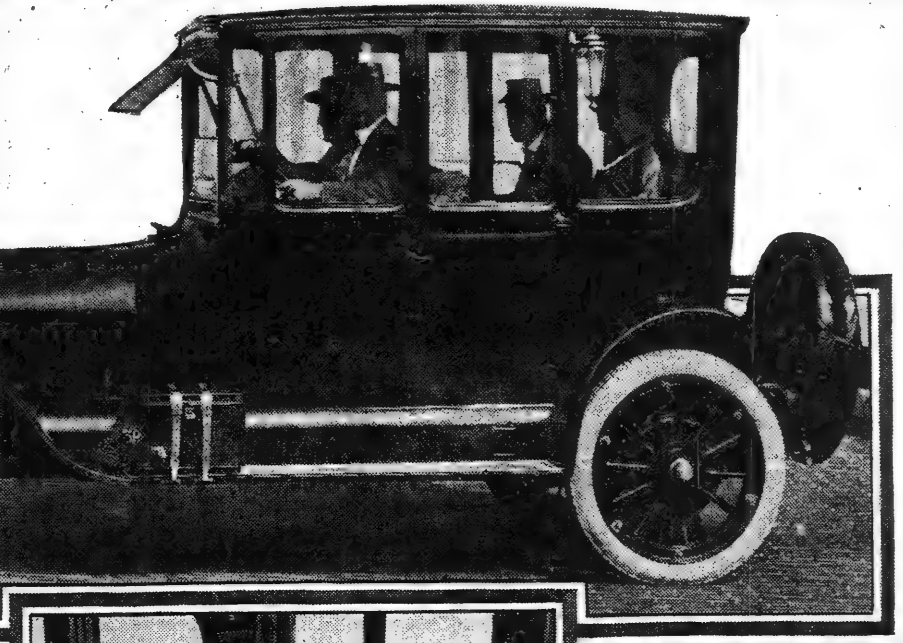
Berrien County, the land of fruits and flowers, has already made appropriations for the greater part of the route through the county, to be built of macadam, the appropriation being available in January. Cass County, of which Dowagiac is the county seat, is enthusiastic. Paw Paw is another little city which is preparing for the coming of the Gulf to Straits Highway, and will have its roads in good shape well before the allotted time.

Special meetings have been held here to crystallize the sentiment for building the necessary stretches of road. Kalamazoo has been from the very start the dynamo of enthusiasm for the Dixie route, both to the west and north of the city, and will continue to be so, as a full realization of the benefits to accrue by the building of this roadway exists and nothing will be left undone.

Portions of the highway as routed are in need of considerable road work. The report of the State Highway Commission shows the following condition of the pike roads in their principal divisions, between South Bend and the Straits of Mackinac, via Frankfort:

State line to Muskegon, mileage, 1,294; miles paved, 217; miles State reward road, 75.1; clay unimproved, 55; dirt, 16.8; sand, 11.8. Muskegon to Traverse City, mileage, 173; miles paved, 7.5; miles State reward road, 139.3; clay unimproved, 3; dirt, 8.2; sand, 18. Travers City to Mackinac, mileage, 109.4; miles paved, 5; miles State reward road, 55.6; clay unimproved, 8; dirt, 23.8; sand, 11.

The State reward road includes mileage under construction at present, which application for reward has been made, as well as roads on which the reward has already been paid. Arrangements are now in making to mark the pike with concrete posts eight feet high, placed one to every mile, two on every turn, and one at the limits of each city and village. This work will require at least nine months' time. The course through the cities will be marked by white bands placed on wire poles.



BODY CAN BE MADE INTO A BEDROOM.
This 1916 Studebaker chassis has been fitted with a special body for long touring for S. Sprout of New York. In the lower picture it is shown with the inside chairs converted into a roomy bunk. In the upper picture the compact ice box, carried on the running board, may be seen.

ELECTRIC MEN TO MEET.

Partial Program of Convention at Cleveland This Week.

The program of the sixth annual convention of the Electric Vehicle Association of America at Cleveland, Oct. 18 and 19, is in part as follows: "Industrial Trucks in the Service of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company," by T. V. Buckwalter.

"The Electric Taxicab," by I. S. Scrimger.

"Data on the Hartford Electric Light Company's Experience with the Battery Exchange System for Commercial Vehicles," by Willis M. Thayer.

"The Function of the Electric Garage," by R. Macrae.

"Comparative Development of the Commercial Power and Electric Vehicle Loads," by H. H. Holding and S. G. Thompson.

Problems We Are Facing and How They May Be Met," by George H. Kelly.

"The Small Electric Vehicle and Its Application," by Charles A. Ward.

"Electric Vehicles in Municipal Service," by Arthur J. Slade and R. Duval Dumont.

"The Comparative Performance of Gasoline and Electric Vehicles in Similar Service," by W. J. Miller and S. G. Thompson.

In addition to the papers indicated there will also be the reports of the association's officers, sixteen sections, and the standing and special committees. Exhibits of electric vehicle equipment, appliances and parts of new design, will be held in the hotel adjacent to the convention hall.

MANITOBA BUYING AUTOS.

Car Sales Show Prosperity of Winnipeg, Says Consul Ryder.

Manitoba is receiving upward of \$100,000 a year from the motor business. Licenses have already been issued for 8,000 automobiles and probably 500 more applications will be filed. The straight license fee of \$10 would make a total of about \$80,000.

SAFETY FENDERS TESTED.

Did Not Save Dummy from Injury—Live Subject Needed.

But little of the merit of safety fender devices for automobiles was made apparent in a test held last week under the auspices of the Safety First Society and certain officers of the Police Department connected with the traffic matters. To demonstrate the action of the fenders in saving pedestrians from injury, two dummies stuffed with sand and sawdust were used.

A device known as the American Safety Truck Fender was first tried. Mounted on the front of an electric truck, it was allowed to strike the dummy at a speed of about twelve miles an hour. Three trials were made, with the dummy standing, sitting on the pavement, and prone. In each case the dummy was considerably damaged, with loss of sawdust, and

In the last trial it was rolled roughly between fender and sidewalk.

Next, another device, called the Glasgow Safety Fender, which was pictured in THE NEW YORK TIMES last Sunday, was tried. This device is actuated by a foot or hand plunger, and becomes a sort of curtain of heavy canvas, in which the object struck is supposed to be picked up. In the test the dummy was rolled along the ground until, on the third trial, the protective curtain was only dropped a few inches and both front wheels of the car ran over the already mangled man of sawdust.

Although the results were so far from satisfactory, the inventors of both devices said that this was caused by the inadequacy of the dummy rather than by any fault of the fender, the lay figure acting quite differently from a living person. Each was eager to demonstrate his device with a live subject, and said that in that way alone a fair test could be had and the safety value of the fender be convincingly shown.

In addition licenses have been granted to 1,144 chauffeurs at \$5, making a total of \$5,720, a falling off of about 400 from the number granted in 1914, indicating the tendency of auto owners to handle their own cars. Owners of 888 motor cycles have been licensed at \$2 apiece, aggregating \$1,776.

These figures are significant, according to United States Consul General Frederick M. Ryder, stationed at Winnipeg, indicating Winnipeg's prosperity during a year of recognized financial depression. For instance, there was a total of 7,000 automobile licenses granted in the province last year, showing that fully 2,000 cars have been purchased by residents during 1915, an increase of about one-third of those previously owned. The jitney business is supposed to be responsible for this increase. There has been but a slight increase in the number of motor-cycle licenses granted for 1915. Contract has been awarded to a local firm for a \$200,000 automobile assembling works in Winnipeg for a popular-priced American car. When in operation 200 men will be employed.

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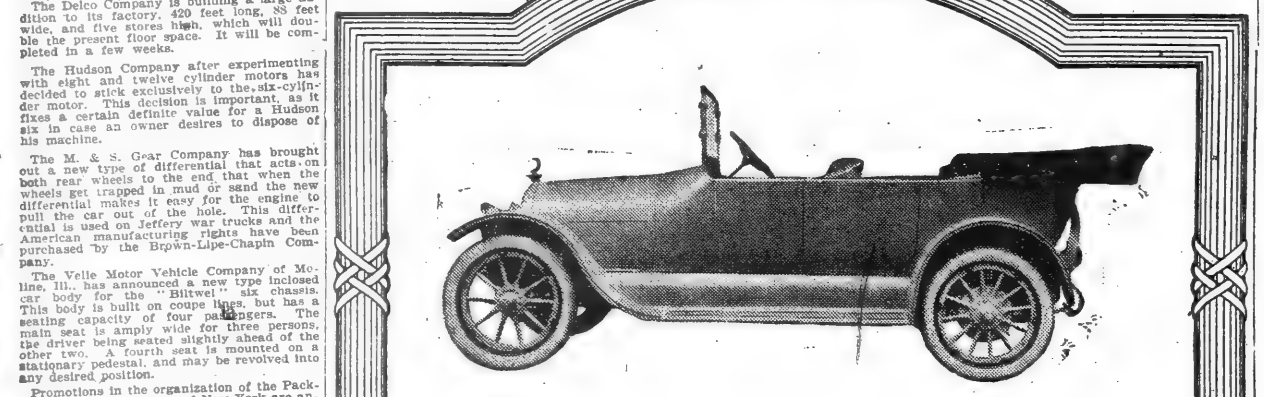
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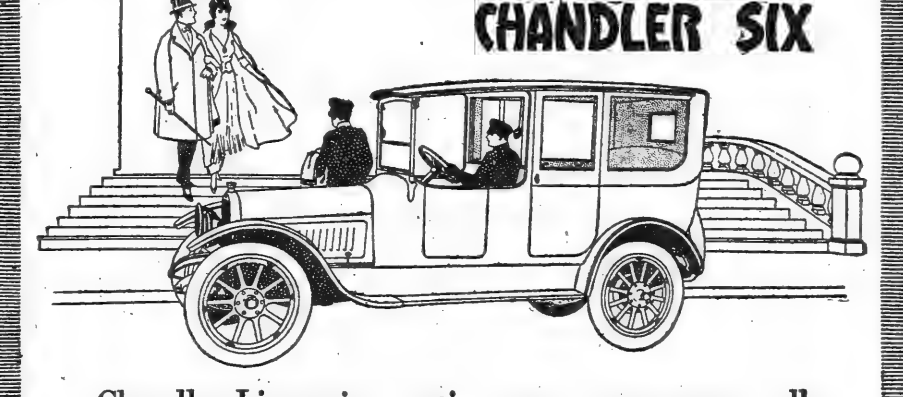
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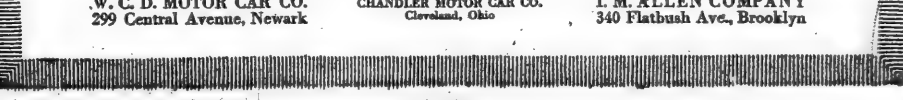
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ARMY IS TESTING MOTORS
FOR ARTILLERY HAULAGE

Power Trucks Being Compared at Fort Sill with Animal Traction for Guns and Ammunition Supply Under Varying Conditions.

"It is believed," says The United States Field Artillery Journal, the organ of the officers of that arm of the regular service, in its current issue, "that the service will learn with interest and approval that the question of motor traction is at last receiving in this country the careful consideration which it deserves."

The reference is to the tests now under way at the field artillery training station at Fort Sill, Okla., where, under the direction of the Field Artillery Board of the regular army, various tests involving the use of motor traction for artillery purposes are being conducted. Two motor trucks, one a Jeffery, and the other a Duplex, figure in the present experiments, which have to do with the transportation of 4.6-inch gun and 6-inch howitzer batteries. Eventually it is stated the new 7-inch type of howitzer will figure in the tests.

"The tests," says The Field Artillery Journal, "will be conducted so as to determine as far as possible the comparative efficiency under service conditions of motor and animal traction, as well as of the two kinds of motors, in the draft of heavy field artillery, and also the comparative economy of motor and animal traction, taking into consideration original cost, maintenance, probable length of service, and the like."

"The tests will be carried out with the view of ascertaining the greatest amount that can be accomplished with motors when ingenuity and care are exercised in overcoming obstacles, and not with a view to the undertaking of unnecessarily severe tasks."

The tests scheduled and which have begun at Fort Sill are three in number. The first has to do with the problem of "efficiency in the supply of ammunition," which is intended "to determine the most favorable combination of tow and load of motor, considering the amount of ammunition transported, the rate of speed desired, the overcoming of obstacles, and so forth."

The load of the motor in this test is equivalent to the weight of ammunition carried in one chest, and the cannoneers normally assigned in the battery to the carriages constituting the tow. The tow consists of one loaded caisson and limber, and the distance to be covered in the test is five miles, of which three miles will be over Oklahoma roads and two miles cross-country. On the same day and over the same roads an animal-drawn battery will be driven for the purpose of comparing the two modes of transportation.

The speed of this test calls for half of the distance to be made at the speed of an ordinary animal-drawn battery, and the other half at the speed most favorable to the motor. The obstacles prescribed are similar

to those that the battery with animal traction is accustomed to successfully encounter in ordinary field work, such as fords of various depths, banks and bottoms, ditches, sharp corners, winding roads, grades, ascending as well as descending, sand, mud, and soft ground.

A second part of this same series of tests calls for two loaded caissons and one loaded limber in tow of the motor truck, while the truck itself will be burdened with a load of ammunition equivalent to that carried in two chests, as well as the cannoneers.

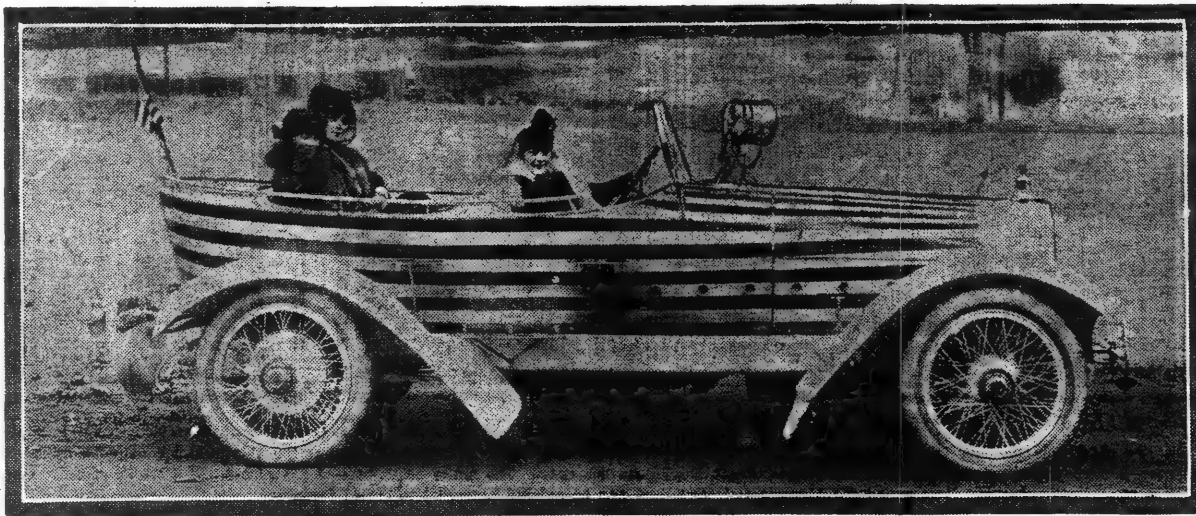
Another interesting feature, which is also a part of test No. 1, involves the working out of ammunition supply problems, in the solution of which the motor-drawn batteries will travel about three miles to a given point, in part over roads covered by obstacles. As soon as the battery is posted the motors will operate between the firing line and the ammunition supply depots in the rear, taking away the emptied chests and returning with replenished chests under conditions that will "simulate the replenishment of ammunition under service conditions."

"In this problem," adds The Journal, "will be sought the determination of the greatest number of empty caissons and limbers that, in the general case, the motors may be expected to haul."

The second general test of the motors will be one to determine the "efficiency in the traction of elements of the firing battery," the load to be transported being the "weight equivalent to ammunition carried in chest, and gun squad, excepting cannoneers, at brakes of tow."

There are two problems to be worked out in this test, and each problem will include "the reconnaissance and occupation of a position, the pieces being hauled to their positions by the motors; the resupply of ammunition by motor traction, filled chests being brought to the battery from the combat train and empty ones returned thereto, and the withdrawal from the position." The distance covered in the test will be five miles, two of which will be cross-country, in which obstacles will be featured. The speed will be that most favorable to the motor.

The third and last series of tests is that to determine "efficiency on marches," in the working out of which animal traction will be used to furnish a comparative test. In the working out of this problem both the motor and animal traction will start in the same direction, the motor element preceding, each of the elements proceeding at the rate most favorable to itself, and to make only the halts required by its personnel or tractive power in an ordinary day's march.



NOVEL AUTOMOBILE ON THE LINES OF A RIVER LAUNCH.

One of the most unusual bodies to make its appearance on "Automobile Row" is shown above. It is a boat body on an Overland chassis, now on view in C. T. Silver's salesrooms. The body is built of alternate two-inch strips of mahogany and white holly, and the deck is in bird's-eye maple. Mounted on the circular radiator is a ship's bell, while a nickel propeller serves to keep the spare wheel in place. The front bumpers represent anchors and those at the rear oars. The upholstery is pigskin.

This test will last at least eight hours.

"During the progress of the several tests prescribed," adds The Journal, "the obstacles should increase in difficulty until the use of the cannoneers on the ropes and wheels, the use of blocks and tackle, the overwhelming of the obstacle by a motor hauling one element of its tow at a time, or by one motor assisting the other, and other expedients, shall be necessary."

"At the completion of the tests in each battalion a detailed report will be submitted by the battalion commander. In these reports should be considered, among any other points that may be deemed pertinent: The necessity for tires different from those with which the motors are at present equipped. The necessity or desirability of equipping each motor with an emergency winch for the purpose of pulling itself or its tow over difficult ground. The necessity of elastic couplers between motor and tow, and between the elements of the tow, and the efficiency in this respect of the springs now assembled on the shanks of the pintles of the motors. The most favorable distribution of the load of the motor. The advantages, if any, in having all four wheels guide wheels. Any changes in the present material that would be required if the battery were to be equipped with motor tractors.

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HIGHWAY TO COAST
OF MILITARY VALUE

Through Artery, Like Lincoln Highway, Would Mean Much to Army, Says O'Ryan.

The following statement by Major Gen. John F. O'Ryan, N. G. N. Y., on the importance of a proper coast-to-coast highway was received last week by the Lincoln Highway Association:

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"The availability of a highway such as that proposed would permit its use by fleets of motor trucks carrying supplies, the effect of which would be to relieve to that material extent the pressure on the railroads."

PORTO RICO BUYING
MANY AMERICAN CARS

Big Increase in Importations for Last Fiscal Year, with Total of 548 Cars Valued at \$433,408—No Foreign Makes.

The past year has shown a remarkable increase in the number of motor cars purchased in the island of Porto Rico, 548 cars having been imported during the twelve months ended with June 30, 1915, according to a correspondent of the Department of Commerce. These cars were valued at \$433,408 and were all of American manufacture. No foreign cars have been sold there in recent years. With the importation of cars during the past year insular officials say there are approximately 2,000 motor cars in the island, most of them in constant use.

In 1913 the number of cars brought into Porto Rico was 323 and their value \$406,440. From these figures it will be seen that there has been a marked decrease in the average price paid for motor cars, the average price being under \$800. There is no demand for high-priced cars. In 1914 there were 291 cars imported at a cost of \$320,680. Automobile parts purchased in 1915 were valued at \$91,045; in 1914, \$70,025, and in 1913, \$93,813. Automobile tires showed a falling off during the past year as compared with the previous fiscal year. Tire imports for 1915 were \$251,428; for 1914, \$296,201, and for 1913, \$241,714. Importations of motor cycles, bicycles, and tricycles have shown a decline for the past two years. These purchases for the twelve months ended with June, 1915, were \$27,877, as compared with \$43,967 for the previous twelve months and \$51,367 for the twelve months ended with June, 1913.

The motor car is used as the chief means of passenger transportation, both private and public, about the island. There are regular motor lines running from San Juan to all sections of the island, and in many instances the fares charged are less than those charged by the railroads. Mail to about half of the towns of the island is delivered by motor, and most of the established motor lines operate as express and parcel delivery service. Recently the jitney has made its appearance in competition with an interurban steam railroad running five miles between the towns of Cataño and Bayamon. The railroad has carried 500,000 passengers a year, and the fare has been 10 cents until the arrival of the jitney. Then the railroad cut the fare to 5 cents, but the jitney continues to get many passengers at the old fare of 10 cents.

BIG BRIDGE FOR KINGSTON.

Monumental Structure Over Rondout Creek to be Built.

The State Highways Commission engineers last week came before the up-State Public Service Commission and asked for its approval of the monumental highway bridge which the State is to build across Rondout Creek and the Ulster & Delaware Railroad from Kingston to Port Ewen. There was no opposition to the plans and the commission indicated that its formal approval would be granted. The bridge, which will span the creek from the high ground in Kingston to the high ground in Port Ewen, running from Wurtz Street in Kingston, will be one of the important links in the New York-Albany automobile highway up the west shore of the river. At present it is necessary for motorists to detour back through Edwyille, around the "bay" in Rondout Creek. With the construction of this bridge the road will be much shortened and a great improvement effected for the city of Kingston. The State will pay the entire cost of the bridge out of the highways funds.

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INTERESTING HAPPENINGS IN MOTORDOM DURING THE WEEK

BRITISH MOTORISTS URGED TO MEET TAXES CHEERFULLY

War Increases on Gasoline and on Imported Cars Will Not Help the British Industry, Says Automobile Authority.

Concerning the effect of the new British taxes on motorists and car selling H. Massac Bullst has something to say in a recent issue of the London Morning Post.

"Mr. McKenna's Autumn budget," he writes, "is of very special interest to motorists by reason of the fact that two of the comparatively few new taxes imposed directly concern them. Of these that which will have by far the widest effect, is the increase of the petrol duty from 6 cents to 12 cents a gallon. This increase coincides with an advance, long anticipated, in the price of motor fuel to the consumer, with the result that the private motorist is now being asked to pay 8 cents a gallon more for his petrol at the various garages, though only 6 cents of that 8 cents enriches the Exchequer, and our stores of motor fuel are better than they were when war broke out.

"Against this, however, it must be observed that slight increases were made in the retail price of motor fuel in America a few months ago, whereas until the last few days there has been no corresponding advance in the price of fuel to the consumer in this country for two years or more. Further, of the motor fuel the world has been using since the outbreak of hostilities, an exceptionally heavy proportion has had to be supplied by the New World owing to transport difficulties in the Eastern Hemisphere.

"Rumanian supplies have been accumulating month by month, and sundry other sources of supply are also being held up until the Dardanelles shall be forced. The private motorist has, therefore, been very lucky in this country in having come thus far through the war without having had to pay more for his fuel. One trusts, however, that matters will be so adjusted at no distant date that every farthing of the higher price that the car owner is now having to pay for petrol will be met by the Exchequer. Hitherto certain classes of motor users have paid only half duties at the rate of three-halfpence a gallon for their fuel, as instance doctors, owners of commercial vehicles, and so forth.

"In regard to the increased rate of duty, this extra rate will be applicable without distinction to all classes of motor users. Thus on the petrol used for an industrial machine, or to run the doctor's car, the duty will be 9 cents per gallon, which sum is arrived at by adding to three halfpence duty already in vogue the new duty of 6 cents. In face of the facts that we are at war and that mortoring for other than military purposes is not possible in some of the other countries involved, it must be allowed that admirable judgment has been displayed in the Government's proposals as regards the new duty, which, while heavy for peace time, is certainly not excessive in war time. We must all prepare ourselves cheerfully to meet this increased cost.

"Nor need the socialistic element cavil that it is not more in the case of the private motorist, because when Mr. McKenna's proposals are consid-

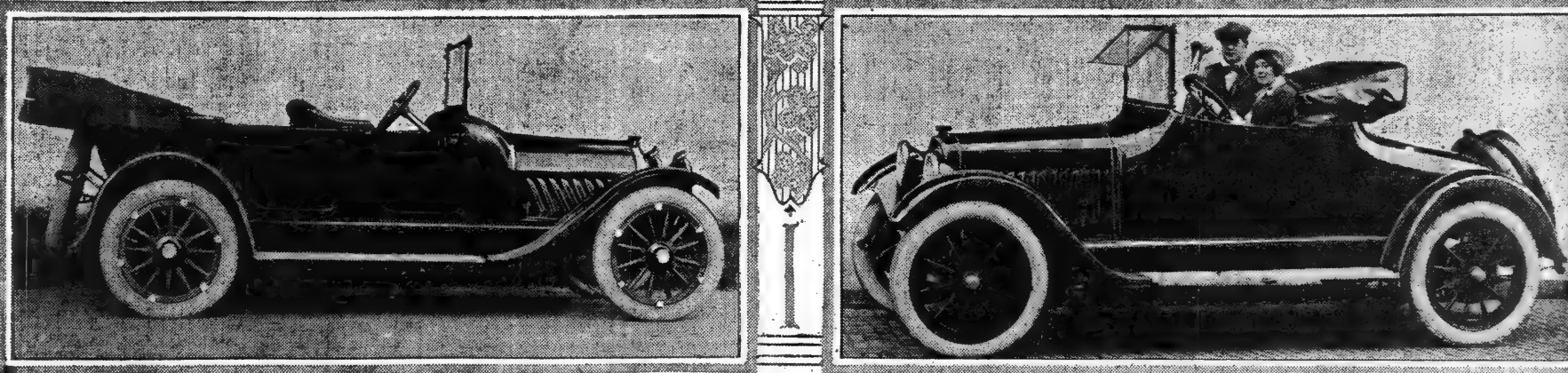
ered as a whole it will be appreciated that even the wealthiest of car owners is paying an extraordinarily high proportion of the dues being levied by taxation for carrying on the war, as instance notably the combined effects of the acts governing limitation of profits on war work in controlled establishments, the 50 per cent. tax on war-time excess profits from industries not controlled by the Government, and the new rates of income tax and of super-tax. Further, the revenue raised from the new taxes on petrol goes into the Exchequer's general funds, and is not earmarked for roadmaking.

"With our motor manufacturing industry controlled practically in its entirety by the Government under the Munitions act, it is not possible to deal at present with the question of what effect the higher price of fuel to the consumer will have on the further development of the mechanism to the self-propelled road vehicle. Obviously, however, it puts an additional premium on increasing the efficiency of carburetors and on endeavoring to eliminate, or at least greatly to reduce, the at present excessive waste of the power generated by the engine as it passes through the complicated transmission gear of the car to the back wheels by which it is propelled. Equally plain is the fact that dearer fuel will put a greater premium than ever on the evolution of the light car, with its proportionately modest appetite for petrol.

"The second point for motorists in Mr. McKenna's Budget is the imposition of a duty of 35-1-3 per cent. on imported motor vehicles, motor cycles, and component parts of them. This last section reveals an apt understanding on the part of the Exchequer of the business it has tackled. To impose a duty only on the import of complete vehicles would merely have resulted to a great increase in the practice of economizing freight charges by importing the parts and assembling them here. For example, for a long time cars have been imported in parts and assembled in this country as being by far the most economical method. Under Mr. McKenna's Budget, however, 35-1-3 per cent. must be paid on the value of the parts imported.

"To avoid this, of course, American makers with large businesses in this country will instead manufacture their vehicles here in their entirety. In at least one case preparations have been making toward this end for a considerable time past. By taxing imported parts, too, a necessary check is imposed on firms adopting the policy of ordering the components for motor vehicles from America for assembly in these islands, to be marketed either in the guise of British-made or as partly home-made vehicles. On the other hand, there is nothing in Mr. McKenna's plan that can be interpreted in the guise of a protection of the British motor industry.

"This is sufficiently evident from the scale of the import duty imposed. It may be described as having no relationship to the problem of motor vehicle making here. It is instead merely a rate of duty to be paid in common on the importation of such diverse articles as cinema films, hats, plate glass, musical instruments, and clocks. The British car maker can take no advantage of it because he is engaged on war work, and is, therefore, unable to supply the public. Were Continental makers in France, Italy, or Belgium able to supply us with cars as well as our own industry the rate of duty would be practically prohibitive. As they are not available, however, the point does not matter. On the other hand, as a protection against the American industry under peace conditions the scale would be inadequate, being 11-2-3 per cent. lower than the American tariff on European built cars."



A NEW EIGHT OF LIGHT WEIGHT AND A NOVEL BODY FOR TWO CALLED A VICTORIA CABRIOLET. On the left is the new Oldsmobile eight-cylinder touring car which weighs but 2,700 pounds. It has the V-type motor with the cylinders set at the usual 90-degree angle. The crank case is divided vertically and cast integral with the cylinders. There is a single camshaft having sixteen cams. The motor has a bore of 2 1/2 inches and a stroke of 4 1/4. On the right is a new type of two-passenger body just brought out on the Chalmers six-cylinder chassis. It is called the Victoria Cabriolet, and can be quickly converted to closed form.

EARS TESTED BY SOUND OF MOTORS

An Experiment Tried That Casts Doubt on Reliability of Human Hearing.

With a view to ascertaining the value, or otherwise, of personal judgment in the passing of timing gears, the following experiment was conducted recently by the engineers of the Pierce-Arrow Motor Car Company. A number of cars were taken from each, the receiver of the phonograph being placed six inches in front of the radiator and the motors run slowly, then speeded up to full throttle and shut down again. The number of observers were then requested to listen to the record and classify cars according to the noise they made. The following cars were selected:

- A.—A 38 horse power runabout belonging to one of the officers of the company, which has run about 30,000 miles.
- B.—A 48 horse power new chassis, which the testers stated was "not bad."
- C.—Five-ton truck for domestic order.
- D.—Two-ton truck for domestic order.
- E.—A 38 horse power car prepared for Russia, in which the testers said the gears were fair.
- F.—A 48 horse power experimental car which had run about 12,000 miles.
- G.—This was a second record of E, purposely taken with the idea of confusing the observer.
- H.—A 30 horse power six-cylinder Sunbeam, which has run nearly 15,000 miles.
- I.—A 48 horse power, Model 4, which has run 2,700 miles.
- J.—Touring car, just before shipment to Pittsburgh.
- K.—The same car after being warmed up.

L.—A 38 horse power brougham ready for shipment to San Francisco.

M.—A 38 horse power touring car ready for shipment.

N.—A 38 horse power car prepared for Russia, not tested. This last car was an extremely noisy example, screeching badly.

Every car was placed in at least three different classes, five were placed in four different classes, while two were placed in every class. Taking the case of the first car A, the majority of observers placed this in Class 2. Treating all the cars in the same way, they may be classified as shown in the following table:

1.	2.	3.	4.	5.
D	A	K	B	E
I	G	N	F	H
			M	

It is particularly to be noted that in the first class we have a two-ton truck and in the second class a five-ton truck, while in the fifth class, as agreed by the majority of observers, are two cars ready for shipping. Other idiosyncrasies of a similar nature will be found in each class. Perhaps the most ludicrous feature of the whole selection is that G is found in Class 2 and E in Class 5, while, as stated above, both are the same record, and this is in spite of the fact that most of the observers were given an opportunity of hearing these two records over again to see if they wished to correct their first impressions.

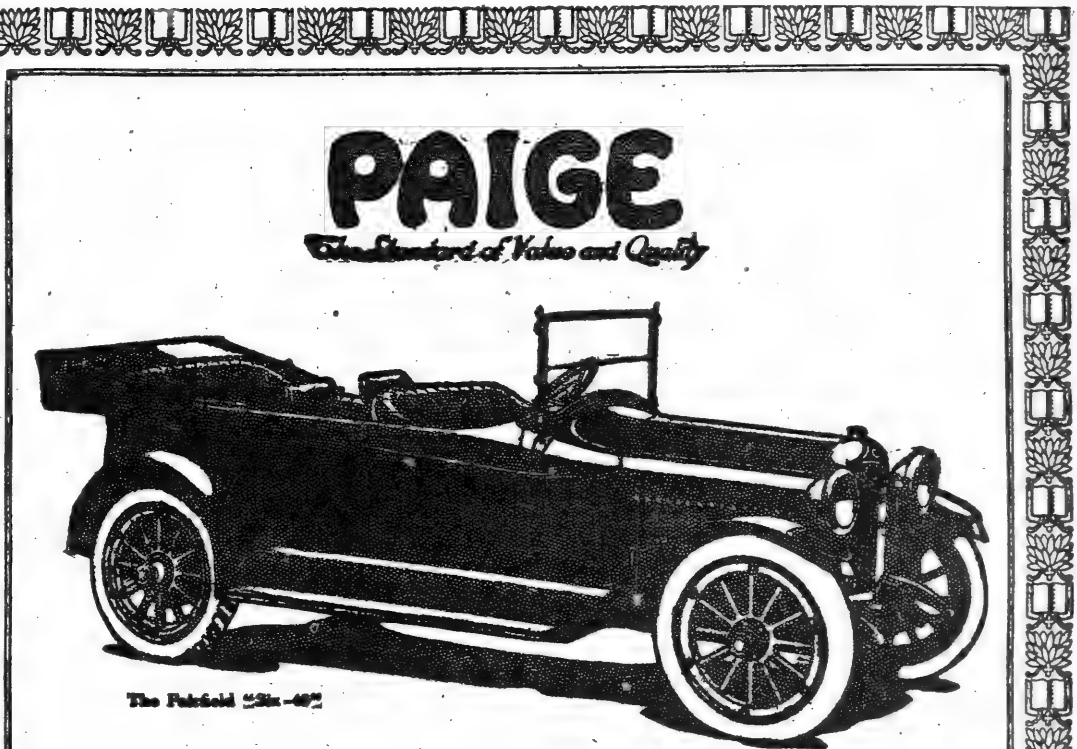
It must be admitted that the personal feature in the selection of quiet cars is almost, if not quite, worthless. It is even debatable whether the whole question is not one of psychology in which the mental condition or the nervous system of the observer very largely enters and makes his selection still more unreliable. Some further experiments are being prepared at the suggestion of Professor Curtian of Canisius College, who has devised a means of recording the sound optically.

FREE TIRE-SERVICE SPREADS

Mobile Squad of Repair Men Ready to Perform Road Rescues. Out on the road and the last spare tire or tube goes bang!—the last of them sometimes do go out with too scant equipment—who wouldn't welcome being able to get to the nearest telephone and have a casing or

a tube whisked out day or night to one at full speed and put on quickly, too, and no charge for the service? Imagine, for instance, a woman motorist dressed in her "good clothes" going to a lawn fête or tea at the country club. Squeal! goes a tube, and she surveys with dismay the prospect of having to get down in the dirt. It should please her to be able to telephone downtown and get

a man to come out and do the job free. This sort of service is the idea back of the Cleveland Free Tire Service Company, Ajax tire dealers in the Ohio city who originated a plan that is being widely copied. A motor cycle squad is in readiness at all times to go out on calls. The men change tires of any make, it matters not, without charge. If it is a puncture, the tube goes back to the service company to be repaired. The motorist has to have this done somewhere, and the company wants the work chiefly to remind the motorist of the service he got. The repair charge is just as low as anywhere. Of course, if a new tire or tube is supplied it is charged for at regular prices. This is to be expected. But the motorist is not expected to pay for having the goods brought to him, no matter what the run is.



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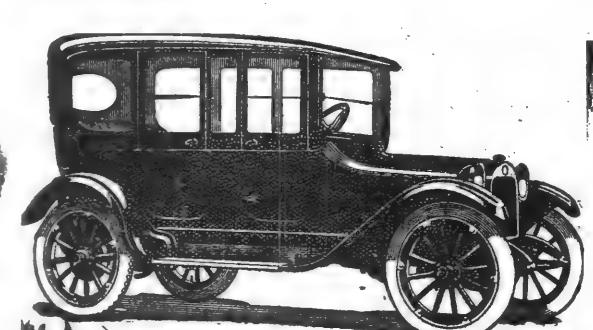
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FEW WOMEN WANT SUFFRAGE IN JERSEY

Census Figures Show Less Than
One-Eighth Enrolled in
Organizations.

INFANTS ON THE LISTS?

Newark to Have Continuous Oratory
from 6 A. M. Today Till Just
Before Polls Open Tomorrow.

Special to The New York Times.

TRENTON, N. J., Oct. 17.—Less than one-eighth of the women in New Jersey who would be eligible as voters in case the woman suffrage amendment should be ratified at the special election on Tuesday have shown sufficient interest in the votes-for-women movement to enroll in the two organizations which are actively engaged in the present, battle to win the ballot for women.

This deduction is reached from statements made by the suffrage leaders themselves regarding the membership of their respective organizations and from irrefutable statistics compiled by the United States Census Bureau.

Mrs. Minnie Reynolds, Executive Secretary of the Woman's Political Union of New Jersey, one of the two woman organizations engaged in the equal suffrage fight, told THE TIMES correspondent recently that her organization claimed a membership of some 75,000. From an account Mrs. Reynolds did not undertake the number. Mrs. E. M. Felcker of Plainfield, who is President of the New Jersey Woman Suffrage Association, the other organization of women enlisted in the battle for the ballot, in reply to a question from THE NEW YORK TIMES correspondent, said that the association had about 25,000 enrolled members. The Woman Suffrage Association is the older organization, having been in the field since 1847.

Census Figures of Women.

According to statistics contained in the reports of the United States Census Bureau from the Federal Census of 1910, the most recent, there were 736,659 women in New Jersey of 21 years of age or over. This was a total population of 2,337,167. Taking the normal growth of the ten preceding years as a basis, the estimated population in this State at the beginning of the present year would have been 781,933. Taking the ratio set down in the Census report of 100 women to each 108 men, 130,893 of the increase would represent women and of these 78,634 would be of voting age, making a total of 815,283 at the beginning of the present year.

Thus, even if all the enrolled members of the two suffrage organizations of this State, according to the figures given by the leaders as correct, were women qualified to vote if the suffrage amendment should carry, the total membership would be less than one-eighth of all the women in the State qualified by age to exercise the right of suffrage.

But no woman is required to enroll as a recruit with the suffrage organizations. It is safe to assume that a considerable proportion of the membership is made up of women below the voting age established by statute in New Jersey, even though the vast majority of those fighting in the suffrage ranks are women above 21.

Enroll Infants in Cradles.

The New Jersey Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage, which has been in the field for many years claims a membership of only 25,000. When one of the leaders in the movement was asked about the large number on the membership roll of the pro-suffrage organizations did not indicate that more women were in favor of woman suffrage than opposed she smiled.

"It might be an indication," she said, "if the suffragists followed the example and enrolled infants in cradles as members in order to swell their numbers."

The Women's Political Union of New Jersey does not charge any membership fee, but an admission fee of 5 cents is levied on each new recruit as she enrolls with the organization. The work of the Women's Political Union is maintained by voluntary contributions from members who can afford to give, collections taken up at the meetings, and in some instances from the sale of tickets at the large meetings which are scheduled to appear.

Men Urge Antis' Cause.

The Men's Anti-Suffrage League of New Jersey today issued an appeal to the voters in which it was urged that the men should feel satisfied that a majority of New Jersey's women wanted the ballot. The appeal was signed by Colonel William Libbey of Princeton, President of the league; all its executive officers, and the entire State Committee, on which are men prominent in every walk of life in New Jersey.

Ex-Chancellor William J. Magie of Elizabeth, T. H. Powers Farr, John C. Elsie, Edward G. Keasbey, Walter C. Ellis, Garret A. Hobart, Dean W. F. Magie of Princeton, C. Randolph Coleman, E. Kinney, and William H. Bond Lambert, Jr. of Stockton, B. Colt, Rabbi Solomon Foster, Henry M. Dancy, and I. Sngwen Haines were among the signatories. Here it is in part:

"The suffragists' open contempt for the mental qualifications of women who refuse to follow their lead, argues a position that their own will is alone worthy counting, but the average man perceives no marked superiority in the suffragist, and he would be quite ashamed to approve, by his vote, contempt for women who are likely to compromise most of his acquaintances. Fortunately, we need no referendum to show that only a minority of women demand the ballot."

Will Talk Till Polls Open.

Both suffragists and anti-suffragists rested on their oars today. Sermons on the suffrage issue were preached in many churches and there were some evening and afternoon meetings but little or no open air oratory. The anti-

GERMAN TORPEDO BOAT SUNK BY FERRYBOAT

Forty Lost as the Result of a
Baltic Collision in the
Dark.

LONDON, Monday, Oct. 18.—A large German torpedo boat was run down and sunk in two by a German ferry, which left Trondheim, Sweden, at 9 o'clock Friday night with all lights out, says a Reuter dispatch from Malmö, Sweden.

Only five of the torpedo boat's crew of forty-five were saved.

MISS CAVELL SHOT BY GERMAN OFFICER

Englishwoman, Condemned to
Death, Said to Have Fainted
Before Firing Party.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 17. (Dispatch to THE NEW YORK TIMES.)—Such details as it is possible to collect here concerning the execution of Miss Edith Cavell, at Brussels, are as follows:

The charge against her was of aiding Belgians to escape to England. It is stated that she hid them in her house and provided them with money and addresses in England, and helped to smuggle them across the frontier. A German military court found her guilty and sentenced her to death by shooting.

The execution ground was a garden, or yard, in Brussels, surrounded by a wall. The German firing party of six men and an officer were drawn up in the garden and waited their victim. She was led in by soldiers from the house near by, blindfolded with a black scarf. Up to this minute the woman, though deeply white, had stepped out bravely to meet her fate, but before the rifle party her strength at last gave out and she tottered and fell to the ground thirty yards or more from the spot where she was to have been shot.

The officer in charge of the execution walked to her as she lay prone on the ground motionless. The officer then drew a large service revolver from his belt, took steady aim, fired his knee and the woman "through the head."

The firing party looked on as the officer quietly returned his revolver to its case and ordered the soldiers to carry the body to the house where charge was taken of it by a Belgian woman, acting under instruction from the Spanish Mission, who had undertaken the responsibility for the body, pending arrangements for burial.

The execution has shocked the whole Belgian community, and is regarded as the bloodiest act of the whole war.

WARSHIPS MAY JOIN HUNT FOR GERMANS

Five Great Sea-Fighters, Norfolk
Hears, May Search for the
Fugitive Intended Officers.

Special to The New York Times.

NORFOLK, Oct. 17.—Five large United States warships, according to a persistent report, have put to sea to join in the search for the power boat Eclipse, in which are six wanted German officers, and the command of the interned German cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm. The fact that the New York, Louisiana, Rhode Island, New Hampshire, and Minnesota, slipped from Hampton Roads early this morning, twenty-four hours in advance of their scheduled departure, has led to this report.

It is said that these warships, which were ordered to begin target practice on Tuesday, have been ordered to cruise several hundred miles to sea during the night and tomorrow, in search of the Eclipse. The Navy Yard officials deny the report tonight that the Eclipse had been picked up, was officially denied. Admiral Beatty said that there was no news from the Eclipse. The Virginia Lieut. Saving Station confirmed the report that a craft answering the description of the Eclipse was sighted off the coast on Monday afternoon, going south. Admiral Beatty said later that his investigation had developed the fact that a fishing yacht resembling the Eclipse passed south at about this hour. He believed this was the craft which the life savers saw.

Incoming steamships reported today that two English cruisers were standing off the Cape, evidently intent on intercepting the German ships. The men assert that the Navy Commandant has been deceived as to the time of the departure of the Eclipse.

MAIL BY AEROPLANE IN MIDDLE WEST SOON

Two Experimental Routes Planned
—Force of 300 Aviators in Time
as Nucleus of War Corps.

Special to The New York Times.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 17.—The work of planning and mapping the first aeroplane mail routes to be instituted by the United States Post Office Department has been completed, according to Albert Bond Lambert, St. Louis aviator and balloon enthusiast, and ranking Captain of the United States Aviation Corps. Two routes of sixty miles each have been planned, one entirely in Missouri and the other taking in parts of both Missouri and Illinois. The interstate route will start at St. Louis, go to Golden Eagle and Brule, Ill., detour westward to Beechville, the Illinois shore, and thence back to St. Louis. The Missouri route will cross a country without railways.

The Postmaster General, Burleson, now awaits a Congressional appropriation to put in effect the service to be a post upon which to hang aerial preparedness for war. It is planned to place in the Government service a force of 300 aviators in a short time after the aerial mail routes are started. The aviators will be trained by the Government; all will be listed in the Aviation Reserve Corps and must serve in case of war.

WRECK STOLEN AUTO; ONE KILLED, 6 HURT

Son of A. B. Wenzell, Artist, Has
Neck Broken When the Car
Hits Telegraph Pole.

TWO OF PARTY IN NYACK JAIL

Seven Englewood Boys Take Prose-
cutor Huchin's Machine for a
Joy Ride to Haverstraw.

Special to The New York Times.

ENGLEWOOD, N. J., Oct. 17.—As a result of a joyride by high school boys in a stolen car, which resulted in a wreck in Rockland County, New York, early this morning, one of the party is dead, four others are in the hospital at Nyack, N. Y., with serious injuries, and the two remaining members of the party are held in the Nyack Jail on the charge of manslaughter. All the boys live in Englewood.

The Dead.

WENZELL, ARTHUR ALLAN, 18 yrs. 'old, of Winthrop Place, son of A. B. Wenzell, the painter, neck broken.

The Injured.

BOLEN, EDWARD, of William Street; nose broken, cuts about the head and body; in Nyack Hospital.

FLATARD, GEORGE, of South Dean Street; head and face cut and bruised.

LACHMUND, WILLIAM, of Palisade Avenue; fracture of skull and lacerations; may die; in Nyack Hospital.

MARSA, FRANCIS, of Railroad Avenue; shoulder sprained, bruised about face and head.

MINSKY, JAMES, of Palisade Avenue; spine injured, arm broken, left ear lacerated, deep cut over left eye; in Nyack Hospital.

RYAN, CORNELIUS, of Prospect Street; right arm broken, left ear lacerated, deep cut over left eye; in Nyack Hospital.

According to the story told by Flatard and Marsa, the chief blame lies with Lachmund. Wenzell was a student in Englewood High School, and a chum of Flatard, who is in the eighth grade and attends school in the same building.

The two boys went downtown together last night, and there met the other five. The party then walked past the Englewood Theatre and saw at the curb in the street a Ford automobile belonging to Prosecutor Thomas J. Huchin of Bergen County, who with his family was watching the show.

Lachmund is employed in his father's delicatessen store and drives his father's Ford. Prosecutor Huchin had taken out the spark plug from his car, but Lachmund had a Ford spark plug in his pocket, and the boys decided to take the car out for a drive.

They rode through Teaneck, Emerson, Westwood, Harrington Park, Tappan, and Orangeburg, and reached Haverstraw, where it is said that Lachmund, who had two or three drinks, at 1:30 they started home, traveling at high speed to make up lost time.

Between Congers and Valley Cottage the car crashed into a telegraph pole and was knocked to pieces. All of the occupants were thrown out of the car.

Prosecutor Huchin struck the telegraph pole. Hardly had the accident happened when Leopold Kley of Congers drove up on his way home and found the boys.

He notified E. F. Anderson, a garage owner of Congers, and Dr. Ralph De Baun was summoned by telephone.

When they came to the scene, the boys, already cut, bruised, and shaken up, went first to Wenzell and found that he was dead. This horrified the others, and Flatard and Marsa, who were still able to walk, slipped away and walked to Nyack.

Meanwhile Prosecutor Huchin, who had come out of his store a little after 10 o'clock, and found his car gone, had started an investigation. Sheriff Heath and County Detectives Louis Nestel and W. V. A. Blauvelt were searching the main roads out of Englewood, and all near-by towns had been notified by telephone. At a little before 8 o'clock this morning a Nyack policeman who knew of the automobile theft, strolled into the Northern Railroad station and found two injured and badly frightened boys, who admitted they had been in the wrecked automobile. They were taken to Nyack Police Headquarters, and told their story.

Prosecutor Huchin, who was called by Huchin and Sheriff Heath, the four badly injured boys had already been taken to the Nyack Hospital in Anderson's automobile.

Coroner Theodore Semendinger of Rockland County said he would wait until 10 o'clock to hold an inquest, but he would hold an inquest at 10 o'clock this morning. The body of Wenzell, which was brought back to the home of his parents this afternoon.

AUTOS KILL 2 BOYS AT PLAY.

Lad Dashes in Front of E. S. Hatch's
Car—One Driver Arrested.

Thomas Cain, 4 years old, of 442 West 125th Street, was mortally injured yesterday afternoon when an automobile owned by Edward S. Hatch of the law firm of Hatch & Clute, 100 Broadway, struck him as he was playing tag in the street near his home. Mr. Hatch was not in the machine, which was being driven by his chauffeur, G. T. Swanson, of 220 East Sixty-seventh Street.

The boy ran from the sidewalk, chased by a playmate, Thomas Brown, also 4 years old. He dodged from the path of one automobile only to dash before the machine operated by Swanson. Patrolman Ringhouse of the West 125th Street Station called Dr. Frascolla from Knickerbocker Hospital. The boy died in that institution last night from a fractured skull.

Philip Janson, 6 years old, of 514 East Eighty-seventh Street, was killed yesterday afternoon by an automobile driven by Joseph Lionetti, of 340 East Twenty-second Street, yesterday afternoon while he was playing in the street between First and Second Avenues. He was removed to St. Vincent's Hospital, where he died.

The boy was killed when he was struck by the rear of the automobile. The driver, who was charged with the manslaughter, was being held on the wrong side of the street.

FATALLY HURT IN CRASH.

Newark Motor Cyclist Runs Into
Heavy Automobile.

Joseph Saltzman of 485 Fifteenth Avenue, Newark, was fatally injured yesterday afternoon when a motor cycle which he was driving crashed into the side of an automobile, driven by Russell A. Holman of 81 Fabian Place, Newark. The collision occurred

71 Persons Lost on Amiral Hamelin When Steamship Is Sunk by Submarine

PARIS, Monday, Oct. 18.—Seventy-one persons lost their lives when the French steamship Amiral Hamelin was torpedoed and sunk by a submarine.

A dispatch to the Havas Agency from Marseilles, which brings this news, does not specify whether the victims were passengers or members of the crew.

A Paris dispatch sent early on Sunday morning said that the steamer Hamelin had arrived at Marseilles from Madagascar, having on board Captain

Gulbert and the crew of the steamship Amiral, which was recently sunk by a submarine. Probably this is the same vessel referred to in this morning's dispatch from Marseilles. It is not stated when and where the steamer was sunk.

The Amiral Hamelin was a steel screw steamer of 5,051 tons gross. She was built in 1901 by Forges & Co. at Havre. She was owned by the Chargours Reunis, her home port, being Havre. Her movements have not been reported in the Maritime Register since March 6, when she left Havre for a destination not stated.

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USE OF OUR FLAG ASSERTED

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Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, announced yesterday that he had forwarded to Secretary Lansing several affidavits alleging that eleven German sailors of a submarine were slain in cold blood by the crew of a British patrol vessel named the Baralong, which flew the American flag at the time of the attack. It is also alleged that the British patrol boat was emblazoned with the American flag painted on boards and hung over the sides.

The affidavits were prepared in New Orleans, where the steamship Nicolson, on board of which some of the German sailors were slain, was in port some time ago. On the vessel's arrival several of the crew said a British patrol boat had sunk a German submarine vessel, and subsequently when the survivors of the submarine were brought in the water, or had taken refuge aboard the British vessel, they had been killed by the British seamen.

Count von Bernstorff issued the following statement:

"According to the affidavits, six of the German sailors were shot while seeking refuge in the water, the Captain of the British vessel, who was in command, and the others were shot down after taking refuge on the steamship Nicolson. The British patrol boat, up to the moment of firing, it is alleged, not only flew the American flag, but conspicuously exhibited the flag on large boards suspended on either side of the boat."

"One of the statements is signed by James J. Curran, foreman of the gang in charge of transporting mules on the Nicolson from New Orleans to England. The other statement, corroborated in detail that made by Curran, is signed by Charles D. Hightower, American Consul at New Orleans, and E. H. Cosby, all employed as muleteers on the Nicolson. The affidavits were prepared in New Orleans before Charles E. Denechaud.

"According to the sworn statement of Foreman Curran, the Nicolson reached the war zone of the Atlantic on August 16, 1915, and was sighted by a submarine. The submarine fired a warning shot and hoisted a signal directing all aboard the Nicolson to abandon the ship. While Captain Manning was giving orders to the wireless operator, a ship was sighted on the horizon. The submarine fired a second warning shot, which went high over the heads of the men and carried away the wireless. After telling of the departure of the crew in boats, Curran continues: 'The ship we had sighted on the horizon was sufficiently close to us now to make out her flag, which we recognized as an American flag. Her respective sides amidships were two boards with the American flag painted on each. The size of these painted flags was about 15 by 16 feet.'

New Arrival Opens Fire.

"After the submarine had opened fire on the deserted Nicolson the Baralong came up and began the attack. The submarine immediately opened fire on the submarine with rifles. Then the Baralong began firing with cannon, whose shells fell away and exposed the muzzles of the guns. After the screens mentioned fell away and the guns began to fire, the American flag was dipped and the British flag hoisted instead."

"One of the shots from the Baralong carried away the conning tower of the submarine and was several feet above the rest of the crew, numbering eleven, who were in the conning tower. The submarine was then abandoned. The crew, including the wireless operator, were taken aboard, while six swam about in the water. The submarine disappeared, and the men from the Nicolson boarded the Baralong. Captain shock hands with the Nicolson crew, and according to Curran, was highly disgusted with the conduct of the encounter. He then ordered his own men along the rail, and according to Curran, directed them to shoot the German sailors clinging to the Nicolson's rigging. Some of the men started firing, and all of the six men in the water were killed in cold blood."

"The Baralong was made fast to the Nicolson, which was boarded by the British crew. Captain McBride of the Baralong ordered the British sailors in charge of a petty officer, take the command: 'God, them all; take no prisoners!'

"Curran tells of the killing of the Germans on board the Nicolson. The ship's carpenter, he was told, killed one with a revolver after he threw up his hands. One was killed in the engine room hatch as he was descending a ladder. The chief engineer, says Curran, boasted of having killed another. Curran says he saw the bodies of the slain, and there was great rejoicing among them. 'The steward of our ship opened a bottle of whiskey and presented it to the gunner and his friends,' Curran as-

TOWN TO HONOR MRS. GALT.

Wytheville, Va., Her Old Home, to
Send Wedding Gift to Her.

Special to The New York Times.

ROANOKE, Va., Oct. 17.—Citizens of Wytheville, Va., the childhood home of Mrs. Norman Galt, President Wilson's fiancée, are preparing to present to the couple on their marriage a suitable wedding present, which will be in the nature of a testimonial to her. The Galts are now in the city, and the citizens of Wytheville, school children and grown-ups, will be asked to contribute. Although Mrs. Galt has never returned to her childhood home since her marriage, in 1908, she is remembered by many of the residents there.

The following communication was received today from President Wilson, replying to a message of felicitation sent to him on behalf of Wytheville people by the Mayor:

My Dear Mayor: Thank you most warmly for your message of Oct. 8. You may be sure that I am exceedingly proud of the honor that a daughter of Wytheville has conferred upon me. Cordially and sincerely yours, WOODROW WILSON.

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ALLIED FORCES INVADE BULGARIA, DEFEAT ARMY AND CAPTURE STURMNTZA; MACKENSEN ASKS FOR MORE TROOPS

Greece Impressed by Allies' Balkan Plans,
and May Abandon Neutrality to Join Their Ranks

ATHENS, Oct. 17.—Apparently the energetic action of the Allies and the opening of actual hostilities between Bulgaria and Serbia is rapidly modifying the attitude of the Greek anti-war party.

There is credible authority for the statement that King Constantine is preparing to go to Saloniki in the near future, and it is said in circles usually well informed that Greece will abandon her attitude of neutrality as soon as the concentration of troops is completed and army arrangements perfected. The impression prevails here that Rumania also will soon ally herself with the Entente powers.

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tributing Syndicate and Promise
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Lee, Higginson & Co. have arranged with the Italian Government for a loan of \$25,000,000 in one-year notes bearing 6 per cent. interest, the proceeds to be used in the purchase of supplies and to stabilize Italian exchange. The banking firm is forming a syndicate to distribute the notes. A public offering will be made in a few days. A statement issued by the bankers yesterday said that valuable conversion privileges would accompany the notes.

The transaction grew out of the appointment of Lee, Higginson & Co. as special agents in this country for Italy. Dispatches from Rome three weeks ago told of the appointment, and it was reported shortly afterward that financing in behalf of the Italian Government would be undertaken as soon as terms could be arranged. It is understood that the amount originally contemplated was \$10,000,000, but that after this was tentatively agreed upon the bankers found other places of importance, doubt in order to prevent as far as possible the danger of damage or destruction from anti-aircraft guns.

"The darkening of the metropolitan area, together with the height at which the aircraft traveled; certainly prevented the enemy from discovering the exact position of the planes. As on the last occasion, the official report issued in Berlin proves the raiders to have been grossly in error in most cases as to where they were dropping their bombs, and if we can suppose that they had really some definite objects in mind, the chances of their hitting any one of the principal shopping areas were closed, places of entertainment were full, and the masses of the population were about their ordinary evening's pleasure or at business."

"As for the moral effect for which presumably the enemy was seeking—that was all to his disadvantage. The raid occurred at an hour when practically no one except children were in the streets, and though the shops in the principal shopping areas were closed, places of entertainment were full, and the masses of the population were about their ordinary evening's pleasure or at business."

"A very much larger number of people, therefore, were aware of the enemy's presence than the previous occasion. But the population of London, though hundreds of thousands heard the sound of bursting bombs and the guns, remained cool and free from panic. The official warnings to take shelter were better observed, and when the aircraft passed and the guns ceased firing, most of the people who had been watching the bombardment went quietly to bed, and were undisturbed by the second raid, which took place about midnight in another part of the London area."

"The theatres, from which the sounds of the firing and explosions could plainly be heard, were a commendable absence of panic. Altogether the imperturbability of the people of London would appear to offer a striking contrast to the behavior of the population on the occasion of the second raid, which took place recently about midnight in another part of the London area."

"Bomb Misses Big Crowd."

"When the results of the raid were examined next morning five distinct areas could be distinguished in which damage was done. The first of these is an area in which there is little or no residential property, some large buildings devoted to various kinds of business, and comparatively wide streets. In this area bombs were dropped containing high explosives, which in four cases fell upon the streets, and in the fifth upon the back premises of one large building thronged with people."

"One of the bombs, which apparently was of large size, penetrated the street into the subway containing gas and water mains, and in exploding, melted the gas pipes, setting alight a fire which, though slight in extent, lasted for several hours. The explosion of this bomb damaged the buildings round about considerably, and destroyed almost all the glass in the neighborhood. The damage to the buildings was of a serious nature. Those killed were either sitting in the front rooms of the buildings or were working or walking in the streets."

"The second area contains a large block of residential flats, some of which are occupied as offices. Like many other blocks of flats in London, this one has a stretch of garden behind the buildings, and one of the enemy's high explosive bombs fell in this garden close to the flats themselves. One or two rooms on the ground floor were totally wrecked, and on the first floor considerable damage was done. Another bomb fell on the top of one of

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GERMANS REPORT ADVANCES

Heights South of Belgrade
Are Stormed While Gallwitz
Pushes Along the Morava.

Sturmritza Taken by the Allies

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Monday, Oct. 18, 4:20 A. M.—A dispatch from Rome, just received by The Daily Chronicle, reports that the allied British, French, and Serbian forces have occupied Sturmritza, in Bulgaria, after having been attacked by 40,000 Bulgarians at Vilandovo, in Serbia, whom they defeated and pursued into Bulgaria.

"It is reported that Winston Churchill, who has long been itching to go to the fighting line, intends to join his regiment. In that case he would of course resign his office as Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster."

"Sir Edward Carson's position is peculiar. To the report of his resignation he himself gave an emphatic denial; but his absence from three successive Cabinet councils at a time of grave emergency remains unexplained. Another Cabinet council will be held today. Subjects of momentous importance must come under review at this meeting of Ministers. It had been generally assumed that the question of compulsory military service would be left in abeyance until Lord Derby had completed his task of chief clerk."

"The, however, is not the intention of some members of the Cabinet. They intend, it appears, to attempt to force a decision now in favor, not of immediate, but of ultimate compulsion. Doubtless the conscriptionists feel sincerely that compulsion is necessary to win the war, but the volunteers, who are still in a majority in the Cabinet, are equally convinced that the abandonment of our present system, before it has been tried to the utmost, would not strengthen, but weaken our arms."

"The truth is that, though there is urgent need for a larger flow of recruits, men are still coming in enough to supply all the requirements of our present armies in the field, but Lord Kitchener, as in duty bound, looks ahead, and in order to maintain in the field for the whole of next year the seventy divisions which the War Secretary has decided to raise, he is urged to need for a larger flow of recruits, men are still coming in enough to supply all the requirements of our present armies in the field, but Lord Kitchener, as in duty bound, looks ahead, and in order to maintain in the field for the whole of next year the seventy divisions which the War Secretary has decided to raise, he is urged to need for a larger flow of recruits, men are still coming in enough to supply all the requirements of our present armies in the field, but Lord Kitchener, as in duty bound, looks ahead, and in order to maintain in the field for the whole of next year the seventy divisions which the War Secretary has decided to raise, he is urged to need for a larger flow of recruits, men are still coming in enough to supply all the requirements of our present armies in the field, but Lord Kitchener, as in duty bound, looks ahead

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CONSTITUTION HOLDS MEN RESPONSIBLE

Henry L. Stimson and F. C. Tanner Discuss Proposals in a Debate.

JOHN J. O'CONNELL'S REPLY

Admits State's Need of a Budget System, but Finds Flaws at Free Synagogue's Forum.

The fundamental principles on which the proposed new Constitution was built are those of responsibility and publicity in the management of the affairs of the State, according to Henry L. Stimson, ex-Secretary of War, and Frederick C. Tanner, Chairman of the Republican State Committee. Both were delegates to the Constitutional Convention, and they spoke last night at the Sunday Evening Forum of the Free Synagogue, 36 West Sixty-eighth Street.

"The first tenet of the Constitution," Mr. Stimson said, "is that in public business you can't get anywhere unless you can hold some known public officer responsible when things go wrong, and the second tenet is that you can't hold anyone responsible when things go wrong unless you give him adequate power to make things go right."

The building of the Constitution on these principles, Mr. Stimson said, transcended in importance any particular clause in the second tenet. The big thing, he said, was for the people of the State to put the principles into practice.

The speaker then undertook to show that that part of the Constitution with which he had most to do in the convention, the sections dealing with State finance, conformed to the principles laid down.

"At present," he said, "we have 152 executive boards, commissions, and bureaus who spend the State's money. The head of each of these agencies sends in an estimate of what money he will need to the controller, who submits the 152 estimates to the Legislature. Naturally, each bureau head wants all he can get, so the Legislature generally finds the mass of estimates of no use to it, and in the last confused moment of the session jams through an appropriation bill drawn in committee behind closed doors. The result is an ineffectual, uneconomical, extravagant expenditure of the people's money."

"Under the provisions of the proposed constitution, the 152 divisions of the executive branch of the Government are reduced to seventeen great departments, the heads of which are appointed by the Governor. Each of these departments heads up a committee for his department and presents it to the Governor, who makes up a State budget from the estimates. The Governor's budget then goes to the Legislature, which may pass it or reduce it, but not, with a few exceptions, increase it. Thus, it is the Governor's budget. He has to ask for what money he needs to that if any of the State's money is wasted he is responsible, and the people can make him feel his responsibility."

Mr. Stimson outlined the provision of the Constitution providing for serial bonds by which any administrative borrowing money will be forced to begin the repayment of the money in the following year instead of pushing payment along to a succeeding administration. Mr. Tanner spoke on the reorganization of the executive branch of the Government and dwelt upon the unnecessary expense incident to the operation of 152 departments, each headed by a high-salaried chief, each occupying a staff of officers, each with a payroll of clerks and secretaries, and each overlapping another in function. He intimated the establishment of only seventeen departments as a step to reduce expense and increase efficiency. He said it was impossible for the Governor to keep his oath to take care that the laws of the State were carried out when he had the complicated machinery of the present system.

"If you defend this Constitution," Mr. Tanner said, "it is not that part of the oath."

Mr. Tanner defended the appointment of the heads of departments by the Governor as effecting the short ballot. He said that the people, for example, had little to say about the election of a Secretary of State, as the political bosses could run any man on the ticket they desired.

"But the people do have something to say about choosing their Governor, and, because public attention is focused on the nominee for this office, the people can force the bosses to nominate the man they want. Then they can hold this man responsible. Do you suppose, for example, that the machine wanted to nominate Governor Hughes for the second time? It did not, but the people forced the nomination."

John J. O'Connell, New York County Chairman of the Progressive Party, spoke against the adoption of the Constitution. He said that it brought about a concentration of power, but not a concentration of responsibility. He admitted the need of a budget system, but said the one proposed was dangerous. He attacked the idea of permitting the Governor to appoint State Senators and Assemblymen to executive offices while they remained legislators; he criticized the apportionment article, and he said that the main

ing of the Public Service Commission a constitutional body also precluded obtaining home rule for the city.

Mr. Stimson replied to Mr. O'Connell. He reiterated his defense of the budget system; he asserted that no harm could come of the appointment of legislators to executive positions, as the appointments must be made largely on the ground that the unit of New York City should never control the diversified units of the State at large; and he said that in making the Public Service Commission a constitutional body the convention had merely made Governor Hughes's greatest reform permanent and had taken the commission out of politics. The jurisdiction of the commission, he said, was subject to change by the Legislature, which could give local New York bodies what powers it pleased.

NO SPIRIT OF PARTISANSHIP.

Senator Mills Says Constitution Is Work of Men with Ideals.

Senator Ogden L. Mills, urging approval of the proposed new Constitution, at the public forum in the Church of the Ascension last night, said that many of its opponents were men who feared to see the law enforced, and other objections were largely of the class who were disgruntled because their own pet theories or ideas were not substituted for wiser provisions.

"To my mind the new Constitution represents the greatest step forward in self-government that has been offered to the people since the creation of the present Constitution," said he. "It represents the best thought and the labor of a group of men who brought to the work the best ideals in government without a spirit of partisanship."

"One example alone of the many advantages it contains for the people is sufficient to entitle it to general public approval, the replacing of the present irresponsible form of government with direct and personal responsibility to the Governor, by merging the work of 152 separate, scandal-making bureaus, departments, and commissions into a group of seventeen efficient and economical departments."

"It provides for absolute home-rule by leaving matters of local concern to be adjusted at home, allowing the legislature to perform its proper function of attending to the welfare of the State in general. During the last term of the Legislature it was taken up on one occasion by the question as to whether a certain Sheriff should be permitted to buy a cow or purchase his milk."

CITIZENS' UNION VOTES "YES."

Issues a Pamphlet Explaining Constitution's Merits.

The Citizens' Union has prepared for distribution this week among voters throughout the State a printed list of the important changes made in the proposed new Constitution to be voted on Nov. 2. The Union says:

"In our judgment the adoption of this proposed Constitution will accomplish more for the State of New York than can be hoped for in the next generation if it should be defeated.

"In a special note the Union comments on the criticism by Judge Cullen, saying:

"There has appeared some criticism of the failure of the convention to provide for the supremacy of the civil over the military tribunals. There never was any such provision in the Constitution, and it has never been suggested that the convention is desired by the people there is no reason in the world why it can not hereafter be adopted. The failure of the convention to adopt it affords no warrant for refusing to vote for a Constitution admirable in other respects."

FORESTS ARE WELL PROTECTED

Adirondacks Association Praises Conservation Article.

The conservation article in the new Constitution, which has received comparatively little discussion in this city since the adjournment of the Constitutional Convention, is heartily endorsed in a resolution that has been adopted by the trustees of the Association for the Protection of the Adirondacks, which has its headquarters in this city. John G. Agar is President of the association. The announcement sent out by the trustees yesterday says:

"The association believes that the proposed Conservation Commission of nine members, one from each judicial district of the State, serving without compensation and for long terms, with the powers given in the amendment, promotes a disinterested administration whose recommendations will be received without suspicion of sinister motives and will be carried into practice without fear of consequences. The amendment will take from the Legislature much of its power to interfere with the management of the forests, fish, game, and other natural resources; and it is felt that a commission like the one contemplated, free from such interference, with continuous service, will have an opportunity to study deliberately the problems involved and to formulate plans for development which will be for the best interests of the State. The commission will have ample power to protect faithful employees from political interference."

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AIMS ATTACK AT JINGOES

Speaker, in Church Here, Emphasizes "Recent" Conversion of Mr. Wilson to Suffrage.

William Jennings Bryan attacked the movement for preparedness, but did not say anything which indicated that the Wilson Administration was identified with the movement, in his address last night at the Grace Methodist Church in West 104th Street, of which the Rev. Christian F. Reiser, a faithful friend of Mr. Bryan since 1896, is pastor. The crowd was too big for the church and an overflow meeting was held in the basement. While Mr. Bryan was making a short preliminary talk in the basement, Dr. Reiser won applause by saying in a confidential tone:

"It is my firm belief that this country would now be at war except for some men who are not more than a thousand miles from here."

Dr. Reiser called to the pulpit Samuel Untermyer, who spoke briefly, describing Mr. Bryan as a great statesman, loyal citizen and patriot of the nation. When Mr. Bryan himself appeared the audience rose and gave what Dr. Reiser described as the "Grace Methodist Church" salute, the hand being waved, but with no handkerchief in it.

Dr. Bryan supplemented his plan for keeping the country out of war by peace treaties with one feature. He urged that if the year of deliberation and investigation required by the Bryan arbitration treaties failed to settle any international issue satisfactorily, and there was still talk of war, the question of war or peace should be voted upon by the entire nation.

"If there is any question on which we ought to have a referendum," he said, "it is this, and I hope that, if such a case ever occurs, the women as well as the men have the vote."

Wilson a "Recent" Convert.

There was great applause, and Mr. Bryan, noticing that suffragists seemed to be active in the audience, made his only reference to President Wilson. He said, stressing the words "recently" and "convert."

"You have had a recent convert to the cause of woman suffrage. I see that the President has recently announced that he will vote for woman suffrage at the New Jersey election."

"I have believed that women should have the vote, but if there was only one question on which they could vote I

would say that that should be the question of peace or war."

Mr. Bryan condemned "propaganda," "prejudice," "intimidation," "fear," and "metropolitan editors." The propagandists for preparedness, he said, do not say from what direction a war is threatened, but they know the people of this country will never stand for the excessive burden of taxation that would be required, unless they are aware that there is some country for the United States to fear. So the jingoism bears false witness against their neighbors and points to Japan on the west and tell us the danger is there, or else they point out some nation of Europe as a likely assailant. But, when asked to show any reason why such an attack is a likely assailant, they have to take refuge in silence. I challenge any man to produce a single scrap of evidence that this country is in danger of attack from any of these nations.

Then, they have to say to the United States: "Beware the fate of Belgium." Now, how any normal man can say by any parallel between this country and Belgium, passes my comprehension. Belgium had a population of 7,000,000. Imaginary lines draw the boundaries about Belgium, while our frontiers would reach the Atlantic Ocean. Witness the difficulty that England has had in transporting an army of thirty miles across the English Channel, and see what a task it would be to invade the United States.

When Americans rely on Mr. Bryan repeated that if we should be challenged by some European power our reply should be a negative on the ground that we would not allow in bloody mire to conform to that nation's ideas of honor. If that nation was persistent and there was no escape from a war, Mr. Bryan said, "this country would not rely on jingoism. They would be too busy making army contracts."

Mr. Bryan said that it looked as if the United States' trouble with Germany was over, and that, if the case was not settled, he was in favor of postponing the settlement until the end of this war. He argued that there would not be much danger of war then, but added:

"If we do have war then, it will be our own war, and we can stay by it as long as we will and get out of it as soon as we will. The present is everybody's war, and if we get into it we could not get out until it was over, and God forbid that we should ever be mixed up in the rivalries, entanglements, and ambitions of Europe."

SPEED COSTS HER LICENSE.

Miss Katherine Dahlgren Barred from Bay State Roads.

LENOX, Mass., Oct. 17.—After investigating many complaints against Miss Katherine Dahlgren of New York, driver of a 110 horse power racing automobile, the State Highway Commission has suspended her license. She was three times in the Lee District Court on charges of speeding, operating her automobile in a dangerous manner, and driving the car with the muffler out. She was fined on two charges, the rest being filed.

Miss Dahlgren is a daughter of Mrs. Drexel Dahlgren. She is 20 years old, and has owned the racing automobile since Spring. Her dashes through the Brookhaves at high speed were the sensations of the early season, and led to complaints from citizens in many communities.

WRECK STOLEN AUTO; ONE KILLED, 6 HURT

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at both Twelfth Street and Fourteenth Avenue.

When the crash came Saltzman was thrown clear of the car and landed on the sidewalk. He was picked up unconscious and hurried to the City Hospital, where his condition was pronounced serious.

Clarence Kugusak of 431 South Tenth Street, who was on the rear seat of the motor cycle, threw himself off when he saw a collision was imminent, and he escaped unhurt. He was arrested, but later paroled to appear in court tomorrow morning.

FIVE HURT WHEN CAR UPSETS.

Chauffeur Host Faces Charge of Grand Larceny.

William Cochran, chauffeur for M. S. Scheinman, 1089 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, and four of his friends were injured yesterday morning when Mr. Scheinman's automobile overturned as they were turning from Highland Boulevard into the Vermont Street viaduct in Brooklyn. Cochran is at the Kings County Hospital suffering from concussion of the brain and a fractured jaw. He is also under arrest on a charge of grand larceny preferred by the police. The chauffeur had taken the car from the garage without permission.

According to the story told to the police, Cochran took the car at 8:30 in the morning and went on a "joy ride" with the four friends, James Croke of 20 Ninth Street, Edward Abrecht of 317 Avenue, Muesch, L. J. Arthur Smith of Brooklyn, and John Engelman of 2313 Tenth Street. Croke's tip was injured when the automobile turned over, but the other three escaped with bruises and a shaking up. The car was battered.

GIRL THROWN FROM AUTO.

Keeps Dinner Engagement After Riverside Drive Accident.

Miss Violet Gould, 18 years old, daughter of Joseph J. Gould of 315 West Ninety-ninth Street, was thrown from an automobile owned and operated by Thomas Lenane of 18 West Eighty-second Street, last night.

Miss Gould, accompanied by her sister, Miss Flora Gould, was in Lenane's car going down Riverside Drive. Lenane swerved suddenly to avoid running down a pedestrian, and Miss Violet Gould, who occupied the seat over the running board, was thrown into the street. Dr. Steele of the Knickerbocker Hospital found that she had suffered lacerations of the arm. She was able to keep her dinner engagement at the Hotel Ansonia.

THREE HURT IN AUTO CRASH.

Frederick Ruppert Wrecks Two Cars and is Fined \$60.

Three men were injured in an automobile collision at St. Nicholas Avenue and 18th Street early yesterday morning. They were in a car going north which ran into an empty car belonging to Charles D. Schweser of 484 East 184th Street. Both cars were badly smashed.

Frederick Ruppert, of 602 West 180th Street, was driving the car, which belonged to Pickers Brothers of 315 West 125th Street. With him were George O'Brien, a clerk, of 742 St. Nicholas

WANT BIG JOBS COMPETITIVE

Civil Service Reform Association Praises Commission's Work.

The Civil Service Reform Association, at 79 Wall Street, concluding from investigations made by its representatives that recent improvements in the examining methods of the Municipal Civil Service Commission have resulted in showing the practicability of competition for higher city offices, has written to the commission commending its work and suggesting that further development of the new form of examinations will tend to benefit the city by attracting more superior men to the service of the municipality. The letter to the commission says in part:

"It has been well said that the only way to make the merit system truly effective is to extend it to the city's expert service. So long as it is confined to subordinate positions, experience has shown that it produces only a partial elimination of the evils of the spoils system. The present administration of the civil service law in New York City has gone far to extend the scope of the merit system."

All factors lead to one conclusion, namely, that the experience of New York in the last eight or nine months is a practical demonstration of the practicability of competition for high administration offices. It can properly be said that your record is a more forceful demonstration than has ever before been made in any other jurisdiction."

Becher Memorial Service.

Memorial services were held last night at Plymouth Church for Henry Ward Beecher and in the interest of Talladega College, at Talladega, Ala., which was founded in 1857 for negroes. It was in Plymouth Church that Henry Ward Beecher preached his famous sermons against slavery. The Rev. S. Parkes Cadman and Dr. Lucien B. Warner delivered addresses. George W. Crawford of New Haven, and the Rev. A. W. Miller, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, both guests in Talladega College, also spoke and appealed for funds for the institution. The Flisk Jubilee Singers sang in English, Tennessee, provided the musical program.

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CUP FOR MISS WAGNER.
State Tennis Champion Closes Season with Another Victory.

Playing in her best form, Miss M. Wagner, the State tennis champion yesterday closed the season with a victory, when, with A. J. Ostendorf as partner, she won the mixed doubles event at the Bedford Park Lawn Tennis Club invitation tournament, defeating the final round Mrs. A. Humphries

Dr. W. Waite in straight sets at 6-1. Miss Wagner has had one of the most successful seasons in her career and has captured many trophies during the season, but she has seldom shown better form than in the tourney that closed yesterday.

Mrs. Percy Wilbourn, who managed the affair, succeeded in securing one of the best entry lists of the season, and the final round of play was maintained throughout the day. In the final round Miss Wagner and Mr. Osterhout defeated Miss Carona Winn and Charles W. Bull, Jr. of the Crescent Athletic Club, in straight sets.

Senior:
 The annual Fall Tennis Club Invitational, M. J. Doubles—Second Round—Miss Abbott, M. J. Henson and Charles M. Bull, Jr. defeated Mrs. J. C. Gotsch and J. C. Gotsch, 6-3, 6-2.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ingo Hartman, defeated Mrs. J. C. Gotsch and J. C. Gotsch, 6-3, 6-2.
 Semi-Final Round—Miss Marie Wagner and J. C. Gotsch defeated Miss Marie Abbott and J. C. Gotsch, 6-3, 6-2.
 Final Round—Miss Marie Wagner and J. C. Gotsch defeated Mrs. A. Humphreys and Dr. W. W. White, 6-3, 6-2.
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Junior:
 Final Round—Miss Marie Wagner and J. C. Gotsch defeated Mrs. A. Humphreys and Dr. W. W. White 6-0, 8-1.

Real Estate Tennis Tournament
 The annual Fall tennis tournament at the Real Estate Board of New York will be held on the West Side Tennis Club grounds, 100 W. 27, starting on September 10 at 10 A. M. The events will be 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. The events will be 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. The events will be 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. The events will be 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. The events will be 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. The events will be 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. The events will be 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. The events will be 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. The events will be 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. The events will be 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. The events will be 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. The events will be 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. The events will be 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62,

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The stock market has not regained the buoyancy which it lost more than ten days ago. It will be recalled that the speculation in the industrial market had been speeded up to such a point at that time that prominent financial interests took counsel among themselves as to whether such a movement was tending, with the result that they could not carry stocks which had had such phenomenal rises except as they were able to put up ample security to protect banks against a serious reaction. That check was followed by a spirited upturn in the railroad issues, which previous to that had hardly participated in any of the advantages of a bull-market. The reaction in the industrial issues was severe while it lasted, but it did not last long, and the subsequent recovery was probably too fast for the market's welfare. At any rate, the market entered the past week with its momentum considerably reduced, and while many issues made up their losses and even forged on to new high records, the list, as a whole, did little more than mark time in the six trading days. It was a matter for satisfaction to the more conservative element in Wall Street that the volume of dealings was greatly contracted in the week.

Market predictions are generally worth little because they cannot take account of some of the most vital points which influence prices, but it does not appear that the present bull movement has run its course. It may well be that the highest prices seen in some of the issues will not be reached again, and it may be that from now on trading will be under better control, but the fundamental conditions on which the advance was based have not changed materially. It would be a sign of health if the markets should turn aside from some of the war-order specialties which have figured so largely in the public's participation and show more interest in standard railroad issues, which ought to be in a much better position now than they were six months back. A one-sided market, where investors and speculators are practically all interested in the industrial or in the railroads to the exclusion of the industrial, is a dangerous market, owing to the likelihood of a sudden readjustment of relative values. Offhand, it cannot be said that the industrial is now selling too high, or the railroads too low, but the advance in many of the former has undoubtedly anticipated all the improvement that can come for months ahead, while certain of the railroads have been victims of a neglect that seems in a fair way to be remedied. The past week saw a certain amount of readjustment in prices of the mysterious war stocks, and this served as a warning against the continuation of unintelligent speculation. Too many traders have strained their resources to carry high priced war issues without first assuring themselves that the prices are justified by the business outlook.

The stock market always runs ahead of favorable developments that it is able to foresee, and it was not surprising to find that the completion of the Anglo-French loan negotiations exerted no helpful effect upon prices. Shrewd investors knew that the dispatch of the commission to this country for the purpose of borrowing money was assurance that a large credit would be arranged. An interesting possibility was opened following the completion of the big loan when many of the same bankers who had worked out the details of the bond offering with Sir Edward Holden the matter of arranging additional commercial credits which would be more directly for the benefit of ordinary trade as distinguished from that due to the war. This supplementary credit is likewise assured by the fact that bankers on both sides of the water recognize the need for it. It is not likely to take the form of another security offering, and it will probably not be arranged by Government authorities. American bankers favor the establishment of banking credits here as a means for taking between \$200,000,000 and \$300,000,000 in bills out of the sterling exchange market.

It was so recently that we were hearing complaints from railroads serving practically all parts of the country that business was too depressed to warrant further investment of capital in transportation facilities that it was something of a shock to hear last week that some of the carriers are becoming embarrassed for lack of rolling stock. Such news from the New Haven offices was particularly surprising, in view of the fact that industry in New England had been seriously hurt in the early months of the war. The fact is, of course, that it has been very difficult for even the better railroads to raise money in the sums that they would like to have had for the purpose of laying more track and buying additional equipment. Rather their worries have arisen from the necessity for cutting down operations in so far as possible to meet losses in their gross revenues. A real period of prosperity would find itself months ahead of the railroads. Already a movement of the record crop in the Northwest is beginning to embarrass carriers which have not bought their normal quota of cars, and the demand for equipment from the agricultural sections comes at the same time that the steel and manufacturing sections in the East are running into a well-earned period of business. The situation of the railroads is not as comfortable as it might be, for with more than one-sixth of the country's total mileage in receivership the public has grown wary of railroad ex-

cesses. Yet new financing must be done to equip the railroads for industrial and agricultural prosperity, and a period of increasing, instead of decreasing, net earnings would do much to restore railroad bonds to popular favor.

Money remains remarkably easy, despite the reports of greater business activity and the heavy drain on New York in connection with the initial payment on the \$500,000,000 loan. Commercial paper remains in large supply, with the rates of discount easy at the figures established some time ago. Money is still a drug, not even the great period of activity in the market having succeeded in calling into use the large reserves built up in the period of contraction. Business reports from all parts of the country continue to be encouraging, and even without the great help of orders emanating directly from war needs the volume of trade would make a fairly satisfactory showing today. Certainly, in view of the unfavorable possibilities that confronted this country just a year ago, when the emergency methods were being taken to preserve the credit of New York City abroad, there is cause for congratulation over the extent of the recovery brought about in such a short time and against the handicap of demoralization in Europe.

Railroad reports for the year ended June 30, which are still coming to hand, are most satisfactory in the promise that they hold out for the future than for the showing made in a period of depression. The Great Northern, which had been piling up larger and larger earnings each year with the development of the Northwest, had a setback in 1914-1915, which cost the road a decrease of close to \$10,000,000 in its gross earnings, a shrinkage of 12.6 per cent. Such a loss in revenues made it necessary to economize at every possible point, a policy which the company adopted with such success that nearly \$11,000,000 was taken from operating expenses. A decrease of 23 per cent. in operating costs is encouraging as showing what a railroad can do when forced to trim its expenditures, but it is not a feat that can be repeated except as years of liberal outlays intervene during which rents in the property can be mined.

GOOD TONE IN LONDON.

Money Market Continues Easy—Discussing Future Plans. Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Oct. 17.—The payment of an installment of 10 per cent. on the war loan on Tuesday, estimated at \$30,000,000, made slight difference to the monetary situation, and the market continues easy. Supplies of loanable funds have been increased through large government disbursements for war purposes, and the repayment of Treasury bills, including \$15,000,000 yesterday. The Exchequer balance of Saturday, a week ago, was only £22,500,000, which directed increased attention to the question of further Government borrowing, but no information is yet available as to the method likely to be followed. No change has occurred in the opinion that a long-term loan has been postponed until early next year, when the whole field of Government finance must be surveyed afresh.

Meanwhile, E. S. Montague, Financial Secretary of the Treasury, suggests that the country must contribute by taxation or investment, 50 per cent. of its income. Exchequer bond issues running from two to five years are favored in conservative quarters, with dependence also on Treasury bill sales. It is suggested that instead of raising the rate on Treasury bills, which would work to increase the cost of Exchequer bonds, bankers' money should be made available at 4 per cent. in the form of Treasury bills that have been artificially maintained. This possibility and a small supply of mercantile bills made discounts which the effective rate being 4½ per cent. The finance bill was issued on Tuesday, giving the Government's proposals in greater detail than before. Sales of government securities in the profits tax of 50 per cent. on earnings of corporations in excess of the level prevailing before the war began. The provision has been accepted by the public with the exception of minor details. The Anglo-French Commission on the House of Commons on Tuesday under some criticism and the presentation of misleading comparisons which were sharply criticized by leading organs of the press. Reports from New York of further arrangements being contemplated for the assistance of exchange rates is believed to indicate additional credits.

The visit of the Canadian Minister of Finance to New York to confer with the Anglo-French Commission on sterling exchange transactions with Canada, aroused much interest. The great advantage of preparing plans well ahead of possible requirements is well recognized here.

Stocks were active early in the week with a good tone, closing with trading dull, partly because of uneasiness over the Balkan situation. Although the Foreign Secretary's statement Thursday added little to existing information, the recognition of Caranava caused sharp advance in some Mexican issues.

PARIS MARKET STEADY.

Demand for Mexican Issues Follows Recognition of Caranza. Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. PARIS, Oct. 17.—The week's feature in the security markets was a strong demand for Mexican issues, following the recognition of Caranza, and the continued rise of Spanish railroad shares. Russian industrial issues played a fair degree of improvement, and shares of the Bank of France were firm. Copper stocks were subjected to realizing sales toward the end of the week, but the market closed steady, influenced by internal political developments. Rates left off at 92.50. The fortnightly carryover was arranged in satisfactory fashion, the average rate being 4 per cent. No further developments in war finance occurred, and exchange rates were firm during the week, sterling being quoted at 27.50 in London, while the New York cable rate at 8.87. The indirect taxes for September showed an increase of 100,000,000 francs compared with that month a year ago.

\$1,500,000 Gold from England. The American liner Philadelphia, which arrived yesterday from Liverpool, brought nearly \$1,500,000 in gold consigned to various New York banks. Among her passengers was A. C. Kirk, an Assistant Secretary of the United States Embassy at Berlin, who left for Washington in the afternoon. He said that when he left Berlin Ambassador Gerard was going into the country for a short vacation.

BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

WEEK ENDED OCT. 16, 1915.

Total sales	Last Week	Year to Date
\$21,880,000	\$658,112,200	425,061,100
Same period last year	High	Low
Average price 40 bonds	84.04	83.69
Same period last year	High	Low
	84.48	81.51
	89.42	82.73

High	Low	Last	Sales	High	Low	Last	Sales
Adams Express 4s. 1917	100	100	100	Mo. K. & T. ref. 4s. 1917	95	95	95
Am. Ag. 4s. 1917	100	100	100	Mo. Pacific 1st 4s. 1917	95	95	95
Am. Ag. 4s. 1917	100	100	100	Mo. Pacific 2nd 4s. 1917	95	95	95
Am. Ag. 4s. 1917	100	100	100	Mo. Pacific 3rd 4s. 1917	95	95	95
Am. Ag. 4s. 1917	100	100	100	Mo. Pacific 4th 4s. 1917	95	95	95
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Am. Ag. 4s. 1917	100	100	100	Mo. Pacific 6th 4s. 1917	95	95	95
Am. Ag. 4s. 1917	100	100	100	Mo. Pacific 7th 4s. 1917	95	95	95
Am. Ag. 4s. 1917	100	100	100	Mo. Pacific 8th 4s. 1917	95	95	95
Am. Ag. 4s. 1917	100	100	100	Mo. Pacific 9th 4s. 1917	95	95	95
Am. Ag. 4s. 1917	100	100	100	Mo. Pacific 10th 4s. 1917	95	95	95
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Commerce Commission and the
State Legislatures Expected
to Take Action.

The successive announcements in the
last six months of receiverships for
three railroad systems which operate
extensively in the Southwest have
commanded the attention of many rail-
road men and bankers in this section
of the country. It is expected that
some frank suggestions will be made to
the Interstate Commerce Commission
by prominent bankers, and through the
commission, to the Legislatures of the
Southwestern States.

Statistics in the current Railway Age
Gazette show that 66 per cent., or nearly
28,000, of the 42,000 miles of railroad
in receivership in this country is in the
Southwest belt. One-sixth of the
entire railroad mileage of the country is
in receivership, and 66 per cent. of this
mileage lies in Texas, Mississippi, Ar-
kansas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Missouri,
and a few neighboring States.

The receiverships for the Chicago,
Rock Island & Pacific, the Missouri Pa-
cific and the Missouri, Kansas & Texas
have strengthened the opinion of those
who contend that it is impossible for
any road to meet the conditions of the
Southwest and make a successful show-
ing.

Prior to Jan. 1, according to the sta-
tistics presented by the Gazette, sixty-
nine roads, with a total mileage of 22,
088 were in receivership. These in-
cluded such large roads as the Chicago &
Eastern Illinois, the Cincinnati, Ham-
ilton & Dayton, the International &
Great Northern, the Pere Marquette,
the St. Louis & San Francisco, and the
Wabash, each operating more than 1,000
miles. Twelve additional roads went
into receivership Jan. 1, and the total
combined mileage is 20,940, practically the same as that of the
sixty-nine roads that collapsed before.

After the beginning of the year, there-
fore, when the general business de-
pression began to be more generally felt,
the time was exceptionally unfortunate for
receiverships. The Gazette says:

"It will be noted that the roads of
any consequence that are in receivers-
hips are not at all located in part in
the Southwest, and the Western Pa-
cific, operating 948 miles, the Colorado
Midland, operating 383 miles, the Geo-
graphical, operating 350 miles, and the
Algonquin Central & Hudson Bay, oper-
ating 352 miles.

The roads in the hands of receivers in
the Southwest have been the victims
of pernicious legislation, and they all
have too large a proportion of their
capital securities in the form of
bonds or fixed interest-bearing notes.
The southwestern States have indulged
in railway regulation to a greater ex-
tent than any other three States in the
Union. It is unwise to double-head a
freight train in Texas, so as to obtain
the economic benefit of the State regu-
lation. This one instance of State regu-
lation, but it is mentioned as a sample of
the length to which the States have gone
in attempting to cripple the
earning power of their railroads.

If the Southwest had been experi-
encing a long period of business de-
pression, if there had been crop failures,
if a city like San Antonio had been
hit and had gone flat and this had been
characteristic of other cities throughout
this region, prices for agricultural
products had been abnormally low, we
might assign any one of these as a
prime cause of the receiverships. But
the road mileage in the hands of receivers
in the Southwest; but no one of these
conditions has been the cause of the
receiverships. The Southwest has been
on in a state of stagnation; prices for
agricultural products have been low and
steady, with the exception, of course,
of cotton; the railroad business is the
only business, barring lumber, that
has gone from bad to worse in the
Southwest.

Is it any wonder, therefore, that
bankers are reluctant to put new capital
into the railroads of this section of the
country?

WEEK'S PRODUCE MARKETS.

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Witness my hand and the seal of the Treasury Department at Washington, D. C., this 15th day of November, 1915.

ALLEN BUTLER,
Secretary of the Treasury.

WILLIAM V. KING,
Comptroller of the Treasury.

JOHN T. TIMPSON,
Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

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DIVIDENDS.

THE PEOPLES GAS LIGHT
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Notice is hereby given that a dividend of Two Per Cent. being the quarterly dividend at the rate of Eight Per Cent. per annum has been declared on the capital stock of the company, payable November 25th. 1915, to the stockholders of record at the close of business on Nov. 2nd, 1915.
Chicago, October 14th, 1915.
S. WING, Secretary.

OFFICE OF READING COMPANY
Philadelphia, October 19, 1915.
The Board of Directors has declared a dividend of Two Per Cent. on the common stock of the company, to be paid on November 11, 1915, to the stockholders of record at the close of business, October 28, 1915. Checks will be sent to the stockholders of record at the close of business, October 28, 1915. Checks will be sent to the stockholders of record at the close of business, October 28, 1915. Checks will be sent to the stockholders of record at the close of business, October 28, 1915.

THE AMERICAN GAS COMPANY
Went Washington Square,
Philadelphia.
A quarterly dividend of 2% (for \$2.00
share) has been declared on the
stock of this corporation for the
quarter ending September 30, 1915. To
the stockholders of record at
the close of P. M., November 12th, 1915,
will be mailed, J. S. TOWNSEND, Secy.

**WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC
& MANUFACTURING COMPANY**
A dividend of one and one-half per cent
on the common stock of this corporation
for the quarter ending Sept. 30, 1915, will be
paid on Nov. 15, 1915, to the stockholders
of record on Sept. 30, 1915.
H. D. RHODE, Treasurer.
New York, Sept. 22, 1915.

PACIFIC BANK.
470 Broadway, New York, Oct. 15th, 1915.
The Board of Directors of this bank has
declared the regular quarterly dividend of
2% on the common stock of this bank to
the stockholders of record of Oct. 13, 1915.
Transfer books will be closed on November
1st, 1915.

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 Nightly at 10:30 (Ex. Sun.)
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Best New York City Hotels at
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DEFENSE SYSTEM TO COST A BILLION

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BIGGER FORTS FOR NEW YORK

Great Reserve Store of Arms
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PRESIDENT PLANS APPEAL

Coming to Manhattan Club to Speak
and Submit His Ideas to
the Nation.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—A national defense program that probably means an expenditure on the army and navy of upward of a billion dollars in the next six years will be laid before the people by President Wilson on Nov. 4, when he goes to New York to make his first public address since the scope of the policy upon which his Administration has embarked became known. He will speak before the Manhattan Club of New York on national defense and the reasons which have impelled him to approve plans to almost double the navy and quadruple the trained fighting forces ashore within a few years.

With the estimates of the War and Navy Departments submitted for the coming year, the breadth of the Administration's policy as to "preparedness" is being realized. It shapes up in totals as follows:

Navy—For new ships and increased personnel in 1916, \$40,000,000.
Army—For reserve material (arms and ammunition) within four years, \$10,000,000.
For new coast defenses and modernization of old forts within four years, \$8,000,000.
For the new continental army and the proposed increase in the regular army, \$20,000,000.
The grand total expenditure thus actually planned would be \$88,000,000.

An Impregnable Defense.
According to plans laid out by experts of the Navy and War Departments, these expenditures would produce by 1925 a first line of dreadnoughts and battle cruisers numbering 43; a fleet of coast defense submarines that would fringe the Atlantic and Pacific Coasts with an almost solid line of interior defense against attack; a fleet of nearly 170 destroyers, and squadrons of huge sea-going fleet submarines to operate with the battle squadrons at great distance from shore.

For the army there would be at the end of six years a trained force of 1,200,000 men, including a regular army of 140,000, and the proposed continental army and reserve, a ring of fully trained coast defense troops, and the largest and most powerful gun yet built, and a vast reserve of field guns, machine guns, howitzers, and big-gun ammunition.

In addition, the enormously increased capacity of private munition plants would give advance preparation for supplies of small arms and field gun ammunition.

Neither the War nor Navy Department estimate for the coming year has been made public as yet in detail. It was learned today, however, that of the \$72,000,000 increase over last year's bill to be asked by the War Department, \$46,000,000 would go toward reserve material and coast defense works, the remaining \$26,000,000 to be used in building up the new army, regular and continental. Part of this \$46,000,000 would be used for building and arming the new forts to guard the entrance to Chesapeake Bay.

More Forts for New York.
It is proposed to spend more of the money in building new forts to guard New York, San Francisco, and other great harbors from attack. Gigantic 14-inch rifles mounted in all these defenses of the first class, and more powerful craft with modern guns, would be dangerous from great distance.

Another expenditure contemplated is for fitting the present 12 and 14 inch rifles with carriages that will give them greater range. Much already has been accomplished in that line, and work will be carried on until every fort is modernized. No 16-inch rifles will be installed in places of smaller guns, however, it is said, because to make all the changes in magazines, hoists, machinery, and the like would be more expensive and less satisfactory than to build new emplacements for these huge weapons.

Aside from the awards made today, the navy has still to award contracts for the major portion of the building program authorized by the last Congress. Contracts will be next month for four fast submarine bigger, faster, and more powerful than any submarine craft ever designed. The Schley, now building, will displace a thousand tons and make twenty knots on the surface. The new boats will displace 1,200 tons and make twenty-five knots. Next month also contracts will be let for two 32,000-ton superdreadnoughts, ships which will carry a round dozen 14-inch rifles each and which will have new protection against submarine attack, the nature of which is being closely guarded.

Four Big Ships Next Year.
Of the \$88,000,000 increase to be asked for the navy next year, the bulk will go into four big ships, two superdreadnoughts and two superbattle cruisers. They would be the first of the sixteen capital ships to be laid down within five

SERBIA APPEALS TO THE UNITED STATES

Accuses German Troops of Ex-terminating the Civil Popu-lation of the Country.

PARIS, Tuesday, Oct. 19.—A special dispatch from Bucharest, Rumania, says:
"The Serbian Minister has handed to the American Minister a protest against the extermination of the civil population by the German troops, which will be forwarded to Washington."

GREY ASKS OUR AID ABOUT MISS CAVELL

Requests Investigation of the
Execution of Englishwoman
at Brussels.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—The Foreign Secretary, Sir Edward Grey, has requested the American Government to investigate the circumstances which attended the execution of Miss Edith Cavell, a British nurse in Brussels.

WILL TAKE NO ACTION IN BARALONG INCIDENT

Government Sees No Violation of
Law in Use of Our Flag by
British Vessel.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—The State Department does not contemplate any action on the affidavits filed by the German Embassy charging that marines and sailors of the British patrol boat Baralong killed the commander of a German submarine.

Officials pointed out today that the case did not differ from many others filed by belligerent Governments charging violations of military law and atrocities. The American Government has merely filed all such protests.

Officials foresee, however, that if such incidents become a general practice they may possibly affect the submarine controversy between the United States and Germany. They fear that if British ships generally attack German submarines, interfering with the attempts of the latter to visit and search, the submarine may resume its practice of torpedoing without warning.

The use of the American flag by the British patrol boat is regarded as a ruse in keeping with the naval practice of previous wars, and used by the United States as well as other nations. The only requirement is that a vessel must show her true colors before opening fire.

PLANS ARMENIAN CORPS TO FIGHT FOR THE ALLIES

Russian Officer Proposes to Obtain
Recruits in Many Countries,
Including America.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—A dispatch to Reuters' Telegram Company from Petrograd says:
"Captain Torcom is planning to raise volunteer corps from the Armenians now residing in the Balkans, Egypt, Italy, France, Great Britain, and the United States to fight in the ranks of the Allies against Turkey."

In an appeal which he made in view of the Turkish attack on Armenia, Captain Torcom says that the Armenians have been unable to prevent the massacre of Armenians in Armenia by the Turks, but that those living in other countries can help fight Turkey by raising volunteer corps.

Mr. Torcom's plan provides for the formation of a maximum of thirty battalions and a minimum of ten battalions. Captain Torcom was wounded in the recent fighting in Galicia, but is now able to leave the hospital and is about to start for London to get his plan in operation.

HAIL ROOT BOOM FOR PRESIDENCY

Cheers at the Republican Club
Dinner Welcome the In-
formal Launching.

EX-SENATOR DEEPLY MOVED

Cannot Disregard the Call of
the People, He Is Told by
J. R. Sheffield.

Statesman Says Rehabilitation of
the Legislature Is the Chief
Feature of Revision.

Six hundred of the leading Republicans of New York State and many from other States, who gathered at the Republican Club dinner at Hotel Astor, which was considered to be the occasion of the informal launching of a boom for Elihu Root for President in 1916, stood and cheered when James R. Sheffield, President of the club, addressed Mr. Root and told him that he could not disregard the voice of the people when it called him.

Mr. Sheffield paraphrased the closing words from Mr. Root's speech at the Constitutional Convention in favor of the short ballot and urged on the former Senator his duty to bow to the will of the people in these words:

"Senator Root, there is a plain old house in the hills of Oneida, overlooking the beautiful Valley of the Mohawk, where truth and honor dwell in your youth. When you go back, as you will some day, to spend your declining years, you mean to go with a feeling that you say, 'I have not failed to act and to speak in accordance with the lessons that I learned there from the God of my fathers.'"

Those were the words you addressed to the little circle of your associates in the Convention of 1915, but their truth and nobility stirred the hearts of a nation and your fellow countrymen here do so elsewhere. You may as well understand that they understand that, in a Republic you have done so much to honor, and in a representative government you can no more disregard the voice of the people when it calls than you can disregard the will of the God of your fathers who have so nobly served.

Dr. Butler was again applauded when he turned on the subject of preparedness, and said:

"Lord Haldane told me that, when he first accepted a high position in the British Cabinet, the first thing he did was to get five volumes containing the reports made by Elihu Root when he was Secretary of War, and when he came to the subject of preparedness, he found volumes contained the last word on the subject of the military preparation for a democratic country."

While all of the speakers praised Mr. Root's public services in such a way that their desire to have him the Republican nominee for President in 1916 could hardly be mistaken, the frankness of these speakers was Job Hedges, who said in the course of his eulogy, addressing Mr. Root personally:

"There seems to be a general belief that you are the leader of the Republican Party. There seems to be a general belief that it is a good thing to be leader of it."

Mr. Root's Address.
In part Mr. Root's speech was as follows:

Mexican Bandits Wreck Texas Train; Kill Passengers, Including 3 U. S. Soldiers

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, Tuesday, Oct. 19.—A southbound passenger train on the St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico Railroad was wrecked last night six and a half miles from Brownsville, supposedly by Mexican bandits, and the engineer, several passengers, and three United States soldiers were reported killed by the bandits and in the wreck.

SUFFRAGE CAMPAIGN IS CARRIED TO POLLS

New Jersey Men Will Decide
Today Between Women
Divided in Opinion.

Both Sides Are Confident
Women in Newark in Continuous
Open-Air Mass Meeting Until
Polls Open This Morning.

Special to The New York Times.
TRENTON, N. J., Oct. 18.—With the women of three other Eastern States in which suffrage will be an issue at the November elections eagerly awaiting the result, the men of New Jersey at the special election tomorrow will vote on a Constitutional amendment which, if ratified, would make this State the twelfth to give women the ballot.

With the campaign coming to a whirlwind finish after one of the most remarkable fights women ever made for the right to vote, the leaders in the two suffrage organizations here in eleven-hour forecasts expressed themselves as confident of victory. The consensus among the women who are opposing the enfranchisement of their own sex and among the leaders of the political parties who control the election machinery is that woman suffrage will be defeated.

The election is being fought with particular interest by the suffrage and anti-suffrage forces in the nearby States of New York, Pennsylvania, and Massachusetts, which at the present moment are the battleground for woman suffrage, with the final test to come on Nov. 2. It may be taken for granted that the result of tomorrow's election will have a decided influence on the outcome of the suffrage fight in these States, and militant organizations of women on both sides of the conflict in the struggle here, which they regard as merely a preliminary combat in their own battle for the ballot.

The green, white, and purple and the blue, white, and blue banners of the two suffrage organizations were fluttered from hundreds of automobiles racing the highways and byways of the southern counties, carrying women enlisted in the suffrage war to the doors of the churches, where they established leaflets, and in some cases, a labor's point of view had proved a failure in Colorado were distributed to the men in their establishments when they left work tonight.

The workers of the New Jersey Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage, less in evidence, but it was asserted that they were doing effective eleven-hour work of men who were in the streets, and that they were organizing a campaign of picketing and boycotting by members. The anti-suffrage forces were also active in the streets.

In addition to the distribution of literature which was carried on by bands of workers from the suffrage and anti-suffrage forces, the women of the State, the Women's Political Union and the New Jersey Woman Suffrage Association, were active in addressing crowds in all the big cities of the State. One of the most picturesque of these was the continuous twenty-four-hour picket line in Newark, which began at 6 o'clock this morning and is scheduled to continue with a strong array of speakers until the polls open at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning.

This meeting is conducted from a converted lunch wagon, which is said to have been a part of the financial district in New York City until the crisis reached in the fight here made it necessary to move it to Newark. The crew to the New Jersey train. Drawn up near Military Square in Newark at 6 o'clock, the women of the State, who were in the city of New Jersey, it was the center of the suffrage campaign. One of the speakers tonight was Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch.

When daybreak will find us on the firing line," said Miss Taylor. "After the polls open, our case will be in the hands of the men of New Jersey and I think they will give us a square deal."

New Appeal to Politicians.
There was a new argument advanced from the suffrage platform in support of woman suffrage, and Miss Taylor was the exponent of it. She chose a moment when the van was surrounded by a crowd of men who were in the political type, and who listened to what she had to say with hard set faces and eyes that were fixed on her. One of the speakers tonight was Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch.

CARSON QUILTS THE ASQUITH CABINET; BRITAIN RECALLS GALLIPOLI GENERAL; ALLIES LAND AT ENOS, SEIZE RAILWAY

Serb Women and Children Join in Fighting Foe;
Army of 250,000 Women Forming, Says Chicago Serb

SERBS AT VRANYA SAVE RAILROAD AT DARDANELLES

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—John R. Palandech, a Serbian leader and editor, addressing Serbians here today, declared that an army of 250,000 Serbian women, equal in numbers to the entire Serbian regular army, would soon be on the firing line against the German and Austrian forces.

"After the evacuation the Serbians retired to the heights southward and southward, which also were strongly fortified. The contour of the country offered great difficulties, there being few roads. The Serbians made a stout resistance on the whole line, but suffered great losses under the bombardments of the German heavy artillery. Especially on the mountain of Vranovo did the enemy fight desperately, but finally, after long resistance, yielded this strong elevated position to one of the Brandenburg regiments."

The Lokal Anzeiger's correspondent, in describing the spirit of resistance shown by the Serbians, says they did not abandon the plateau behind the mountain after the Germans had won the important heights, but continued holding the ground, fighting under unfavorable conditions, until they were slowly pressed back.

Other correspondents also emphasize the bravery and persistence of the Serbians, who, they say, often hold positions until hand-to-hand encounters become necessary to force their abandonment.

The Lokal Anzeiger's correspondent says that at some places the civilian population, even women and children, are participating in the fighting.

MONRO TO COMMAND AT DARDANELLES

Gen. Sir Charles Carmichael Monro has been appointed to command the Dardanelles expedition, in succession to General Sir Ian Hamilton, who is returning to England to make a report. This announcement is made by the War Office.

GERMAN REVERSE RUMORED But Berlin and Vienna Say the Teuton Forces Are Press- ing On Successfully.

LONDON, Tuesday, Oct. 19.—Almost simultaneously with their capture of the Bulgarian stronghold of Strumitza, near the Serbian frontier, the Allies landed an army at Enos on the Aegean Sea and seized the railroad running east from Dedeagatch to join the main line from Sofia to Constantinople. Dedeagatch, twelve miles northwest of Enos, is a strongly fortified port. It is now menaced by land and sea.

The German versions show that the Bulgarian army on the northern border of Serbia is meeting with greater resistance than was expected, and, although it is probable that the Serbians eventually must fall back on stronger strategic positions in the north, the fact that the Allies are bringing their forces against the Bulgarians, and so placing them that the Bulgarians will be compelled to divide their armies, gives hope here that the Germans may be balked in their latest attempt to reach the sea and bring assistance to the Turks.

All along the line the Serbians and their Montenegrin neighbors, who are also being attacked, are offering very stubborn resistance to both Austro-German and Bulgarian, and while they have given up a number of towns and positions, they have not yet relinquished the line on which they expect to make their stand.

German officers are in command along the entire Bulgarian front, but the Bulgars, so far as can be learned, have been checked everywhere. Their only serious advantage is in the Zlotochka Valley, near the River Morava, north of the town of Vranja, where they blew up a bridge. There is no confirmation of the report that they cut the Nish-Uskub Railway in this district, the bridge being a small wooden one near the railway. Athens dispatches report heavy fighting in the Dardanelles district. The Serbians have been strongly reinforced and have driven the Bulgarians back. Beyond Vranja telegraphic communication is interrupted.

On the other hand, it is pointed out, the capture of Strumitza is of real strategic value, as its occupation permits the capture of the southern end of the railway and compels the Bulgarians to keep a force there. The seizure of the railroad north of Enos threatens Dedeagatch, which has a great harbor, and is fortified and mined. The civilian population has fled. Dedeagatch, which is entirely in the hands of the military, under German officers. Allied warships are off the port.

The German War Office yesterday in reporting progress of the invasion in the north includes the front in South-east Galicia as being within the sphere of the Balkan operations. General von Linington commands this front, which stretches to the Rumanian frontier. It was reported from Athens on Sunday that Linington's army had been ordered to Serbia to reinforce Mackensen, but had been recalled because of the seriousness of the Russian offensive. The official bulletin reads:

GERMAN BOAT BLOWN UP. Mine Patrol Vessel Sunk in North Sea—The Crew Missing.

LONDON, Tuesday, Oct. 19.—A German mine patrol boat has been blown up in the Baltic Sea and her crew of ten men are missing and are supposed to have been drowned, says a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Copenhagen.

The dispatch adds that wreckage of the boat has been found at Marstal.

GREAT BEAR SPRING WATER.
The case of six glass stoppered bottles.
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NEW BRITISH CABINET CRISIS

Attorney General Dis-
agrees With Colleagues
on Balkan Policy.

TALK OF GENERAL ELECTION

More Resignations Are Reported
Likely and Redmond Calls
Situation Precarious.

CARSON ASSAILED METHODS

Disliked "Inner-Cabinet" Plan
and Criticised Darda-
nelles Operations.

LONDON, Tuesday, Oct. 19.—Sir Edward Carson, Attorney General, has resigned from the British Cabinet. The resignation of Sir Edward, the first open manifestation of the divergence of views known to exist among the Ministers, is the result, according to an authoritative statement, not of the controversy over conscription, but of the condition of affairs in the Near East.

Sir Edward himself so far has made no personal explanation of his reasons for resigning, but it is understood that he disapproves the policy which is being followed in the Balkans and the method of confiding the whole national policy to a small "Inner Cabinet."

It is expected that there will be exciting debates in the House of Commons this week, as severe attacks on the Government are planned by members of the House in connection with the general military policy, especially in the Near East.

Presiding at the Nationalist Convention in Dublin yesterday, John E. Redmond said that a grave political crisis might arise any day. The position of the coalition Government, he asserted, was precarious. It was threatened by internal and external dangers. A conspiracy existed among men ready to sacrifice national unity in the face of the enemy to further their own predilections and theories.

It was common talk, said the Irish leader, that a general election was possible, but Ireland could boast that she was not responsible for these dangers. Much regret is expressed in the London morning papers over the resignation of Sir Edward Carson as Attorney General, and there is lively apprehension expressed that his giving up his portfolio may be followed by other resignations.

Conscription Not an Issue.
Special Cable to The New York Times.
LONDON, Tuesday, Oct. 19.—The Chronicle's Parliamentary correspondent writes this morning:

"Yesterday's Cabinet Council, summoned originally for noon, did not meet until 2 o'clock, the postponement being due to the fact that in the morning the Prime Minister was slightly indisposed. Contrary to expectation, the conscription issue did not come to the head, matters arising out of the Balkan situation, especially the enigmatical attitude of Greece, occupying the whole time."

"Sir Edward Carson was again absent from the meeting. This ostentatious absence of the Attorney General from the nation's executive council in the gravest crisis in our history is very uneasily. Late last night I learned on good authority that he had definitely withdrawn from the Government."

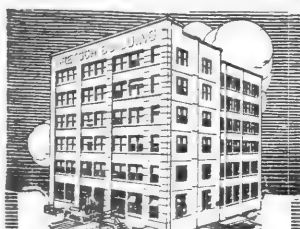
It is understood that leading advocates of conscription, service have not abandoned the intention of forcing an early decision on the question.

"Before the week is out there may be sensational developments unless wiser counsels prevail. Ministerial resignations are freely talked about, and the very existence of the Administration may be in jeopardy. The break-up of the Government would be an unmitigated calamity. Abroad and at home it would have disastrous effects, and that at a critical stage in the war."

"Where is the alternative Government and who is to compromise it? Even if the conscriptionists succeeded in pressing an Administration, they would be without a majority in the House of Commons, and they would have at least half the nation arrayed against them. A conscriptionist Ministry would, for the nature of the case, be unable to enforce a policy of conscription, for it would be suspect from the beginning."

"The only way in which the nation could be induced to acquiesce in compulsory military service would be on assurances from sympathisers with the voluntary principle, like Asquith, Kitchener, Grey, and Balfour, that voluntary service was the only way in which we need. No one can say it was not until Lord Derby's recruiting plan had been fairly and honestly tried. Any attempt to rush a decision on conscription in the meantime is inimical to the best interests of the nation."

"John Redmond, in a very acute political observer, said in his speech in Ireland yesterday that the Government's life is precarious, and that it is threatened with internal and external dangers. This description is not exaggerated. The conscriptionists will, unless they restrain themselves, jeopardise the ex-



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FRENCH GUNS SPOIL GERMAN ATTACK

Curtain of Fire Prevents a Drive in Force Planned Near Souchez.

BRITISH RUSHES CHECKED

Berlin Reports Heavy English Losses in Attempts to Carry the Vermelles Salient.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—By the expenditure of a curtain of fire directed against the enemy's massed forces east of Souchez, the French today prevented an attack for which the Germans had been preparing by an intense bombardment of the French trenches. There were brisk artillery exchanges south of the Somme and in Champagne, where French shells exploded a German munitions depot.

French and German reports agree that the fighting in the Vosges is continuing with vigor. Berlin asserts that strong British attacks on the German salient northeast of Vermelles, in Artois, have failed with heavy losses. German aviators yesterday dropped bombs on the French fortress of Belfort.

Following is the official night report from Paris:

After an intense artillery preparation, menaces of infantry attacks were manifested in the German trenches at Bois-en-Hache and the Valley of the Souchez, where large masses of enemy effectives were gathered. Our artillery, by an energetic and effective barrier fire, and our machine guns prevented the adversary from developing.

An artillery duel, in which we had the advantage, took place in the environs of Tilloy, Cessier, and St. Leodegar.

On the left bank of the Aisne, in the south of Pommiers, our patrols discovered an enemy ambuscade and brought back prisoners.

In Champagne the bombardment of the enemy has been very active against the German salient northeast of the Somme. Our batteries, in replying on the trenches and bivouacs of the enemy, have caused an explosion of a large munitions depot.

In the Vosges spirited combats with grenades are reported on the crests of Schatzmannelle and violent cannonading on both sides in the region of Hartmannswillerkopf and in the Valley of the Thur.

This is the text of the French afternoon communication:

Three new attacks on the part of the enemy against our positions at Bois-en-Hache, to the northeast of Souchez, were repulsed. The enemy was repulsed by the fire of our machine guns and our artillery.

On the south of the River Somme, in the sector of Lihons, there has been almost continual fighting with trench mortars and machine guns. Our batteries directed an effective fire against the German positions.

To the north of Verdun German forces have endeavored to occupy the craters of certain mines recently exploded between the lines. They have been repulsed everywhere.

On the left bank of the Aisne, a very spirited infantry fire between the trenches in the vicinity of Nomeny. Our artillery has been very active against the enemy's positions.

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THINK GERMANS BOUND FOR REFUGE IN CUBA

Were Sighted Off Virginia Coast—May Cancel Shore Liberty of Interned Men.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—The missing petty officers and sailors from the interned German cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm at Norfolk are believed to be making their way to Cuba.

The Navy Department has received the report of a ship Captain who saw the power boat Eclipse off Virginia Beach Monday. He did not report until late last week, and no trace of the Eclipse has been found.

Unless the fugitive German sailors return, it was said today, the crews of all interned vessels at Norfolk would be held aboard their ships and no more shore liberty would be granted.

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Kaiser's Forces Make Gains on the Front Between Riga and Dvinsk.

LONDON, Tuesday, Oct. 19.—In a letter to the Times, discussing M. Khvostoff's appointment as Russian Minister of the Interior, Stephen Graham says:

"Khvostoff's first act seems to be a proclamation of martial law at Moscow, and that act raises the whole question of the riots and strikes in that city during the last six months."

"Last June, after the fall of Przemysl and Lwow the well known disturbance took place. It was not at the time thought to be important, but it has proved to be the starting point in the struggle toward mob rule in Russia and internal chaos. The official figures showed that the damage done to business establishments was \$1,406,533 roubles, to private houses 7,100,000, making a total of 8,506,533 roubles."

"One hundred and thirteen Austrian and German subjects suffered, as also did 480 Russian subjects with foreign names; and despite the fact that the German elements in the population of Moscow suffered heavily, it is generally held that Germans themselves were responsible for the rioting and that they wished to produce a state of confusion in the interior of Russia that would facilitate the onward march of the German and Austrian legions across Poland. Even Radicals in the Duma ascribed the provocation and incitement of these riots to Germans."

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LANSING DEFINES SAFETY FOR CREWS

Tells Germany That Mere Opportunity to Escape in Lifeboats Will Not Suffice.

TERMS OF NEW FRYE NOTE

United States Agrees to Accept London Declaration Pending Settlement for Damages.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—The feature of the latest note sent by Secretary Lansing to the German Government in connection with the claim for damages for the sinking of the American merchantman William P. Frye, is the understanding under which the United States agrees to the arbitration of the disputed treaty interpretation.

Secretary Lansing makes it plain that the condition on which the United States will agree to refer the question to the Hague is that, if American vessels carrying absolute contraband are to be destroyed by German vessels, all persons on board must not only be placed in safety, but the vessel destroyed, but that merely giving such persons an opportunity to escape in lifeboats cannot be considered as satisfying the requirements of the Declaration of London.

When the United States first indicated its willingness to arbitrate the treaty question involved in the Frye case it asked Germany how it would proceed during the pendency of the arbitration—whether the American or the German construction of the treaty would be observed. The United States contends that under treaties between this country and Prussia Germany has no right to destroy American merchantmen even if they carry munitions of war. The German Government contends that the treaty gives them the right to destroy such vessels, but compensates them to pay for the damage. This dispute is now being arbitrated.

In the recent reply the Berlin Government indicated that it would not destroy American merchantmen carrying conditional contraband during the arbitration, pending the arbitration of the question, but that it would destroy absolute contraband whenever such destruction is necessary to secure the provisions of the Declaration of London.

The United States does not recognize the Declaration of London as binding during the present war. In his note to the German Government Secretary Lansing, speaking for the United States, says:

"Without admitting that the Declaration of London is in force, and on the understanding that the requirement in Article 1 of the Declaration is that the vessel is destroyed and all persons on board must be placed in safety, is not satisfied by mere giving of lifeboats, the United States is prepared to accept the Declaration of London as the rule governing the conduct of the German Government in relation to the treatment of American vessels carrying absolute contraband."

On this understanding the Government of the United States agrees to refer to arbitration this question of treaty interpretation.

Text of the Note.

The full text of the new American note to Germany follows:

The Secretary of State to Ambassador Gerard.

Department of State, Washington, Oct. 18, 1915.

You are instructed to present the following note to the German Minister of Foreign Affairs:

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The Government of the United States further notes that in agreeing to this arrangement the Imperial German Government expressly states that in making payment it does not acknowledge the violation of the treaty as contended by the Government of the United States, and that the settlement of the question of indemnity does not preclude the adjustment of the differences of opinion between the two Governments concerning the interpretation of the treaty rights.

The Government of the United States understands this arrangement will be without prejudice to its own contentions in accordance with the statements of its position in its note of Aug. 10 last to your Excellency on this subject, and the Government of the United States notes the understanding on that understanding.

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On this understanding the Government of the United States agrees to refer to arbitration this question of treaty interpretation.

The Government of the United States further notes that in agreeing to this arrangement the Imperial German Government expressly states that in making payment it does not acknowledge the violation of the treaty as contended by the Government of the United States, and that the settlement of the question of indemnity does not preclude the adjustment of the differences of opinion between the two Governments concerning the interpretation of the treaty rights.

The Government of the United States understands this arrangement will be without prejudice to its own contentions in accordance with the statements of its position in its note of Aug. 10 last to your Excellency on this subject, and the Government of the United States notes the understanding on that understanding.

Your Excellency states that the Imperial German Government believes that the nomination of an umpire should be dispensed with, because it has been agreed that the Imperial German Government that the experts named in such cases have always reached an agreement without difficulty, and that should they disagree on some point, it could probably be settled by the umpire.

The Government of the United States is not prepared to agree to this. It is not necessary to nominate an umpire in advance. It is not to be assumed that the experts will be unable to agree on that if they are the point in dispute cannot be settled by diplomatic means. The United States believes that in agreeing to this arrangement it should be understood that the amount of indemnity is not settled by the joint commission of experts or by the umpire, but that the question will then be referred to an umpire if that is desired by the Government of the United States.

Assuming that this understanding is acceptable to the German Government, it will only remain for the Government of the United States to nominate its expert to act with the expert already nominated by the German Government on the joint commission.

It seems desirable to the Government of the United States that this joint commission of experts should be composed of three members, one of whom should be an American, one a German, and one a neutral. The American member is named and that its meetings should be held in the United States, because, as stated in my note to you of April 30 last, any evidence which the German Government may wish to have produced is more accessible and can more conveniently be examined there than elsewhere.

With reference to the agreement to submit the question of interpretation of the Declaration of London to the Government of the United States notes that the German or American interpretation of the treaty, stipulation, or provision of the Declaration of London is that "it has issued orders to destroy American merchantmen which have loaded conditional contraband and which are carrying absolute contraband whenever such destruction is permissible according to the provisions of the Declaration of London."

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CONSUL DISPUTES HUNGARIAN REPORTS

Von Nuber Revives Old Charge Against London Morning Post's Articles.

AUTHENTIC, SAYS EDITOR

Cables The Times That Attacks on 'Them Are Baseless—Shows Evidence as to Their Source.'

The Times has received from Alexander Von Nuber, Austro-Hungarian Consul General in this city, a communication attacking the authenticity of a London Morning Post article, republished in THE TIMES under the heading "Famine in Hungary; Government Accused."

Consul von Nuber says: "The Austro-Hungarian Consulate General in New York is in possession of reliable information to the effect that all the unfavorable news concerning Hungary published in the London Morning Post purporting to be telegrams or other correspondence from Budapest are manufactured by a certain Joseph Szekely, alias Joseph Szekely, resident in New York, one of the alleged telegrams or other correspondence has ever originated from Hungary and all other news are malicious inventions pure and simple."

With reference to Count Tisza, against whom attacks were said to be directed, Consul von Nuber writes: "I venture to express the opinion that Great Britain would be thankful to have such a resident in New York as the Hungarian Premier, who is considered an authentic and reliable source of news, and several other European consuls and administrators."

Upon receipt of this letter THE TIMES has been informed that the London Morning Post yesterday published the following reply:

By Cable to the Editor of THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—I understand that the London Morning Post has published a letter from the Austro-Hungarian Consul General in New York which casts doubt on the authenticity of the letters that have been published in the Morning Post from Budapest. You can assure your readers that these letters are authentic and reliable sources of news, and several other European consuls and administrators."

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—In conversation with the editor of the New York Times, H. A. Gwynne, editor of THE Morning Post, gave a detailed explanation of the source of the letters in question, the methods of transmission, and other evidence which he did not care to make public at the present time. Mr. Gwynne stated that the letters were sent by a certain Consul General, and that the letters are authentic and reliable sources of news, and several other European consuls and administrators."

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AIRMEN BIG FACTOR IN SUBMARINE WAR

Patrolling British Coast, They Spy Out German Raiders and Call for Destroyers

OR THEMSELVES ATTACK

The America Said to Have Wrecked Three Submarines, Two by Smashing the Periscopes.

Details of the active and efficient work of the airmen of the Royal Naval Aviation Corps in ridding English waters of the German submarine peril were received yesterday by Henry Woodhouse, a Governor of the Aero Club of America. The information came from an authoritative source, and disclosed the latest methods adopted by the British Government in "spotting submarines" and destroying them.

Mr. Woodhouse also received an explanation of the reason why the 400 aeroplanes defending London have been unable to prevent the Zeppelin raids. "Probably the most interesting thing about the conflict between the dreaded German U-boats and the aeroplanes," he said last night to a Times reporter, "is the method of anti-submarine warfare before the war, and in which flight Commander Forte intended to fly across the ocean, has destroyed no fewer than three submarines single-handed. One of these was blown up with bombs, and the other two were forced to come up, the America having broken off their periscopes. Then the destroyers got them."

The method of anti-submarine warfare is a simple one. It is efficient. The aeroplanes go out, usually in pairs, followed by forty-knot destroyers, which follow after them and watch for their signals. The observer accompanying the aviator can see from fifteen to twenty miles in every direction, according to the height at which they fly. The de-

stroyers can see the aeroplane at about the same distance, and its officers, with their powerful glasses, can tell every movement made by the submarine. "If a submarine is sighted traveling on the surface, or if even its periscope is seen, the aeroplanes drop a smoke bomb to call its destroyers. If the submarine emerges or remains submerged, the destroyers are ordered to surround it and, if necessary, to attack it. At forty knots an hour, the destroyers are soon on the spot, and they will follow the submarine and wait for it to come up and then they will open fire. They may run ahead of it and lower their steel nets and catch it. If it is feared that the quarry is going to submerge to a great depth, the nets are dropped as the destroyers come to the spot, and they then pick it up before it can get too deep for the nets."

"Aeroplanes of the America and Canada class, carrying heavy armament and a large number of bombs, are much feared by the U-boats. In the early days of the war they were not afraid to come to the surface and fight the aeroplanes, but they don't dare do this any longer. The submarine is so fragile that a bomb or shell exploding near it will smash its sides in and sink it. The aeroplanes will circle about the U-boats or hydroaeroplanes, and have no fear of the water. There have been a number of cases where the aeroplanes have swooped down on the submarine and smashed its periscopes. Then it is blind and helpless. The submarine, where it is easy prey for either the aeroplane or any destroyer or trawler, all of which have guns."

"Of course, if the aeroplane destroys the U-boat, the U-boat is not of its crew can be saved."

Destroyed at the Bottom.
"One of the most recent developments of this warfare has been the destruction of submarines on the bottom. It is their custom to lie on the shallow bottoms when they want to wait for their quarry. The aeroplanes will circle about them and when they are down below the nets and then wait until the danger passes. Early in the war, and even before the war, it was found that an aeroplane could detect a submarine even when submerged nearly one hundred feet."

Acting on this knowledge, the Royal Naval Aviation Corps has a plan that is sure to lead to the destruction of the submarine. The aeroplanes will wait in wait, and then signals for its destroyers. Of course, the men of the submarine have no idea of what is going on above them, and can only wait to meet their death. The aeroplanes will circle about the spot until the destroyers arrive and then will indicate as nearly as possible exactly where the enemy lies. Then the destroyers place a number of floating bombs on the water, each of which can be exploded by a diver. The bombs are placed on the surface, and are kept at the surface by the broad, flat float. After the bombs are placed, and they

are powerful enough to blow up a dreadnought, the destroyers steam off out of harm's way. The bombs are heavy and drop straight to the bottom where the destroyers pull the string that detaches them from their floats. On striking the bottom, they explode by contact, and as soon as oil comes to the surface, an infallible sign that the submarine is destroyed, they go on, looking for another victim."

"It is not necessary for a bomb to strike the submarine, although this has happened several times when the vessel was submerged at a shallow depth. The impact of the explosion of the several thousand pounds of 'T. N. T.' contained in the bombs is communicated to the submarine by the water, which is denser than at the surface, and caves its sides in."

"Probably the pursuit of these submarines is the most exciting sport that has yet been experienced by an aviator, and the efficiency of the Royal Naval Aviation Corps has played a great part in eliminating the submarine peril."

Why Zeppelins Succeed.
In regard to the ease with which the Zeppelins raid London, in spite of the 400 aeroplanes of the Royal Naval Aviation Corps, Mr. Woodhouse has learned that it is a practical impossibility for the British fliers to destroy the giant craft, except with the greatest luck."

"The first sign that the London has of a Zeppelin raid is when a bomb drops," he said. "Now that warnings are not sent from Holland any longer, the Zeppelins, flying at more than 10,000 feet on the darkest nights they can pick, are above London before any one is aware of their presence."

"From the time that the first bomb drops until the Naval Corps aeroplanes see the air in pursuit is usually not less than fifteen minutes. It takes them from half to three-quarters of an hour to climb to an altitude where they are above the Zeppelins, and by that time the dirigibles have left London fifty to sixty miles in the rear."

"Of course, there are squadrons of aeroplanes patrolling the air above the city at night, but the upper darkness is so vast, and usually so dark on the night of a raid, that it is impossible to find the Zeppelins. Then again the aviators run great risks when they take up the searchlight picks up a Zeppelin, and they fire from all angles. There is a perfect hail of death raining from all over the great city, and the aviator stands a good chance of being brought down by the guns of the city he is trying to protect."

"It has been suggested that great balloons be stationed over London at 10,000 or more feet, and that these be armed with heavy guns. Models of these were made and then it was found that the upper air currents would swing the balloons about so much that they would be impossible for their gunners to hit a Zeppelin. However, it

is safe to say that the time is near when the Zeppelins will be unable to raid London with impunity, and it will be due to the work of the Royal Naval Aviation Corps that their murderous raids are ended."

"A newer and greater war plane than any yet built is now being made in Toronto for the British Government. The success of the Canada type has shown the way, and from them has evolved the super-Canada. It is a tractor and hydroaeroplane. It is a full third larger than the Canada, and can carry nearly 3,000 pounds of armament or bombs. The hydroaeroplanes can stand a heavy sea, and can rise from almost the roughest waves with ease. Their wings are more than 100 feet across, and they can make sixty miles an hour with only one motor. With both engines, they can make close to ninety miles."

"Twenty of the Canada type have been sent abroad from Toronto, and they are building the larger type as the facilities can turn them out."

BARS WILSON DEMOCRATS.

County Clerk in Newark Denies Them Place on Ballot.

NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 18.—County Clerk Joseph McDonough today said that the contested petitions filed with him nominating independent candidates known as "Wilson Democrats," for the general election were not acceptable. He will not place the names on the ballot unless ordered to do so by the courts.

The petitions thrown out are those of the name of Richard G. Rust for County Register, and Edward R. Soleau and Edward F. Berry for Freeholders. On the other hand, the name of John H. Bunnell, filed a formal declaration last week, and announcing his decision, Mr. McDonough said: "I am of the opinion, and have come to the conclusion, and do hereby determine, that the said petitions filed were valid, and that the petitions filed are not valid in accordance with the requirements of the election law."

Taft Declines G. O. P. Invitation.

An invitation to speak in the Republican campaign in Kings County was declined yesterday by ex-President William H. Taft because of a press of engagements. Mr. Taft will visit Brooklyn on Friday night to deliver a lecture on "Our World Relationships" at the Academy of Music and the campaign managers will make another effort to have him appear at one of the Republican meetings to be held on that date. Mr. Taft will lecture at Columbia University tomorrow evening.

The wife of a third had divorced him for non-support. The fourth was an old man supported by two daughters, one of whom had refused to offer of marriage so that the entire burden of the family should rest on the shoulders of the fifth man employed 300 girls in a factory, where they made dresses for other women.

President Coming to Princeton.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—President Wilson will leave here early tomorrow morning for Princeton, N. J., to cast his ballot in the special State election on a Constitutional amendment giving suffrage to women. He has announced he will vote for the amendment. He will return to Washington tomorrow night. Secretary Garrison, and many employees at the White House restaurant, and an old man, Janitor, will go back to New Jersey to vote.

25 HURT ON TRAINS WRECKED BY JOKER

Police Seek Person Who Set Emergency Brakes on Cars of Brighton Beach Line.

PANIC FOLLOWS COLLISION

Passengers Run Through Tunnel to Escape from Accident Near Woodruff Avenue Station.

Two trains of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company, the first composed of six wooden cars, and the second of five wooden cars, collided in the rush hour last evening in the poorly lighted tunnel on the Manhattan side of the Woodruff Avenue Station. Twenty-five persons were injured. It was a rear-end collision, both trains being on the southbound track of the Brighton Beach Line. The first train had been brought to a sudden stop just before the crash through the application of the emergency brakes. The motorman of the second train, which was following, did not apply the brakes, and the company's officials contended last night that they must have been applied by a "practical joker" on the train in the rear.

With the first train at a standstill the force of the impact fell mainly on its rear car. Its platform was wrecked, and the front platform of the second train plunged into it like a battering ram, telescoping the car. The six persons most severely injured were in the rear car of the first train. They were: BOYD, ARTHUR, 18 years old, clerk, of 124 East Twenty-fourth Street, Brooklyn; right foot mangled. FULLER, CHARLES L., 40 years old, manager, of 570 East Seventh Street, Brooklyn; several ribs on the left side fractured. McLEESE, ELMER, 20 years old, clerk, of 37 Kenilworth Place, Brooklyn; right foot mangled, and in all of the cars it was estimated there were about 1,300 persons. Hundreds passed through the tunnel notwithstanding the danger from the third rail, and scrambling, pushing and shouting for the two ends of the tunnel.

The crash and cries of the passengers brought policemen running to the wreck. They sent in emergency calls to the Kings County Hospital, Coney Island, Methodist, Episcopal, and Norwegian Hospitals for ambulances. Half a dozen ambulances, surgeons arrived in a short time, and they considered it surprising that more persons were not injured seriously. Only one person, Elmer McLeese, was removed to a hospital, the Kings County institution, and twenty-four others were treated and sent to their homes.

The collision tied up traffic for more than an hour on both tracks of the line. Wrecking crews and a shuttle train were sent out by the Brooklyn Rapid Transit, and shortly before 5 o'clock the two trains were freed and removed. Meantime the shuttle trains carried belated passengers on the northbound track to the stations on either side of Woodruff Avenue.

The injured persons were carried through the front train to the platform of the Woodruff Avenue Station, which was turned into an emergency hospital by the ambulance surgeons. The Assistant Superintendent of Transportation of the B. R. T. Co., P. Blewett, examined Motorman John Lyons of the second train, and Motorman Benjamin Bauman of the first train, and made the statement that the company would be responsible for the accident. Lyons told Superintendent Blewett he was slowing up for the Woodruff Avenue Station and that four cars of his train were beside the clearing and two still in the tunnel when the emergency brake was applied suddenly, stopping the train so abruptly the passengers were thrown from their seats. Superintendent Blewett concluded that somebody on the train had pulled the emergency brake cord.

Motorman Bauman, who is 32 years old, and lives at 300 Sixteenth Street, Brooklyn, said that he did not see the red lights that marked the rear of the front train until he was almost upon them, and he instantly applied the emergency brake, but that it did not work. Officials of the company tested the distance of the clearing and said that the clearing was 100 feet long. Bauman probably misjudged the distance of the clearing, and Superintendent Blewett volunteered, after hearing the stories, and thought that, as usual, the front train was still moving toward the station platform.

Bauman was taken to the Parkville Police Station where he repeated his story to the police. He was released pending further investigation. Superintendent Blewett concluded that the accident was caused by a "practical joker" who caused the wreck.

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'DIE WACHT AM RHEIN' GREETING FOR BRYAN

Then He Tells 3,500 in Terrace Garden Women Should Get the Vote.

William Jennings Bryan told 3,500 persons at a mass meeting last night under the direction of the German-American Committee of the Women's Suffrage Party, at Terrace Garden, in East Fifty-eighth Street, that woman suffrage was certain to become universal. He wouldn't venture a guess on the result of the New York election.

"If you don't vote for women suffrage this time, you will some time, for it is the one thing that is certain to be in this country," he said. "Women have obtained the vote first in the West because their conditions are more democratic, the people more independent and less under the influence of combinations of great wealth than the people of the Eastern States."

"It is not fair to refuse to woman, who does so much for the child, a voice in the future welfare of that child. A citizen needs two things alone to be a good voter—intelligence and morality. If you are going to contend that a woman should not have the vote you cannot exclude her on these grounds. I made an investigation of the inmates of a certain Western prison, and found that less than 2 per cent. were women and more than 98 per cent. men. In church I always find there are more women than men. If a woman has sense enough to keep out of prison and morality enough to go to church, she has the mental equipment to go to the polls."

"We trust no woman in every thing else, don't you think we can trust her to vote?" Mr. Bryan was the guest overnight of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Untermyer at their country home at Yonkers, and went to the hall in their car. The stage were Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Gargan, Professor and Mrs. John Dewey of Columbia University, and Paul W. Freund, Eugene Nott of London, and many others.

Professor Moritz Bonn, exchange professor at Cornell; Katherine S. Dreier, Mrs. Raymond Robins of Chicago, and Professor William R. Shepherd of Columbia University. When Mr. Bryan appeared, the audience played the Star-Spangled Banner and "Die Wacht Am Rhein."

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'DIE WACHT AM RHEIN' GREETING FOR BRYAN

Then He Tells 3,500 in Terrace Garden Women Should Get the Vote.

William Jennings Bryan told 3,500 persons at a mass meeting last night under the direction of the German-American Committee of the Women's Suffrage Party, at Terrace Garden, in East Fifty-eighth Street, that woman suffrage was certain to become universal. He wouldn't venture a guess on the result of the New York election.

"If you don't vote for women suffrage this time, you will some time, for it is the one thing that is certain to be in this country," he said. "Women have obtained the vote first in the West because their conditions are more democratic, the people more independent and less under the influence of combinations of great wealth than the people of the Eastern States."

"It is not fair to refuse to woman, who does so much for the child, a voice in the future welfare of that child. A citizen needs two things alone to be a good voter—intelligence and morality. If you are going to contend that a woman should not have the vote you cannot exclude her on these grounds. I made an investigation of the inmates of a certain Western prison, and found that less than 2 per cent. were women and more than 98 per cent. men. In church I always find there are more women than men. If a woman has sense enough to keep out of prison and morality enough to go to church, she has the mental equipment to go to the polls."

"We trust no woman in every thing else, don't you think we can trust her to vote?" Mr. Bryan was the guest overnight of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Untermyer at their country home at Yonkers, and went to the hall in their car. The stage were Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Gargan, Professor and Mrs. John Dewey of Columbia University, and Paul W. Freund, Eugene Nott of London, and many others.

Professor Moritz Bonn, exchange professor at Cornell; Katherine S. Dreier, Mrs. Raymond Robins of Chicago, and Professor William R. Shepherd of Columbia University. When Mr. Bryan appeared, the audience played the Star-Spangled Banner and "Die Wacht Am Rhein."

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SUFFRAGE CAMPAIGN IS CARRIED TO POLLS

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county seat: Hudson County, with Jersey City, Hoboken, and Bayonne, and its boundaries. Union, with Elizabeth as its largest industrial center; Bergen, with Hightstown, and Newark, with Newark as its largest industrial center; Passaic, with the big industrial city of Paterson and across the Hudson River to Philadelphia, which has a city of the same name with a teeming population of 600,000.

Issue is With Six Counties.

In Essex County, where James R. Nugent, the Democratic boss, is conducting a quiet, but vigorous, anti-suffrage campaign, the suffrage workers fear that the best they can hope for is to cut down the prospective majority against the woman suffrage amendment by keeping up a bitter fight until the very moment when the polls open and campaign clamor must cease.

Passaic County is claimed by both sides. Dr. Mary Cummins, President of the Paterson branch of the Woman's Political Union, said tonight: "There will be a big vote tomorrow, and both Paterson and Passaic County will give a large majority for the suffrage amendment."

Mrs. Garret A. Hobart, widow of the late Vice President, who is a leader among the anti-suffrage forces, thought the amendment would be defeated. Frederick W. Van Blarcom, Chairman of the Passaic County Democratic Committee, is predicting a close vote, with the advantage slightly to the suffragists. In Hudson County, the leaders of the Democratic and Republican organizations, both ostensibly favoring woman suffrage, profess to be puzzled as to the outcome.

In Union County, where the suffrage leaders claim they will receive a majority for the amendment, the eleven hour indications point to its defeat by at least 2 to 1, according to the Democratic and Republican leaders. The suffragists have their hope on the right vote. They express the belief that men opposed to giving women the ballot will not go to the polls while the others will.

Both Sides Claim Victory.

In both Bergen and Camden Counties both sides claim a victory, and the political leaders express the belief that the vote will be close.

"I predict victory for the anti-suffragists when the question is put to a vote tomorrow," said Miss Clara Vezit, campaign manager of the anti-suffragists, tonight.

"Woman suffrage will be defeated in New Jersey by a large majority," said Mrs. Edward Yarde Euse, President of the Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage. "We base our confidence in the outcome on the fact that the suffragists have their hope on the right vote. The final words from the suffrage leaders who insist that there has been a steady drift to their side in the battle ever since President Wilson promised that he would vote for woman suffrage made optimistic elevating the run of the play, but more than half of it was a personal contribution from the actress. Miss Irving as Chairman of the Campaign Committee's "Bureau of Laughter," sent another contribution."

"Sam," said she to her negro butler, "do you mean to vote on Nov. 2?" "Close I mean to vote," Sam answered promptly.

"What do you know about the Constitution?" asked Miss May. "Law now, Miss May," he countered.

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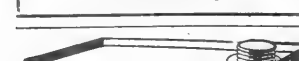
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Government's Counsel Tells Jury

Road Hid Accounts to Conceal Guilt.

SAYS SYSTEM SCORNE LAW

Explains Governor Hill's Note and Brands Transactions of the Billard Company.

R. L. Batts, one of the special counsel appointed by the Government to prosecute William Rockefeller, Lewis Cass

Ledyard, and nine other past and present Directors of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, on a charge of conspiring to monopolize the transportation facilities of New England, spent the entire session yesterday in the Federal District Court in explaining to the jury the intricacies of New Haven finance.

Occasionally R. V. Lindabatt, counsel for De Lancy Nicolai, counsel for the defendants, would question some statement which Mr. Batts made, but he went on steadily explaining how a company which in 1880 had owned only 126 miles of railroad had gradually built up almost a complete monopoly of New England transportation.

He told the jury that the Government did not hold all combinations illegal and laid it down as a principle that the test of the legality of a combination was whether it was such as would be developed naturally in the normal way of business.

Moreover, Mr. Batts said, the jury they need consider not only what was done but what was intended to be done and that they should convict if they found an intent in the early history of the fight between the New Haven and the New York & New England Railroad Company, which was one of its first competitors. It was intended to acquire the stock of the New Haven and the Eastern Railroad Company, and the consequent destruction of a freight and passenger route by way of Wilson's Point and the New Haven Railroad to New York.

A Saloonkeeper's Role.

In connection with this campaign, Mr. Batts said the New Haven obtained control of a suit against the New England company, which had been brought by a Boston saloonkeeper, One Austin Corbin in the first place backed the saloonkeeper, giving him a written guarantee to hold him harmless if his name might be used, and when the New Haven Company took over the suit William Rockefeller, Mr. Batts said, did not hesitate to sign an agreement to indemnify Corbin.

Then he sketched the agreement between the New York Central, the New Haven and the Harlem & New York, by which the two former companies obtained the use of the New York Central terminal and said the transaction involved the use of the New York Central terminal and said the transaction involved the use of the New York Central terminal and said the transaction involved the use of the New York Central terminal.

These roads should handle all the freight and passenger traffic which might have been legal before 1880, but was certainly illegal afterward, he said.

Mr. Batts said the late Governor John F. Hill, of Maine, who died on March 6, 1912, had been satisfactorily explained. It was in an envelope which bore the endorsement "This note does not belong to me," J. F. Hill.

When Charles S. Mellen was asked about it, he suggested it might have something to do with the Eastern Ship Corporation.

Mr. Batts's explanation was that ex-Governor Hill was used by Edward D. Robinson, a Boston lawyer, in forging one of the links in the long chain of transfers which brought about the ownership by the New Haven of the Metropolitan Steamship Company of New Jersey. He incorporated the Eastern Ship Corporation, which held all the stock of the Metropolitan Steamship Company of Maine.

This concern agreed to turn over the physical property of the Metropolitan Steamship Company of Maine to the Eastern Steamship Corporation, which received in exchange \$1,700,000 of its bonds and 8,500 of its shares, he told the jury. By this means Robinson Batts asserted, got control of the steamship property the New Haven desired.

Of the transaction for the control of the Sound steamships and the so-called Corsair agreement, by which the New Haven and the Boston & Maine divided New England, taking the line of the Boston & Albany as their boundary, Mr. Batts said:

"Any person of a little bit of intelligence ought to have known that the legality of these agreements could be questioned. He told how the New Haven had acquired 100,948 shares of the Boston & Maine, preparatory to securing its control, and then found that Massachusetts would not permit it to hold them.

At this time appears John L. Billard, one man in the history of the country who has acquired fame as a person who did nothing but permit the shares in his name," Mr. Batts said. "He was prepared for the life of a railroad magnate by conducting for years a coal business. But on a certain morning just when the New Haven wanted to dispose of 100,948 Boston & Maine shares, he came to the office of Mr. Mellen and said, 'I have no experience and no money, but I want to purchase 100,948 Boston & Maine shares. Have you got them to sell?'

"I suppose you will offer proof of this," interrupted Mr. Lindabatt. Mr. Batts said he would, and went on to describe how, although the shares stood on the books of the New Haven at 140, they were sold to Billard at 120. The New Haven borrowed \$1,000,000 to buy the stock for him, and he gave him a note for it. So, Mr. Batts said, though the stock remained in the name of the New Haven, the New Haven said, say that it no longer owned the Boston & Maine shares.

Tracing the transaction still further, Mr. Batts said that on the sale and resale by Billard of the stock back to the New Haven at 150 there was an apparent profit of \$2,500,000, and the question was, How was that money? He said the Government would show part of it was in the Dominion of Canada in connection with the Grand Trunk affair.

Mr. Nicolai Objects.

"I think you are going beyond the legitimate scope of an opening statement," interrupted Mr. Nicolai. "I do not want to interrupt, but I must object to that statement."

"More of the money," said Mr. Batts, "was paid to one Brown, a disbarred agent in attendance at the Connecticut Legislature, and \$750,000 was invested in the securities of Boston newspapers or paid to other newspapers. Billard himself received a small percentage, and \$2,000,000 was for the capital of the Billard Company."

"I ask the jury," said Mr. Batts, "to determine whether the acquisition of the securities of a newspaper by a railroad is a proper incident of normal development. Then the books of the Billard Company were transported to Canada, out of the jurisdiction of the Interstate Commerce Commission, and we cannot trace all the transactions."

Mr. Batts passed in review the acquisition of the Joy Line, the Hartford & New York Transportation Company, and the Neptune Line, and then turned to the Metropolitan Steamship Company.

In this, he said, the defendant, Robinson, added somewhat to the history of his country. In one day in paying out single sums of money he used three different banks, five different accounts, ten different deposits, and nine different checks. He also had recourse to Grover Cleveland Richards, the dining electrician, and brought him to New York City to draw a check for \$1,500,000 on the Eastern Securities Company, which had been called into existence merely to permit Richards to draw that one check.

Mr. Robinson seemed amazed. He followed the intricacies of the deal with

the Prosecutor and seemed to consider it a very good joke.

Mr. Lindabatt suggested that Mr. Batts should give the details of the transaction, and Mr. Nicolai said: "I don't think he understands it all." "I agree," replied Mr. Batts, "I don't understand it all. No one can understand it all."

Mr. Batts said Mr. Batts, "In 1909, in order to get possession of the Metropolitan Steamship Company of New Jersey, the Eastern Securities Company drew a check for \$1,500,000 and paid it to the Billard Company at the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, and the Billard Company next drew a check for \$1,500,000 and deposited it in the account of the New England Securities Company. Next a check for \$1,500,000 was drawn and deposited to the credit of the Metropolitan Steamship Company of Maine at the Bank of the Manhattan Company, and finally a check for \$1,500,000 was drawn by the Metropolitan Steamship Company of Maine, with which the securities of the Metropolitan Steamship Company of New Jersey were bought from the Eastern Securities Company."

"These transactions placed the control of the steamship in the hands of the New Haven."

Mr. Batts told in detail of the way in which he got rid of the two steamships, the Harvard and Yale, the Pacific and the Atlantic, and the three freight boats were transferred into the hands of the New Haven. A whole series of intricate transactions between New dummy companies followed. The result of the deal was that in December, 1911, the Eastern Steamship Corporation was formed to take over all the steamship traffic on the various lines controlled by the New Haven.

"Secrecy Proof of Quiet."

"Such secrecy as this," the counsel asserted, "could not have been undertaken if the acquisition of these lines had been merely the legitimate expansion of business, and the intricacies which passed the power of the human mind to remember and the similarity of the names of the companies formed, evidently with the idea of confusion, appeared to be proof of the guiltiness of the transactions."

At the afternoon session Mr. Batts spent most of his time in explaining on a map the routes followed by the different lines which had been absorbed in the New Haven system, while Judge Hunt came down from the bench to watch his demonstration. As Mr. Batts latched a pointer Mr. Rockefeller volunteered his cane, but John G. Millburn was nearer and forestalled him with his walking stick.

In speaking of the acquisition of the trolley lines of New England, which began in 1905, Mr. Batts said it involved the policy of spending however much money might be necessary to acquire a monopoly. He suggested the price paid for a property might be taken as another test by the jury of the legitimacy of the expansion it produced, and he instanced the purchase of a trolley system from Senator Aldrich and his associates. The New Haven paid for it \$21,000,000, and the Government would show it was worth only one-tenth that price.

Then Mr. Batts launched forth on his explanation of the condition of the New Haven in 1880, when the Sherman law was passed, and not forth with the principal competitors it had to face. He pointed out that there was then plenty of competition, and it would have been possible to build up several rival systems.

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Detective Confiscates 1,700 Chips and Arrests None of the Players.

ALL WERE BUSINESS MEN

Manager Duncan Indignant at Disturbance of Regular Patrons—Blames Discharged Waiter.

Detective Brady, of Inspector Morris's staff, disguised himself as a traveling salesman yesterday afternoon and loitered around the lobby of the Hotel Continental, at Broadway and Forty-first Street. His disguise consisted of a suitcase. The detectives had received an anonymous complaint that poker playing was going on in the hotel.

When a couple of men entered together and went up to the second floor the detective followed them. They entered Room 242; he waited a while and then rapped four times, then kicked on the door. It was opened, and on a table in plain view he saw a quantity of poker chips, cards and some change, with several players seated about the table. A detective sent the chips found in the room and the adjoining room, 1,700 in all, to the police.

The men were all business men and waiters and that he knew them all well. He was indignant at the raid, and had said they all clipped in to play, and played only a friendly game. The anonymous letter, he said, was to the police by a negro waiter, and had been discharged on the basis of the players that he was "lazy."

Mr. Duncan said a detective called at the hotel a week ago following the receipt of the letter, and that when he saw the police he was very angry. He said the hotel was not breaking the law, and that he was very angry. He said the hotel was not breaking the law, and that he was very angry.

"Any hotel in town would allow patrons to play poker if they cared to," Mr. Duncan said. This "raid" was an outrage.

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City Employees Find Defenders in McAneny and Borough Presidents.

DIM LIGHTS ON 5TH AV.

Commissioner Williams Says Saving of \$1,700 Will Be Resented by Residents Above 23d Street.

The first test vote in the Budget Committee of the Board of Estimate on reductions in salaries of city employees came yesterday when the Mayor and Controller Prendergast lined up on one side against President McAneny and Borough Presidents. Founders and Math-

DEFENSE SYSTEM TO COST A BILLION

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years, under the Administration program, the last of which would not be in commission until 1925.

The building of these four ships would tax the capacity of American private yards. There are only five companies now equipped to construct such vessels, four on the Atlantic and one on the Pacific. The Government itself has only one yard, the Brooklyn Navy Yard, where battleships can be constructed, although it is planned to equip the Philadelphia yard also, and possibly the Bremerton plant for this work. Development of the new building program must follow these restrictions.

The present program of not more than four big ships a year also gives opportunity to keep the designs up to date from year to year. This is one reason why it is proposed to build only two battleships the first year and none the second. Naval architecture is making such rapid strides with the great navies of the world engaged in actual hostilities, that American designers hesitate to recommend the construction of a large number of ships at one time. Each year sea conditions alter, and battleships design even in peace times.

Through its Secretary, H. Findlay French, the Maryland League for National Defense has presented to the President a petition urging that he carry out the constitutional injunction to the Executive to "provide for the defense of the United States." This is a non-partisan organization. Among those signing the petition are Senator John Walter Smith, Democrat, and Governor Phillips L. Goldsborough, Republican. The petition is an argument for preparedness against any foreign power.

The defense conditions at New York and Washington are referred to in this way: "And while the necessary training was going on, what? New York, with its accumulated wealth and power, its magnificent buildings and its luxurious homes fall prey to flames at the hands of the invader. Baltimore and Maryland would be equally in danger. Shall Maryland be made a second Belgium, to be laid waste and depopulated by the invader? Shall the Atlantic and Pacific seaboard be raised a bogey cry of military? Shall the important cities and towns be wrecked, and the people driven to the mountains of the West, which would be needed for national defense?"

NAVY LETS CONTRACTS FOR 22 WAR CRAFT

Opens Bids for Sixteen Submarines and Six Destroyers to Cost \$13,563,943.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—Secretary Daniels announced today the names of the successful bidders for the new submarines and torpedo boat destroyers authorized by the naval appropriation act of 1915. The awards were for six destroyers and sixteen submarines. The total value of the contracts was \$13,563,943. Of this amount \$11,085,000 will be spent in private shipbuilding yards, and \$2,478,943 in Government yards. The value of the contracts for submarines was \$8,640,000, and for destroyers \$4,923,943.

There were nine bidders, including some who had not before offered to build submarines for the United States Navy. The department awarded the contract for the submarines to three private concerns and two navy yards. The submarines to be built in Government yards will be of the Holland type, built after plans by the Electric Boat Company, making a total of ten Holland boats, including those awarded to the Electric Boat Company itself, while the remaining six will be of the Lake type. Two of the torpedo boat destroyers also will be built at navy yards, one each at the Norfolk and Mare Island Yards, in pursuance of the policy of Secretary Daniels in endeavoring to encourage construction of naval vessels of all types in the navy yards. Norfolk and Mare Island are being developed especially for the construction of destroyers. The Portsmouth and Puget Sound Navy Yards, each by contract. The New York and Philadelphia Navy Yards are being developed as yards for the construction of battleships. The New York Yard is now the only one that can build a dreadnought. The estimates ready to

be submitted to the incoming Congress recommend an appropriation for the construction of a large building slip at the Philadelphia Navy Yard, to be used to construct battleships and battle cruisers. Mr. Daniels is hoping that this slip will be completed in time for the Philadelphia Navy Yard to have a slip for the construction of battleships in another year.

The contracts for the construction of the submarines were awarded as follows: Eight submarines to the Electric Boat Company, for \$5,400,000 each. Three submarines to the Lake Torpedo Boat Company, for \$5,400,000 each. Three submarines on the Lake Torpedo Boat Company, for \$5,400,000 each.

One submarine to the navy yard, Portsmouth, N. H., for \$500,000. One submarine to the navy yard, Puget Sound, Washington, for \$500,000. The Newport News Shipbuilding Company and the New York Shipbuilding Company of Camden, N. J., were bidders, but got no contracts. Secretary Daniels explained that their bids were higher than those of the concerns to which contracts had been awarded, and in addition to that fact, these companies proposed to build submarines according to the Hay-Denny design and patents. Only four or five of these submarines have been built anywhere in the world. The others for them could not be built in this country at once. The first engines would be laid down, would delay the completion of the submarines.

Secretary Daniels last July delayed the opening of bids for the submarines at the request of the Newport News and Camden companies to enable them to perfect arrangements for bidding. He did this in the hope that other companies might enter the field of submarine construction. Secretary Daniels explained also why the two submarines awarded to the Portsmouth and Puget Sound Yards were to be of the Holland type. He said that if the Lake type had been chosen it would have cost the Government a royalty of \$50,000 for each submarine built in Government yard, while the royalty to be paid to the Electric Boat Company for the privilege of building

committees, except the Controller, voted to keep Miss Clark's salary at \$1,500. Supervisor David Ferguson, of the City Record, made a protest against the salary of a stenographer, Washington Telegram, being reduced from \$1,200 to \$1,200. He has been in the department twenty-five years. Mayor Mitchell ordered to compromise at \$1,200, but the majority of the committee, McAneny, Founders and Mathewson, voted to keep the salary at \$1,500.

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neighborhood and the taxpayers will not stand for it, I am sure. It is an outrageous demand. The Mayor's attention was called to a statement that if the Board of Estimate allowed the cuts the sub-committee are expected to make in the salaries of the chief, deputy chiefs, and assistant chiefs of the Fire Department these officials would request to be reduced on a pension of one-half of their salaries, he said.

The question of reducing salaries in the Fire Department has been referred to the Corporation Counsel and until he gives an opinion the Board will be taken by the Budget Committee.

OPEN NEW SUBMARINE BASE.

Cruiser Columbia and Undersea Craft in New London Harbor.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Oct. 18.—Seven submarines, the G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, G-5, G-6 and G-7, accompanied by the monitors Tonopah and Ozark as tenders and by the cruiser Columbia as flagship, arrived in this harbor today to open the new submarine base at Groton, Conn. The Columbia anchored off New London Light, but the submarines and tenders at once proceeded up the river and the undersea craft tied up at the pier at the Navy Yard.

The first vessel of this class to be built on the Pacific Coast by a private concern since the completion of the Paul Jones in 1902. It also marks the entry of this company into the field for building this class of vessels. The vessel serves the double purpose of developing the country's shipbuilding facilities on the Pacific Coast and of widening the field of competition for the award of Government contracts.

The vessel assigned to the Norfolk Navy Yard will be the first of this class of boats to be constructed by private concern and the one assigned to the Mare Island Yard will be the second boat of this class to be undertaken by that yard. The contracts for all of the above vessels call for delivery in eighteen or twenty months, which marks a distinct advance in rapidity of construction over previous years.

Concerning the award of submarine contracts Secretary Daniels said: "The designs and specifications which were submitted meet, in all essential respects, the rigid requirements for this class of vessel which were laid down by the Navy Department. In general features and characteristics they represent a small advance in size, but a much greater advance in efficiency. Both designs propose improved engines of the heavy oil type and greatly improved storage batteries, these advances having been made possible by general developments in engineering science and by extended experience in previous submarines of the United States Navy. "As in the case of the destroyers, the bidders show their ability to build more rapidly than heretofore, as the guaranteed dates of delivery are in all cases well within the twelve-month period which was the best period of construction for any boats of this class previously laid down. "Also, as in the case of the destroyers, it will be noted that the awards for submarines have followed out the Secretary's policy of developing the building facilities of navy yards, and at the same time encouraging private enterprise and widening the field of competition. "With special reference to the navy yards, the present assignment gives a second submarine to the Portsmouth Navy Yard, which has already partially completed a vessel of this type, and assigns the first vessel of this type to the Puget Sound Navy Yard, which will

NEARING ON PREPAREDNESS.

He Does Not Like the Way the President is Handling It.

Special to The New York Times. HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 18.—Addressing the Hartford Get-Together Club tonight, Professor Scott Nearing, formerly of the University of Pennsylvania, referred to the Wilson Administration's handling of the question of preparedness, which he disapproved. "Individual opinion is a matter of personal judgment. Public opinion is a balance, not of individual feelings and facts, but of people weighted in proportion to their relative influences," he said. "In the individual you get a matter weighed and considered in the terms of his prejudices, feelings, and all the background of his life. In the case of a public matter, what you really have is the registering of votes on a public matter. Different people with different ideas are balanced against one another to give you a decision and a conclusion. "If you are employed by the du Pont Powder Company or the Colt Revolver Works you are not likely to shout for peace. And this brings up the question of preparedness. I cannot admire the present administration's method of handling that problem.

insure that this yard in the future will be able to undertake new construction."

REVENTLOW'S EYE ON U. S.

German Naval Critic Devotes a Column to Our Defense Plans.

BERLIN, Oct. 18.—Count von Reventlow devotes a column in the Tageszeitung to the American naval program for the coming five years, and says: "It is significant that the United States is carefully watching the great war and, notwithstanding the submarine successes, has decided on the construction of sixteen huge battleships."



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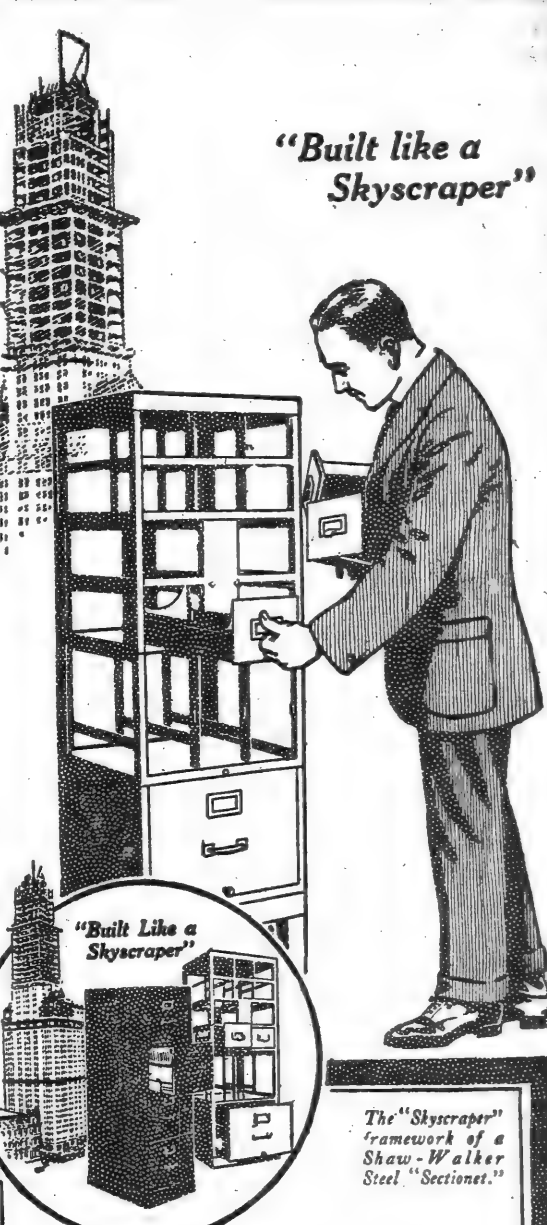
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Prof. E. R. A. Seligman Would Take Such Power Away from the State.

FAVORS AN INCOME TAX

Mills Committee to Hear General Public This Afternoon and Then Adjourn Till Nov. 29.

The only witness before the Mills Committee on Taxation in the Municipal Building yesterday was Edwin R. A. Seligman, Professor of Political Economy in Columbia University and Chairman of the Executive Committee of Mayor Mitchell's Committee on Taxation. He readily qualified as an expert on taxation and was allowed to give at length his views regarding a State income tax.

Professor Seligman said he was in favor of an income tax, and that if it was limited to 1 per cent. it would provide a revenue of more than \$20,000,000 and would make the imposition of a direct State tax unnecessary.

Real estate taxation at present is too burdensome for property owners, in Seligman's opinion. He urged that realties be given the sole power to tax real estate, taking such power from the State. Personal property taxation, he said, was bound to fail in New York and in every place where similar conditions prevail, largely because the American system is that of the taxpayer to follow the taxpayer's legal residence.

Bronson Winthrop, counsel to the committee, asked Mr. Seligman to outline the principal defects of New York State's taxation system, taking up real estate first.

"The defects are of a double nature," said Seligman. "The first is the State's attempt to tax real estate at all. The result is that in this country there is pressure on assessors to reduce assessments. England, Germany, and France have abandoned the attempt to tax real estate. The United States has relegated it to local divisions. That is tending to come about in this country because of the inequalities in assessments in the different counties."

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"What is your opinion of the personal property tax?" asked Mr. Winthrop.

"It is a distinct failure," replied Mr. Seligman, emphatically. "Everywhere else in the world, where conditions exist such as in New York, the personal property tax is a failure. It is a failure because, first, under the present economic conditions, the country is no longer a good index of his ability to pay. Second, whole classes now have no ability to pay personal property taxes and have no property. Third, under our American system, personal property follows the taxpayer's residence. A man's legal residence is in a place other than where he earns his money, where he lives most of the year. It is practically impossible to reach a man who can evade taxation as easily as that. Fourth, as a consequence of this, in order to raise money for governmental burdens the rate has to be very high."

Personality Tax is Unfair.

"Any system is obviously unfair that takes away 40 or 50 per cent. from one man and from his neighbor nothing at all because he changes his residence. Therefore, I say that our system of general personal property tax, which was good 100 years ago when conditions were simple and economic conditions different, when people lived where they earned their money, is a failure now, especially in wealthy States like New York. Now the system breaks down completely and is not only unfair, but unfair. This system results only in increased perjury. To make a man pay the tax he feels are unjust is to make him an otherwise honest man resort to dishonest practices. In New York State a man may be dishonestly honest and high minded and evade the personal property tax entirely by investing in other ways."

Professor Seligman expressed the belief that a small stamp tax on mortgages would work no hardship and would be a very considerable revenue. This tax would be borne by the lender of money. Assemblyman Chase told the witness that most of the testimony of the bankers and financiers was to the effect that the borrower invariably paid the mortgage tax. The witness said this was a debatable question.

In reply to a question from Chairman Seligman as to whether he saw no objection to a tax on motor vehicles at a rate of a cent a pound, or a rate based on their horse power, such a tax, however, should not be levied against the profit of a business, he said, when it can be reached in other ways.

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Revenues from a habitation tax would be enormous, even if the rate were low. If you exempt all low rentals, wage earners with low incomes would be affected. But I would hesitate to place this tax on the law books of the State. The equality would be less the further you get away from all cities, but the direct economic conditions of the country would make more money inequality throughout the State.

Favors Direct Income Tax.

"A direct income tax is the only scheme left if you reject the other schemes put forth. Individuals are not paying a fair share to the State, nor are the corporations. If an income tax were applied it would get over the personal property tax obstacles and would give you all the money you need and more. A personal property tax requires a high percentage of assessments while an income tax requires only 1 per cent."

"I have calculated that a 1 per cent. income tax would bring in a minimum of \$21,000,000 or \$22,000,000 a year," he said.

Professor Seligman said the income tax should be levied where the income was derived. Income derived from real estate outside the State should be exempted on the theory that they were already taxed in the locality of their existence. The exemption on incomes of \$1,000 or less would be regarded as entirely too great. He said exemption should vary according to the size of the family and place of residence. Statistics had calculated, he said, that in New York City it requires from \$1,000 to \$1,200 a year to keep body and soul together. In a family of three or four children, therefore, there should be an exemption of \$3,000. These figures include, he said, the moderately prosperous mechanic or clerk. Under the present system, he said, should not be imposed, he said, and there should be no super tax on great incomes.

Professor Seligman said that a man could hardly be taxed on an income derived from another State, but he should be taxed on so much of his interests as lay in New York.

How to Tax Rockefeller.

"Mr. Rockefeller lives in New York," he said, "and should be taxed on his income in New York. Mr. Carnegie should also be taxed on what income he derives here. On the other hand, if a man is proved to have just enough for his wife and family he should not be taxed at all. If you want to allow children certain comforts, which they are entitled to, an allowance ought to be made for wife and children. If a man has an income of \$1,000, which would be the minimum income taxable under the plan I suggest, and has two or three children, he should be allowed \$200 or \$300 a year for each child. I would exempt the average farmer and laborer."

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BOY RAISED \$4,000 FOR 'MRS. FLAGLER'

Mahoney, Telephone Operator at \$6 a Week, Borrowed Right and Left.

\$15,000,000 ESTATE A LURE

Mrs. Zora Emma Johnson, on Trial for Swindle, Promised to be His Fairy Godmother, He Testifies.

Charged with swindling a telephone operator out of nearly \$4,000 by representing himself to be the widow of Henry M. Flagler, the Standard Oil capitalist, Mrs. Zora Emma Johnson was placed on trial for grand larceny in the first degree before Judge Mulqueen in General Sessions yesterday. The operator whom she is alleged to have lured into her power through promises of wealth and affluence for himself and his family is Frank Mahoney, 20 years old, employed by the New York Telephone Company on a switchboard at a salary of \$6 a week.

Mahoney told yesterday how the white-haired woman had convinced him that she was the widow of Henry M. Flagler. He said she was to inherit \$15,000,000 under the will of Henry M. Flagler. He said she had come into her share of her husband's estate. According to his story she had been induced to make gifts outright of \$40,000 to himself and \$10,000 to each member of his family. He believed it all.

He first met Mrs. Johnson on the night of April 30 in the New York Telephone Building at 17 Bay Street. She said she wanted a long distance number in Pittsburgh, and Mahoney, who was at the switchboard at the time, tried hard to make the connection. His energy around the work caused her to take him and dropped the hint that she was the widow of Henry M. Flagler.

Fascinated by Her Promises.

Mahoney was impressed. His amazement grew when she informed him that on May 20, which was the second anniversary of Mr. Flagler's death, she would come into possession of a \$10,000,000 estate. Her manner, her appearance, the appearance of the woman who told him that she was the widow of Henry M. Flagler, he said, was the time being in great distress because she had been lured into her power through promises of wealth and affluence for himself and his family. He believed it all.

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Then He Began to Borrow.

But that was not enough. On May 6, a week after he first met "Mrs. Flagler," he gave her \$800 which he said yesterday he had borrowed from George H. Eberle, chief clerk in the office of the Civil Service Commission. He told his friends and his relatives that he would soon be drawing \$20,000 a year salary as secretary to the widow of a Standard Oil millionaire, and they gave him all the money he needed for that purpose.

In the meanwhile, to prove she was acting in good faith, she took him into the National City Bank and made out two promissory notes each for \$5,000, one payable to Mahoney and the other to his mother. The teller said the notes were not properly made out, and the woman shrieked and told him to hold the notes until she came back. But when she returned several weeks later, Mahoney was not there to see the assistant cashier pass the notes back to the woman because she had no account in the bank. Harry Johnson, the assistant cashier, testified to this fact yesterday.

Mahoney also derived a visit to the law office of Rose & Paskus, where "Mrs. Flagler" had papers drawn up giving the boy and his mother a large sum of \$15,000,000 estate. One of the members of the firm objected on the ground that Mahoney was too young and probably not capable of handling such a vast estate. But "Mrs. Flagler" insisted that Mahoney was efficient, and consequently he received full power

of attorney, with a right to transact all her affairs. Stimulated by the prospects she opened to him once she came into possession of her estate, the boy continued to borrow and pour into her lap all the money she could get from his friends. From a brother-in-law, William J. Warner of 68 Henry Street, he borrowed more than \$1,000. From Michael J. Shanahan, clerk in the office of the Corporation Counsel, he borrowed more than \$800. They all believed he would soon be in position to repay them—that he had struck a bonanza. By June 3, not much more than a month after he had first met "Mrs. Flagler," he testified he had given her in all \$3,886, for which he received not one penny in return. Then, like an inspiration, he said, it occurred to him that he was being swindled. On one occasion, in the Pennsylvania Railroad Station, he showed him a box which she said contained securities upon which she would realize at least \$10,000. She let the box in the baggage room. He said she was the nearest thing to her alleged inheritance Mahoney ever saw. After his suspicions were aroused, he demanded his money back. She said she hadn't anything to give back, and he thereupon had her arrested.

Harry Johnson, Assistant Cashier of the National City Bank, testified that when the woman came to the bank she spoke of herself as the "divorced wife of Henry M. Flagler." He said she did not impress him as being coherent or particularly rational. The trial will be continued today.

DEFENDS SCHOOL DANCES.

John Collier Replies to Attack of Father J. B. Curry.

John Collier, Director of the New York Training School for Community Centre Workers, yesterday replied to Father James B. Curry's attack on dancing in the public schools, in an address at the opening session of the school's term.

"Community Centre dances are organized and supervised by groups of neighbors, including fathers and mothers, and an abundance of voluntary supervision, and the social dance is only an instance of community work," said Mr. Collier. "The dance is a 'feeder' of participants in the more substantial activities of the community center. Father Curry's remarks about dancing in school buildings is a dangerous enterprise. The school building, which goes into competition with commercial enterprises, is a place where the dance is a social activity. The dance is a social activity. The dance is a social activity."

Of course social dancing is good in itself, but it is quite true that public dancing in school buildings is a dangerous enterprise. The school building, which goes into competition with commercial enterprises, is a place where the dance is a social activity. The dance is a social activity. The dance is a social activity."

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MADEN ACCUSER RECANTS.

Corroborates Girl's Story That Gangster Was "Framed Up."

"Willie" Mott, a gunner on the U. S. S. Brooklyn, was examined before Judge Nott in General Sessions yesterday in proceedings brought to obtain a new trial for Owen Madden, the west side gangster who was sent to Sing Sing for twenty years for killing "Patsey" Doyle last November. Mott is one of three witnesses for the State who since Madden's conviction have filed affidavits alleging that they were forced to "frame" Madden by Assistant District Attorney Walter R. Deuel.

Mott corroborated in substance the "frame up" story told by Frieda Horner and Margaret Everedine, the two girls who testified on the motion for a new trial. When asked why he had given perjured testimony at the trial, he replied:

"I was sick of being harried in the District Attorney's office. When you called me to the stand to lie at the trial." "No," the gunner answered. "He never told me to lie, but he had a very clever way of making me say just what he wanted."

SAYS WOMEN ROBBED HER.

Gems Disappear After a Chance Meeting in Broadway Cafe.

A young woman, dressed in a dark blue evening gown with a picture hat, called at the Fourth Branch Detective Bureau early yesterday morning and said that she had been robbed of three diamond rings and a diamond bracelet, worth \$2,500, in a cafe in Broadway, near 108th Street, by three women. She said that after having several drinks with the women whom she did not know, she became unconscious, and when she recovered her senses both her jewelry and the women were gone.

Truck Breaks Broadway Pavement.

A wheel of a motor truck carrying from Centiles Slip to the Equitable Building the steel door of a vault weighing twenty-five tons, and so bulky that it is estimated three days will be required to install it, broke through the block pavement in Broadway at Madison Street, at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and the surface line was halted for an hour. The heavy men with powerful jacks, freed the wheel, but such a crowd had gathered the police reserves were called from the Old Slip Station to keep order.

CHARGES RAILROADS MULCT IMMIGRANTS

State Labor Officials Press Complaint Against Six Carrier Companies.

U. S. INVESTIGATOR HERE

Alleged Agents Make Improper Allowance for "Third-Class" Passage Sold Abroad.

Complaint has been made against six railroad companies by the Bureau of Industries and Immigration, New York State Department of Labor, to the Interstate Commerce Commission, charging unjust discrimination against immigrants in the selling of railroad tickets.

The common carriers mentioned are the Baltimore & Ohio, the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, the Erie, the Lehigh Valley, the New York, Ontario & Western, and the West Shore.

This action is the outcome of a controversy growing out of a report made last year against the transportation companies by James M. Lynch, Commissioner of Labor, before his office was taken over by the State Industrial Commission. The last affidavits filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission bore the date of Sept. 24, 1915. Mrs. Marian K. Clark, chief investigator of the bureau, said yesterday that the railroad companies had been continuing their unfair treatment of immigrants, and that every steamship bringing to this port second-class passengers afforded instances of illegal practice.

The complaints, drawn by the attorney of the bureau, Miles O'Brien, Jr., have been taken under advisement by the Federal commission, and a representative of that body is expected here tomorrow. Most immigrants before leaving their native lands buy tickets which include both ocean passage and the railroad fare to their destinations in the United States. The bureau charges that the foreign agents of the steamship companies and the railroads sell "third-class" railroad transportation, although there is in this country no such thing as it is understood in Europe. The second-class passengers of the railroads are treated as first-class passengers of the steamships. The bureau charges that the railroads sell "third-class" railroad transportation, although there is in this country no such thing as it is understood in Europe. The second-class passengers of the railroads are treated as first-class passengers of the steamships.

The matter has been taken up by the bureau with the Trunk Line Association, which it alleged gave assurances that its agents had been instructed to discontinue the practice of collecting commissions on the exchange of third-class or mixed tickets. After negotiations, however, the investigators of the bureau say that they have not even been permitted to see a copy of these instructions to agents.

The attorney of the bureau intends to proceed on the lines of the original report, which said that "the original course open, in order to destroy this practice of extortion, whereby hundreds of dollars are unlawfully taken from immigrants and aliens, is to refer the case to the proper authorities for prosecution."

At the offices of the Trunk Line Association it was said that the tariff published covered all that was to be said on the immigrant matter, and that the tariff for immigrants had been on file for months with the commission.

COUPLE HELD FOR ARSON.

Six Fires Set in Tenement Holding Twenty-two Families.

Charged with having started six separate fires in their apartment on the fourth floor of the six-story tenement house at

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et al. (foreclosure of mortgage)
Princk & Nathan.
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Inc., against D. A. Cunningham
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64TH ST. 302 East; Joseph
against Fredrick and Corvelli
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More Troops.

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Reinforcements Are Being
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All Possible Speed.

TEUTONS WIN ON THE SAVE

Austrians Capture Obrenovatz
as Germans Press South
from the Danube.

Britain Tells Greece That Treaty Must Be Upheld

Special Cable to The New York Times.
LONDON, Wednesday, Oct. 20.—
The Daily News says this morning:
"It is understood that the Government has made strong representations to Greece that her treaty obligations must be upheld and is now awaiting her reply."

LONDON, Wednesday, Oct. 20.—News that the Bulgarian army operating against Vranja has succeeded in capturing that city, thus cutting the railroad between Nish and Saloniki; that Italy and Russia have declared war on Bulgaria, and that the Quadruple Entente Powers have informed Greece that they do not accept her interpretation of the treaty with Serbia, which she has renounced, are the outstanding features in the latest developments of the Balkan situation.

Russia's decision to fight Bulgaria is made known in a manifesto by the Czar, which seems likely to impress the Bulgarian people, if it should become known to them. It is possible that the action which Russia and Italy intend to take in the Balkans will now be clearly defined. Meanwhile a squadron has left Italy under sealed orders, presumably to participate in the blockade of the Bulgarian coast.

The new pressure on Greece took the form of a friendly note handed to Premier Zaimis by the British and Russian Ministers. Besides pointing out that the entente's interpretation of Greece's treaty obligations to Serbia was not in conformity with that of the Greek Government, the communication outlined the desirability of going over to the Allies and to land more troops at Saloniki. It is not believed here that anything but allied success will have any influence with Rumania, although the fact that Greece is at least considering the advisability of going over to the Allies and is prepared to do so should events so shape themselves as to render the move prudent is indicated by the Government organ Neon Ays of Athens, which says that the recent council of Ministers adopted measures to be taken should the operations on the Serbo-Bulgarian frontier bring the Bulgarians into Greece, an eventuality which, the paper says, the Government will not tolerate.

The number of British and French troops which are being disembarked at Saloniki is so large, according to a dispatch from Athens, that it is impossible to forward them all promptly by rail to Serbia, and some of the troops are making forced marches northward across Greek territory.

Teuton Progress in the North.
The latest German official report of the operations in Serbia, issued by the Berlin War Office yesterday, show that the Austrian Army, which for so long has been held back on the Save River, along the northwestern border, has at last broken down the desperate resistance of the Serbs and occupied Obrenovatz. The bulletin says:

Austro-Hungarian troops under General Jovess captured the town of Obrenovatz.
South of Belgrade the German and Austro-Hungarian units, after a battle, reached the heights east of Grocka, south of Ripanj, and south of Grocka, on the Danube. It is impossible to advance about twelve miles along the railroad.

The right wing of the army of General von Gallwitz, has captured the region west of Seme, as well as the village of Vobani and Malakina. The plateau at Lucina, and those south and east of Seme, as far as Malakina, were wrested from the enemy.
The army of General Bogacheff, commander of the 11th Army (Army) rushed forward by way of Inovo toward Micalica, in the direction of the valley of the Save, in the direction of Nish, which is about forty miles west of the town of Pirot.

Other Bulgarian troops captured Vranja, in the valley of the upper Save, and further south, already have crossed the Egri-Palanka-Stip line.

Austrians Storm a Mountain.

The Austrian official version of the latest operations, issued last night by the War Office in Vienna, is as follows:

The attacks of the allied armies yesterday progressed everywhere. The

Czar Says Russian People Draw the Sword Against Bulgaria "With a Bleeding Heart"

PETROGRAD, Oct. 19, via London, Oct. 20.—The following imperial manifesto has been issued:
"We hereby make known to all our loyal subjects that the treason of Bulgaria to the Slavic cause, prepared with perfidy since the beginning of the war, has now, although it seemed impossible, become an accomplished fact. Bulgarian troops have attacked our loyal ally, Serbia, already bleeding in the struggle against a stronger enemy.
"Russia and the great powers, our allies, tried to dissuade the Government of Ferdinand of Coburg from taking this fatal step. The realization of the ancient aspirations of the Bulgarian people regarding the annexation of Macedonia was assured to Bulgaria by other means, in conformity with Slav interests, but underhand methods prompted by the Germans and fratricidal hatred of the Serbians triumphed.
"Bulgaria, our co-religionist, liberated but a short time ago from the Turkish yoke by the fraternal love of the Russian people, openly took sides with the enemies of the Christian faith, Slavism, and Russia.
"The Russian people regard with sorrow the treason of Bulgaria, which was sworn to until these last few days, with bleeding heart, to draw its sword against her, leaving the fate of the betrayer of the Slav cause to the just punishment of God."

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French Are Forced from Trenches
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BUT REGAIN LOST GROUND

Germans Take the Offensive in
Belgium Also, but Are
Thrown Back.

LONDON, Oct. 19.—An assault on the French line east of Rheims was made by the German forces today on a wide front and in great numbers. Prolonged and violent bombardment and the use of gas shells and clouds of chlorine gas preceded the attack which penetrated part of the French trenches.
A sharp counterattack by Joffre's soldiers followed, and, according to the official bulletin issued in Paris tonight, a large part of the lost ground was regained. With another French onslaught, it is said, the Germans were driven back to their own lines.
The Germans have also taken the offensive along the Yser-Ypres Canal in Belgium, and last night, according to Belgian official advice, gained a foothold on the east bank. From this point they have since been dislodged.
The French night bulletin says:

To the east of Rheims the enemy attacked our front with strong forces this morning on a front of ten kilometers, (approximately 6.2 miles), from the village of Somme, to the village of Looz, to the north of the Aisne, on the plateau of Nouvron, from the Meuse and the Moselle, in the forest of Apremont and in Lorraine, to the south of Leirville.
The enemy infantry succeeded at several points in penetrating our trench of the first line, but was almost completely driven out by immediate repulse.
In the afternoon an energetic counteroffensive resulted in the capture of the enemy trenches which were then entirely thrown back into the trenches which they had left. The German infantry experienced in the course of that fruitless attempt heavy losses.
In the rest of the front there were artillery engagements. These were directed by them against our positions of Looz, to the north of the Aisne, on the plateau of Nouvron, from the Meuse and the Moselle, in the forest of Apremont and in Lorraine, to the south of Leirville.
In the afternoon two camouflaged (small mines) which shattered enemy mine works.

The day bulletin reads:
German forces last night delivered three attacks, making use of hand grenades, in the Bois-en-Hache, to the northeast of Somme, in the direction of the village of Looz, in the position recently conquered by us, completely repulsed them, and they were driven back to their original positions. The enemy was helped by our batteries. To the south of the River Somme, in the sector of Libourne, were spirited rifle exchanges in which both sides took part.
In the Germanic district there has been some fighting with bombs to the east of the neighboring farm.
The concentrated fire of our artillery against the batteries of the enemy put a stop to a severe bombardment directed by them against our positions at Les Eparges. There is nothing to report from the remainder of the front.

A group of French aviators during the night of Oct. 17 and 18 bombarded the German aviation field at Burillon, to the northeast of Chateau Salins. It was apparent that certain hangars were demolished.
A Belgian official communication says:
After having taken last evening, as the result of a violent bombardment, the heights of the east bank of the Yser-Ypres Canal, the Germans were driven out that night by our troops.
There has been an intermittent bombardment at various points along our front, which was particularly violent at the village of Nieuwkerke, Noordhout, and the "Ferryman's House."
The German Army Headquarters Staff statement said:
"In the Western theatre there were no important incidents."

TALKS OF "REVOLUTION."

Liberal Member Predicts Failure of
This Cabinet and the Next.

LONDON, Wednesday, Oct. 20.—Horatio Bottomley, Liberal member of Parliament, in a speech at Newcastle last night, predicted the immediate collapse of the coalition Government. He said that the Premier, for all practical purposes, already had resigned and would be succeeded by Andrew Bonar Law, but that the new experiment would be no more successful than the coalition and that before the end of the war "we should have a revolution or a national council of business men."

Ten Mexicans Die for Texas Hold-Up; Soldiers and Posses Scour Border

Summary Punishment Inflicted Upon Suspected Bandits and No
Details Are Given—Three Americans Dead and Four
Wounded on Wrecked Train.

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, Oct. 19.—Ten Mexicans today paid with their lives for alleged complicity in last night's wrecking of a St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico passenger train on the outskirts of Brownsville, the killing of three Americans, and the wounding of four others. Peace officers said tonight they had clues to other Mexicans connected with the robbery. No secret wish to kill, they said, would be killed if the civilian posse caught them.

The Americans killed by the Mexican bandits were:
Engineer H. H. Kendall, pinned beneath engine.
Dr. B. S. Cain, Deputy State Health Officer at Brownsville, shot.
Corporal McBee, Third United States Cavalry, shot.
Those injured were Harry J. Wallis, Brownsville, shot in arm; R. Woodhall, Brownsville, scalded and bruised; Claude J. Crosby, Austin, shot in head; and in the jaw, and C. H. Layman, Troop D, Third Cavalry, shot in neck and leg.

The wrecking of the train, which occurred near Olmito, seven miles north of here, last night, was followed by the robbery of the passengers. The Mexicans are declared to be followers of Luis de la Rosa, leader of the so-called Texas revolution.

Civil officers here were in most cases powerless to prevent summary executions of Mexicans, for many of the possees were composed mostly of men who worked independently of civil or military authority. The military authorities under their present instructions have no power to act, except in cases of actual fighting on the river front, in which case they may take charge temporarily of directing the operations of any civilians who may be near the scene of the crime or attempt to make search, or even arrests, except in emergencies, the military authorities have had to call for the aid of civil officers, who alone have the right of search and arrest.

Mexican Passenger First Victim.
The first Mexican killed as an act of reprisal by the possees was an unidentified young man, a passenger on the train, who was accused of revealing the hiding place of Dr. P. S. Cain, Deputy State Health Officer here, who took refuge in the lavatory of the car when the bandits began firing. Sheriff W. T. Vann of Brownsville denied reports of this Mexican's death, but tonight it developed that possees killed the man after Sheriff Vann left the scene of the wreck. This Mexican was himself threatened by

SINK 6 GERMAN SHIPS, TORPEDO 2 OTHERS

British Submarines Reach a
New Climax of Activity
in the Baltic.

ATTACK 4 NEAR STOCKHOLM

Others Captured Are Sent to the
Bottom by Opening Their
Seacocks.

STOCKHOLM, Oct. 19.—Four German steamers, the Pernambuco, Söderhamm, Johannes-Russ, and Dalafven, were sunk torpedoes in the Baltic Sea off Oseloosund, to the south of Stockholm, by a British submarine.

The Pernambuco and Dalafven were sunk, but the Söderhamm and Johannes-Russ are still afloat. The crews of all the steamers were saved.

The Söderhamm, which was loaded with wood, and the Pernambuco, with a cargo of iron ore, were bound for Germany. The destinations of the Johannes-Russ and Dalafven are not known.

In addition, according to reports from various pilot stations, four other German steamers were sent to the bottom by British submarines outside the southern Stockholm archipelago during the last twenty-four hours. The names of these vessels have not yet become known.

British sailors sank them by opening their sea valves, after having given the German crews plenty of time to leave their vessels.

The Dalafven was caught and sunk just outside Swedish waters and under the eyes of Swedish warships.

There are now forty-one German ships, mostly iron ore carriers, blockaded in Swedish waters.

The Pernambuco was a vessel of 4,788 tons, the Söderhamm of 1,490 tons, and the Johannes-Russ of 1,761 tons. The Dalafven is not mentioned in available shipping records.

GEFLE, Sweden, Oct. 19.—The Nord-lanposten states that the Swedish Legation at Petrograd has informed the Foreign Office at Stockholm that the Swedish legation at Petrograd has been captured by a British submarine.

The Nike was on her way from a Swedish port for Stettin, Germany, with a cargo of ore. She was taken by the submarine to the Russian port of Revel.

A PROTEST BY NORWAY.

Says Steamer Elir Was Illegally
Seized by Germany.

LONDON, Oct. 19.—The Norwegian Government, according to a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Copenhagen, has requested Germany to release the Norwegian steamer Elir, recently taken into a German port under the escort of a German torpedo boat.

The Norwegian authorities declare that the cargo of the Elir consisted of cotton, which Germany has not declared contraband, and further that the steamer was captured in international waters.

The cotton, the Copenhagen dispatch adds, appears to have been destined in part for Gotthenburg, Sweden, and the remainder for Copenhagen to an American representative of New York firm, who since is alleged to have disappeared from Copenhagen.

NEW JERSEY BEATS SUFFRAGE BY 46,278; WHILE PRESIDENT WILSON VOTES 'YES,' MRS. GALT, HIS FIANCEE, IS OUT AS ANTI

SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT VOTE IN NEW JESSEY

	For.	Vote Cast.	Against.	Majority.	Dist.
Atlantic	2,948	6,603	3,655	387	40
Bergen	6,889	7,256	387	13	6
Burlington	3,508	4,862	1,354	16	13
Camden	9,079	11,544	2,465	6	18
Cape May	1,438	1,781	343	9	32
Cumberland	2,928	3,518	590	4	4
Essex	21,233	34,876	13,643	7,376	2
Gloucester	2,590	3,038	448	4	4
Hudson	24,100	31,476	7,376	2	2
Hunterdon	1,747	2,220	473	4	4
Mercer	6,864	10,112	3,248	13	13
Middlesex	3,114	5,284	2,170	54	54
Monmouth	2,822	3,298	476	54	54
Morris	1,817	2,857	1,040	34	34
Ocean	1,131	921	210	15	15
Passaic	10,766	12,999	2,233	9	9
Salem	1,236	1,634	398	9	9
Somerset	1,883	3,259	1,376	2	2
Sussex	1,099	2,012	913	9	9
Union	7,158	10,480	3,322	2	2
Warren	1,638	2,236	598	9	9
Totals	115,988	162,266	46,278	239	239
Plurality				210	210

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MRS. GALT OPPOSES VOTES FOR WOMEN

President's Fiancee Lets Her
Views Be Known While
He Is Voting.

NOT AN ACTIVE WORKER

But Her Declaration Gives Com-
fort to the Anti-Suffragists
in the National Capital.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 19.—Secretary Daniels tonight announced the details of the national defense program for the navy. It embraces the expenditure of \$502,482,214 during the next five years for construction of new vessels, aviation, and reserve of munitions. As this will be in addition to the annual appropriation of more than \$100,000,000 for the upkeep of the navy, aggregating more than \$600,000,000 in the next five years, exclusive of new construction, it is apparent that the plans of the Administration call for an expenditure of more than \$1,000,000,000 on the navy during the next five years, or an average of more than \$200,000,000 for each annual naval appropriation bill.

President Wilson will urge Congress to adopt the five-year program of naval increase recommended by Secretary Daniels. Here are the new units, which it is proposed to add to the fleet:

	1917-1918	1919	1920	1921	Total
Battleships	2	2	2	2	10
Battle cruisers	2	2	2	2	10
Light cruisers	10	10	10	10	40
Destroyers	15	15	15	15	60
Submarines	15	15	15	15	60
Fast submarines	2	2	2	2	10
Coast submarines	2	2	2	2	10
Gunboats	2	2	2	2	10
Amphibious ships	0	0	0	1	1
Fuel oil ships	0	0	0	1	1
Repair ships	0	0	0	1	1
Total	55	55	55	55	220

The amount to be spent for construction of these new vessels during the fiscal years 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, and 1921 will be \$422,964,087. In addition it will be necessary to spend during the next two years \$48,518,127 for the completion of new naval units authorized in the last two years, which are now either under construction or just about to be started. The grand total to be spent on the increase of the navy in the next five years will be \$1,000,000,000.

For 185 new ships... \$422,964,087
For continuing ships already authorized... 48,518,127
For aviation... 5,000,000
For reserve supply of munitions... 2,000,000
Total for increase... \$528,482,214

Total for the navy for 5 years \$1,017,482,214
For upkeep of the fleet \$599,517,786
Total for the navy for 5 years \$1,617,000,000
For this grand total the official estimates for the navy, approved by the President, call for the appropriation of \$217,659,152 at the coming session of Congress. This would be an increase of \$67,880,934 over last year's appropriation of \$149,778,218. Under this recommendation the amount of appropriations for the navy during the next two years would be \$422,964,087 for new construction, and \$48,518,127 for the completion of new naval units authorized in the last two years, which are now either under construction or just about to be started. The grand total to be spent on the increase of the navy in the next five years will be \$1,000,000,000.

Mr. McAneny's announcement came as a surprise to politicians and city officials, only Mayor Mitchell and Controller Prendergast having been informed of his intention.

It is the understanding of the Corporation Counsel's office that a successor to Mr. McAneny will not be elected until the fall of 1916. The rules which apply to the election of a successor to President McCormack of Richmond, who died last summer, will apply to the election of a successor to Mr. McAneny.

After Mr. McAneny's resignation next January, the newly elected Vice Chairman of the Board of Aldermen, will serve until a President is elected at the general election in the Fall. Under a recent decision of the Court of Appeals a vacancy in the office of President of the Board of Aldermen shall be filled permanently at the general election next following. An ad interim appointment of the Board of Aldermen, however, will only last until December 31 of the year in which the vacancy occurs.

Mr. McAneny has had much newspaper experience. He began as a reporter on the New York City Journal and was connected with The New York World and Evening World from 1895 until 1899. From the latter date until 1902 he continued as a correspondent of New York papers. From 1902 until 1902 he was Secretary, then the executive office, of the Civil Service Reform Association and the National Civil Service Reform League. For six months following 1902 he was head of the local Civil Service Commission, in which capacity he re-

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perience Gained Will
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15,000 Against—Hoboken
Beat It at Every Poll.

ONLY FEW FRAUD CHARGES

Big Vote Surprised the Poli-
ticians, Most of Whom Worked
Against Woman's Cause.

Woman suffrage was defeated at the special election in New Jersey yesterday, when it had its first test in any Eastern State.

Returns received up to 8 o'clock this morning show a majority of 46,278 against it, with 239 out of 1,861 election districts missing.

An unusually heavy vote for a special election was cast. The latest returns indicate that the total vote throughout the State ran considerably above 300,000. This was double the vote that had been expected in political circles.

There can be no doubt of the decisive sentiment against the enfranchisement of women among the voters. Every county except one went solidly against the Constitutional amendment, some with towering majorities. The only exception was Ocean County, where the suffrage amendment has received a majority of 210.

Essex County, where the two organizations composed of women contending for the enfranchisement of their sex had conducted a tremendous campaign for the last six months, went against the suffrage amendment by a majority of 15,000. This is one of the largest in the history of that county, and certainly the largest in proportion to the total vote cast in any election ever held in New Jersey.

Big Vote Surprised Leaders.
The vote that was polled for and against the amendment surprised the political leaders, who declared it was out of all proportion to the vote usually cast in a special election. That was particularly true in such industrial centers as Newark, Paterson, Elizabeth, and Camden.

The advocates of the suffrage cause were bitterly disappointed over the outcome in Paterson, where they had expected a heavy vote from the workers in the silk mills, a large proportion of whom are affiliated with the Socialist party, and the woman suffrage in its platform this fall.

Women Must Wait Five Years.
Mrs. Mina C. Van Winkle, President of the Woman's Political Union, and Mrs. Edward L. Feickert, President of the Woman Suffrage Association of New Jersey, declared that defeat was undaunted and that they would renew their fight with the rising of today's sun.

Under a provision of the New Jersey Constitution, however, it will be impossible to submit the proposed constitutional amendment which was defeated by the voters yesterday within the next five years.

A constitutional amendment submitted yesterday for the purpose of repealing this provision of the fundamental law and making constitutional amendments easier was defeated with the suffrage amendment in the special election.

Few localities registered a majority for the woman suffrage amendment, and in each instance these majorities were puny, while the majorities against were heavy. In Hoboken every one of the forty-five election districts went against the amendment.

Wilson Indorsement Futile.

President Wilson's indorsement of the suffrage cause and his pledge to vote for the Constitutional amendment on which the suffragists of New Jersey had built such strong hopes did not help to carry the day for the suffragists even in the precinct where he himself cast his ballot yesterday.

President Wilson voted in the Seventh Precinct of Princeton Borough. The vote in that district stood 94 for the amendment and 190 against, a majority of almost 100.

In the voting precinct of Governor Fielder of New Jersey, who was opposed to woman suffrage, the amendment carried by 53 majority. This was in the silk stocking ward of Jersey City.

Mrs. Galt, the President's fiancée, while Mr. Wilson was on his way to Princeton to vote "Yes," let it be known in Washington that she is opposed to women voting.

Mrs. Van Winkle Charges Frauds.
The charge that many fraudulent votes were cast and that the anti-suffrage movement in New Jersey was backed by crooked politicians, the brewery interests, and the Public Service Corporation, was made late last night by Mrs. Mina C. Van Winkle, President of the Woman's Political Union.

The returns were received by Mrs. Van Winkle and her followers at the head-

Theodore Roosevelt believes that the Lusitania might never have been sunk and even the invasion of Belgium prevented. Read "What Roosevelt would have done" in Julian Street's diagnosis of "The Most Interesting American", an interview that leaves you, regardless of your previous opinions, with an impression of the man's completeness of versatility. In this week's

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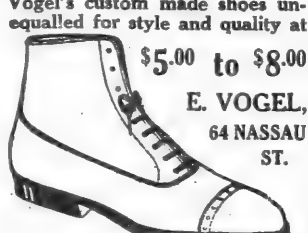
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TELL OF FINANCING A 'FAIRY GODMOTHER'
Many Young Men Contributed to the \$4,000 a Telephone Boy Gave to "Mrs. Flagler."

OIL MAN NEVER KNEW HER
His Private Secretary Produces Records from 28 Broadway in Court—No Defense May Be Made.

Testimony describing the ease with which an elderly woman with gray hair, sparkling blue eyes and a sweet manner is alleged to have obtained the savings of more than a dozen young men was presented to a jury before Judge Mulqueen in General Sessions yesterday on the second day of the trial of Mrs. Emma Johnson for grand larceny in the first degree. All of the victims loaned their capital in addition to more which they borrowed from other persons to Frank Mahoney, the telephone boy who alleges he has been fleeced of nearly \$4,000 through the woman's pretense that she was the widow of Henry M. Flagler, the Standard Oil man.

Mahoney told them of his "fairy godmother," who was coming into an inheritance of \$15,000,000 within a few weeks, and of her promise to make him her secretary at \$20,000 per year. He Black with frantic enthusiasm the blaze of prosperity into which he would lead all of his friends, they would stick by him and aid him. They thought, as they saw the stand yesterday, that it was too good to be true, but nevertheless they surrendered to the telephone boy their money in bank and in pocket, feeling certain that a woman of the white hair and noble qualities described to them by Mahoney could not possibly be a swindler.

City Employees were Dupes. Michael J. Shanahan, a clerk in the Corporation Counsel's office, who was one of Mahoney's credulous friends testified yesterday to giving \$1,350 in ten days. Finally he gave Mahoney all the cash he had in his pocket, amounting to \$30, and then Mahoney, Mahoney then turned to his brother-in-law, William J. Warner, who testified that he gave the boy \$2,000, all \$1,150 of which he himself had to borrow from two friends. James J. McClellan, a clerk in the Civil Service Commission, also told of the substantial loans which they made to Mahoney.

With the exception of Shanahan, none of them ever saw the "fairy godmother." Shanahan insisted upon being shown something for his money and Mahoney thereupon arranged a meeting at which he introduced his friend, "Mrs. Flagler." Shanahan, in testifying about this meeting, said yesterday that Mrs. Flagler impressed him very favorably. He said she invited him and Mahoney into a limousine and took them to a "child's restaurant," where she discussed with them in detail her \$15,000,000 estate.

"I asked Mrs. Flagler what assurances she could give us that she was the widow of Henry M. Flagler," Shanahan testified, "and she replied that she could show us her marriage certificate. I then told her it was a very serious business for young fellows like us to lend out our money and it would be only fair to let us know where she kept all the stocks and bonds which composed her estate. She answered that her lawyer knew where they were. She told me I didn't have to worry about the \$1,200 which I had lent to Mahoney, because she would see to it that I got \$50,000 in return when her estate was settled."

Mr. Flagler Never Saw Her. Assistant District Attorney Minton presented evidence showing that the defendant was not the widow of Henry M. Flagler, but the wife of a man named Johnson, who lived in Washington. Jasper C. Salter, private secretary to Henry M. Flagler for twenty-five years, testified yesterday that on the very day the woman said she was married to the Standard Oil man in Washington, Flagler was in his office in New York. He produced the letter files of the Standard Oil office, at 26 Broadway, to confirm his statement. Salter said he never saw Mrs. Zorah Johnson, and denied that she had ever been in the company of Flagler either in Washington or in New York. He produced records showing that none of Mr. Flagler's railroad holdings or other securities had been transferred to the woman.

Assistant District Attorney Minton read the case for the people, and Abe Levy, for Mrs. Johnson, moved for the dismissal of the indictment. His motion was denied. Mr. Levy then said he would allow the case to go to the jury day without interposing a defense.

LAFAYETTE STUDENTS WELCOME EDUCATORS
Nearly 200 Colleges to be Represented at Installation of President MacCracken Today.

Special to The New York Times. EASTON, Penn., Oct. 19.—Exercises in connection with the induction of Dr. John Henry MacCracken as President of Lafayette College began this afternoon, with representatives of nearly 200 universities and colleges in the United States and Canada present. Men prominent in all walks of life and hundreds of the alumni of Lafayette College are here for the event.

The program was begun this afternoon with a conference participated in by nineteen alumni of Lafayette College who are engaged in educational work. Dr. J. George Becht, Executive Secretary of the Pennsylvania State Board of Education, presided. The topic for discussion was "Educational Problems of Lafayette College."

This evening from 6:30 to 8 o'clock a reception was given to the delegates, alumni, and guests at the Hotel Waldorf. The students, headed by the college band and each man carrying a lighted torch, paraded from the campus to the hotel, and after a noisy greeting to the visitors returned to the college, where they held a smoker.

The inaugural dinner was given to-night at Edward J. Fox, the Board of Trustees was toastmaster, and the invocation was delivered by Dr. Robert Barber Youngman of Lafayette College. The speakers were President John Grier Garrison, Villard of the New York Evening Post, Principal George Morris Phillips of Pennsylvania State University, President Harry B. Hutchins of the University of Michigan, President Elmer B. Dudley of Wake Forest College, Vice President N. A. Emery of High University, Chancellor Samuel M. McCormick of the University of Pittsburgh, and Chancellor Charles Alexander Richmond of Union University.

Tomorrow's program will include the presentation of delegates, the academic procession, the inaugural exercises, and the conferring of nineteen honorary degrees.

Doctor of Letters—Governor Martin Grove Brumbaugh, Ernest Gottlieb Shier, Professor of Latin in New York University, and E. H. Dudley, Warfield, Chambersburg, eighth President of Lafayette College, now President of Wilson College.

Doctor of Science—Frank Henry Constant, Professor of Civil Engineering in Princeton University; Henry Fay, Professor of Analytical Chemistry in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Richard Mills, Peabody, Jr., Professor of Research Medicine in the University of Pennsylvania; George Joseph Ray, East Orange, N. J., Chief Engineer of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad.

NEW OPERA WOMEN ARE ALL BEAUTIES
Gatti-Casazza Praises the New Singers of Metropolitan—Season Opens Nov. 15.

"SAMSON ET DELILA" FIRST
Impresario Surprised When He Drops Into a Luxurious Office in Place of Plain One He Left.

General Manager Giulio Gatti-Casazza put in his first day of the season at the Metropolitan Opera House yesterday. He arrived in the morning and was greeted in the outside offices by the members of the house staff. As usual on the first day, he found that his time was largely taken up in receiving visits of artists and persons connected in various ways with the opera house, and the Italian colony, and with being interviewed by newspaper men.

"This season will open on Nov. 15, with a performance of Saint-Saens' 'Samson et Delila,' and the French will be the principal roles will be sung by Mme. Matzenauer and Messrs. Caruso, Amato, and Rothier. Mr. Polacco will conduct. This will be the first performance of this work at the Metropolitan in many seasons. The scenery and costumes were made in Milan this summer, and the settings were described by the Italian colony as thoroughly modern, but not futuristic.

"Prince Igor will be sung early in December with a cast including Mme. Alda and Messrs. Didur, Amato, Botta and De Segur, with Mr. Polacco conducting. In January will be given the new Spanish opera, 'Goyescas,' by Enrique Granados, who will be here for the premiere. A new Italian conductor, Gaetano Cappuccini, will have charge of this production.

When Maria Barrientos, the Spanish coloratura soprano, arrives here in January, preparations will be made for revivals of Bizet's 'Les Pecheurs de Perles' and of Luchini's 'Le Roi de Rome.' I Barberis di Siviglia will also be made with Mmes. Hempel and Barrientos.

In regard to the German repertoire, Mr. Gatti-Casazza said the new conductor will have the principal role. The Wagner operas according to his ideas that the date for the first performance of the semi-novelty, 'The Taming of the Shrew,' by Hermann Goetz, could not be determined on immediately.

He was reminded that Mr. Bodansky said he was in favor of giving the Wagner operas with cuts, and whether he supported his conductor in that view. He replied that he did, that unexpurgated performances of Wagner were not appropriate except at such places as Bayreuth, where audiences were there to hear the music dramas.

Upon this setting of luxury Mr. Gatti-Casazza opened the door while the more discreet of his staff trembled, for Gatti is from the north of Italy, which knows sterner disciplines than the shrill of soft carpets and silken hangings.

He walked into the room and you could have heard a pin drop—even on the mauve rug of that room. Then to the astonishment of his staff he sat down to his desk, called to his secretary and started to work just as if it were the morning after the last day he had worked there. It was apparent he had not once noticed there was anything different.

About half an hour later, however, there came a shout from his room. When they came in they found him gazing about at his neo-Lusitania setting. It would be exaggerating to say that anger showed on his face, for there are but one or two occasions in a season when his imperturbability is shaken, but his first emotion showed the way his mind was working.

"How much did this cost?" he asked. Somebody fearfully ventured the information, and then ensued one of those lulls before the storm. But the storm did not break. Gatti evidently divined what was in their minds, that it had been done to please him and honor his return, and he once more resumed his accustomed calm.

"Well," he said, casting about for something pleasant to say, "it has certainly made the office lighter." Then the incident was closed.

A CONCERT FOR TWO PIANOS. Miss Milinowski and Mr. Cumpson Play in Aeolian Hall.

The playing of duets for two performers on two pianofortes is not a form of musical art that greatly flourishes in public, for reasons connected with the difficulty of avoiding monotony of effect and the comparative poverty of the literature. Concertgoers will remember several performances of such music by Harold Landsegh and Ernest Hutchinson, and last season a notable one by Harold Bauer and Casp Gabriellowitz. Two young players new to this public have been chosen to play a series of duets for two pianofortes yesterday afternoon in Aeolian Hall—Miss Marta Milinowski and Harry Cumpson. Two at least of their numbers were unfamiliar—Christian Sandring's variations, Op. 2, and Sergei Rachmaninoff's Fantasia, Op. 3. They played also Mozart's graceful sonata, Saint-Saens' Scherzo, Op. 27, an arrangement for two pianos of five ballads from Schumann's Op. 10, and originally written for two players on one instrument. The two players are notable for force and accuracy. They evidently tried to cultivate an accurate ensemble which is indispensable for the concert stage, and as they are devoted to, though accuracy sometimes failed them when they had done with the perfecting of their art.

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WRECKERS ATTACK HAYMEYER HOUSE

Old-Time Show Place on Madison Avenue Is to Make Way for an Office Building.

J. P. MORGAN TO OPPOSE IT

Title Company Holds That the Land Was Sold by the Murray Heirs Without Restrictions.

It was wreckers began yesterday tearing down the old Haymeyer residence on the southwest corner of Madison Avenue and Thirty-eighth Street. It is the finest home in the Murray Hill section, which the trade invasion has brought to the door of destruction since the demolition, several years ago, of the Stewart mansion on the site now occupied by the Columbia Trust Company's buildings, at the northwest corner of Fifth Avenue and Thirty-fourth Street.

The heirs of the late Theodore A. Haymeyer sold the property about a year ago for \$500,000 to August Hecksher, who has had plans prepared for erecting on the plot a sixteen-story office building. A sign on the house states that it will be ready for occupancy by May 1, 1916.

Soon after Mr. Hecksher bought the property and announced his intention of putting up a large commercial structure, suit was instituted by J. P. Morgan and other Murray Hill residents against Mr. Hecksher on the ground of the erection of a business building. Edmund L. Baylies, counsel for the members of the Murray Hill Association, who instituted the suit, asked Supreme Court Justice Newburger about a week ago to set the case down for trial on Nov. 15, in view of the property interests involved. The Court declined to advance the case out of its regular calendar order, and the suit will probably not be tried until next year.

"Clark T. Chambers, who sold the property to Mr. Hecksher, said yesterday that the demolition of the house indicated that Mr. Hecksher felt justified in going ahead with his operation, as his title, against all restrictions, had been insured by the Lawyers Title and Trust Company.

The boundary of the old Murray Hill restriction runs northwesterly in a diagonal line from Madison Avenue and Thirty-fourth Street, taking in the houses on the west side of the avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Thirty-eighth Streets. The heirs of the Haymeyer estate, up to a few months before the sale, had believed that the plot was included in the restricted zone. In searching the title, the lawyers for the estate discovered that the Thirty-eighth Street corner had been sold by the Murray heirs in 1885, four years before the placing of the restrictive clause upon the greater part of the old Murray Hill farm. On that basis the company insured the title against all limitations for business, and when the suit was brought, the lawyers for the heirs to include that corner in the restricted zone will be brought up.

Theodore A. Haymeyer purchased the property in 1886, and in 1892 he transferred it to his wife, who died in Switzerland more than a year ago. Mr. Haymeyer, who was one of the heads of the American Sugar Refining Company, died in 1907. Several years before his death he enlarged the original house, building a ballroom, which was adorned with old English oak paneling and carved woodwork at an expense of \$40,000. The house also contained an Italian marble staircase, and two artistic grill doors adorned the entrance. These doors, it is said by the Rheinhardt Company, which is tearing down the house, have been sold to the owner of a large country home in Connecticut.

The tall iron fence with its artistic gates and a huge stone crest over the front door have been retained by the wreckers, but everything else in the house will go to the wreckers. When the iron fence was put up more than a quarter of a century ago, it was regarded as the finest thing of its kind in the city. For years the residence, set well back from the street with old trees bordering the entrance drive, was one of the show places of the city. Its last occupant was Clarence H. Mackay, who leased the house for a few years.

NEW TIMES SQUARE STATION
Name Adopted Officially for Stop in the Broadway Subway.

The Public Service Commission decided yesterday that the name of the station on the new Broadway subway from Forty-second to Fortieth Street should be Times Square.

This will be in harmony with the name of the parallel station in Seventh Avenue, the new Steinway tunnel station, which will be in front of the Knickerbocker, and the present subway station. They will connect with each other at the Times buildings from the great traffic centre thus formed will be known as Times Square.

Dr. Hillis's Case Postponed.
The argument on the motion to vacate an order for the examination of Frank L. Ferguson in the proceedings brought against him by the Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, pastor of Plymouth Church, which was to have been heard yesterday by Supreme Court Justice Kelly in Brooklyn, was adjourned until next Wednesday. Counsel for Dr. Hillis asked for time to complete affidavits. R. W. Kellogg, for Mr. Ferguson, stipulated that he should have an opportunity to examine the affidavits before coming into court, and it was so ordered by Justice Kelly.

LOUDEN REINDICTED; NEW ACCUSER FOUND

Lockport Man Alleges Attempt to Swindle Mother—Second Bigamy Charge.

A second indictment charging bigamy was returned against "Count" Max Lynar Loudon yesterday, in order to make him answerable for the marriage contracted in this city with Laila Florence Jensen, also known as Alleen Jensen, his wife, who has shown no disposition to prosecute him. She did not testify before the Grand Jury, but the City Clerk produced records showing that the "Count" had married her on Aug. 29, 1911, as Albert Marcel, Count de Passy.

The indictment states that he was then the husband of Rose O'Brien and Mrs. Fred Arnold, the women who accused the "Count" to agents of the Department of Justice while they were investigating his past on the suspicion that he was a German spy. The Grand Jury is now expected to return several more indictments against the "Count."

W. H. Moran, formerly of Lockport, N. Y., went to the Tombs yesterday and identified Loudon as the man who had attempted to swindle his mother, Mrs. Alice Laffin, out of \$5,000 last Summer. Moran said Loudon had won the confidence of Mrs. Laffin and induced her to invest in a "self-starting lantern," for which he had patented. She gave him, according to the son, two notes aggregating \$5,000. Later the police of Lockport, according to Mr. Moran, found that Loudon had neither an invention nor a patent such as he had described and was locked up on a charge of grand larceny.

Assistant District Attorney Embree said that Loudon, who was indicted, but while in jail convinced his wife, who was Rose O'Brien, that he was the victim of a political conspiracy. He told her if he had any money with which to get out his naturalization papers he could be released. She gave him \$5,000.

Loudon, it is alleged, induced a Deputy Sheriff to escort him to New York to the Hotel Plaza. Mr. Moran, who is much impressed with the Princess Rogers case at the Hotel Plaza, although she failed to supply the bail, he himself gave \$5,000 bonds for Loudon.

Rose O'Brien then charged Loudon with having obtained \$5,000 from her in false pretenses and the Court was arrested at the Hotel Plaza and taken to Lockport. He was indicted, but according to Assistant District Attorney Embree, nothing was done to the charge.

Most of the information received by Mr. Embree on these matters was corroborated by Mr. Moran, who demanded that Loudon give him an order to release Mrs. Laffin's notes, which, with other papers belonging to the Count, are held by the Surrogate at Lockport. Loudon gave Mr. Moran the order he requested.

DR. ADOLPH KESSLER DEAD.

Veteran Physician Who Was a Member of the Committee of 70.

Dr. Adolph Kessler, formerly widely known as a physician and a member of the Committee of Seventy that brought about the overthrow of "Boss" Tweed in this city, died yesterday at his home, 2 East Seventy-eighth Street, in his eighty-third year.

He was born in Germany and received his degree in medicine in Berlin. In 1887 Dr. Kessler came to this country and settled in Mobile, Ala. During the civil war he was an abolitionist and was forced to flee for his life, and came North, where he was placed in charge of the United States Military Hospital in Baltimore. After the war he came to New York and commenced practice.

Dr. Kessler was a former member of the Board of Coroners, on which he was elected by Mayor Van Wyck. He was also Assistant Sanitary Superintendent during Mayor Van Wyck's term of office. Twelve years ago he retired.

He is survived by two daughters and a son. Dr. Kessler, head of George A. Kessler & Co., champagne importers, of 20 Beaver Street.

NURSES ELECT OFFICERS.

State League Meets Preparatory to Association Meeting.

Preparatory to the fourteenth annual meeting of the New York State Nurses' Association, which convenes at the McAlpin hotel, the New York State League for Nursing Education, composed of heads of training schools for nurses and of superintendents of hospitals, met yesterday, elected officers, and heard addresses. The officers were: President, Miss A. J. Hillard, State Infection School of Training School Secretary, Miss Louise Arnold, Samaritan Hospital, Troy, Treasurer, Miss Emma Smith, Rochester General Hospital.

CHARLTON'S TRIAL DELAYED

Postponement Is Taken Until Oct. 22 Because of His Counsel's Illness.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. COMO, Oct. 19.—When the trial of Porter Charlton was resumed today the prisoner was again assisted in reading his autobiography, which was a repetition of the statement made by him when he was first brought to Como. The mental experts again repeated their deductions from examinations of the prisoner. At the beginning of the afternoon session Charlton declared that he could not stand the nervous strain, and asked permission to retire for a few minutes, which the court allowed. When the trial was resumed the defense asked for a postponement until Oct. 22, owing to the illness of Michel Picardi, chief counsel for Charlton. The request was granted.

G. M. Luther's Estate \$377,000.

An appraisal filed in the Surrogate's Court, Brooklyn, yesterday shows that George M. Luther, who died December, 1913, left a net estate of \$377,000. The bulk of the estate is held in trust. Mr. Luther's daughters, Mary Gould Luther, of 844 Carroll Street, Brooklyn, and Phoebe Luther Gill of Woodmere, L. I., are receiving the income.

SEVEN MEN HELD AS BOGUS LAWYERS

Bewildered When They Are Brought Close to Legal Processes in Court.

DETECTIVES SEEK OTHERS

Simon Steingut, "Mayor of Avenue A," Convicted—Primary Petition Notaries Held for Trial.

Detectives of the staff of Inspector Faurot were making the rounds of the city last night in search of bogus lawyers, for many warrants are out for their arrest as expected this morning. Seven were arrested yesterday afternoon. Five were arraigned in the Centre Street Court and two at Essex Market. The agents of the Bureau of Industries and Immigration of the State Industrial Commission and agents of the New York County Lawyers' Association appeared as the complaining witnesses.

The bureau was represented by Mrs. Marian K. Clark, Chief Investigator, and Miles O'Brien, Jr., and the Lawyers' Association by George R. Adams. Throughout the proceedings a supposedly unlicensed barrister had a bevy of witnesses who watched lawyers and judges sorting over the papers with red and gilt seals which were being seized from the law. They were held in \$300 bail for hearings on Friday afternoon.

The complaints against them were based on Section 210 of the Penal Code, which forbids any one to hold himself out as a lawyer without being duly licensed. The patrol wagon brought to the Centre Street Court the alleged violators of the code: Morris Asafsky, 204 East Broadway; Morris Bleinstein, 149 East Broadway; Harry Candler, 34 Rutgers Street; Aaron H. Jaffe, 179 East Broadway; and Hyman Wlodaver, 149 East Broadway.

The most versatile of the company seemed to be Jaffe, who was willing to obtain for all Russian immigrants advertisements that he was connected with all the big law firms of Russia. All his legal papers were to be written on his legal papers were to be written on his legal papers were to be written on his legal papers.

Samuel M. Auerbach, the field investigator of the Bureau of Industries and Immigration, said there were hundreds of the illegal practitioners under surveillance and that there were hundreds of the illegal practitioners under surveillance and that there were hundreds of the illegal practitioners under surveillance.

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of that paper as his associate in its management.

I shall not, however, resign my city office until after the end of the term of the present Board of Aldermen, in January, and not, of course, until proper disposition has been made in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the measures before the several committees of which I am Chairman.

After six years of service at the City Hall, I shall leave it, naturally, with regret; but it is to my good fortune to exchange one field of public service for another, and my opportunities for adding the cause of good government will not be abridged.

I shall give up, too, with a feeling of real loss, my daily association with Mayor Mitchell and my other colleagues in the administration. Upon their rare ability and integrity a new order of city government has been building, and it has been a constant privilege to work with them.

GEORGE MCANENY.

New York, Oct. 19, 1915.

CARRANZA'S OPPORTUNITY.

CARRANZA has triumphed to the extent of gaining the formal recognition of the United States and the South and Central American republics as the actual ruler of Mexico. Foreign recognition will not be withheld. European Governments will assume that the Government at Washington is best qualified to judge in all matters relating to its nearest neighbor, especially as the Monroe Doctrine imposes upon us the duty of protecting the weaker Governments of this continent from foreign interference. As CARRANZA desired recognition, he is to be congratulated. Of course, as he is a man of education who has had considerable experience in civil government, he must appreciate the formidable character of the task which now confronts him. No statesman in our time has ever had such an opportunity to make his name blessed and his fame endure. All that is needed is to build up a wise and tolerant Government, with a just system of taxation and an honest administration of justice, and to meet, peso for peso, the heavy obligations his country had already incurred before the era of revolution and destruction, and the immeasurably larger ones since incurred.

Mexico has been called the richest country in the world. Its potentialities are enormous. In its fertile soil, in which all the crops of the temperate and torrid zones can be raised, its wonderful mines of silver and coal, its virgin forests of woods of great commercial value, it possesses riches enough to pay all the debts civil war has placed upon it within a very short time. But only administrative ability of a very high order can put into operation the industrial and commercial machinery which has been getting rusty since the era of Mexican prosperity under Diaz, and has lately been idle. Fifteen millions of people, most of them densely ignorant, need to be helped to feed and clothe themselves and to be taught the benefits of self-government and education.

In the very beginning the new ruler must secure large loans from foreign financiers. CARRANZA's efforts to overcome the stupendous obstacles which confront him will be viewed in other countries without prejudice and with hope for at least partial success. President Wilson must have reason to believe that CARRANZA will take up the work with an intelligent comprehension of its difficulties and an earnest desire to succeed. If he succeeds only to the extent of pacifying the whole country and settling all the people working to pay their debts, he will have begun a new chapter in Mexican history which may contain the promise of a glorious future. Certainly all the Mexicans but a very few outlaws are heartily tired of civil war.

DEMOCRATIC WAR.

If there were a man in England big enough to dictate ultimate measures, to reject the counsels of the multitude, to stake the empire on the hazard that the people for his sake would stand all the things they say they will not stand, including conscription—if there were that man in England, a great necessity might be expected to raise him up; but the English would not know what to do with him. It is doubtful if they could utilize his strength or genius. He would probably wreck the Cabinet from the inside, or overturn it from without, and then there would be another Cabinet, as a compromise. The British Government, as any popular government must, exists by compromise, and although that is the kind of government all of us prefer to live with, it is obviously not the kind you should choose to fight with.

There is bitter, petty, and acrimonious disagreement in England as to how the war should be managed. Among those not charged with its conduct there is a conviction that never was anything worse handled, and each of several political groups is self-righted that nothing can possibly come right until its pet theory of procedure has been adopted. Compromise works badly. The coalition Government was a compromise, intended to placate all opinion, and yet within five months it is apparently about to go smash on the question of conscription. Its predecessor went around in a fog of authority over naval affairs, technically a row between Admiral Lord Fisher and Mr. Winston Churchill.

The coalition Ministry sought to compromise with Ireland by making a place for Sir Edward Carson, who only a few months before had armed his Ulster following to rise against Great Britain and resist home rule. This temperamental rebel, so recently defiant of law and authority, was made

Attorney General. Now suddenly he resigns from the Ministry and a storm is imminent. JOHN REDMOND, leader of the Irish Nationalist Party, who has a place in the coalition Ministry, on the evening of the same day said:

In the present position of affairs no man can tell the moment when the gravest political issues may arise. The existence of the present coalition Cabinet is precarious. It is threatened by internal as well as by external dangers. There can be no doubt about it that at the present moment a rich and powerful conspiracy is menacing its very existence. This conspiracy is made up of men who are ready to sacrifice national unity in the face of the enemy in order to further their own predilections, theories, and convictions. Any day we may be faced with reconstruction or with proposals which will instantly the political truce and rend the British public into contending factions.

Somebody shouted: "How about Carson's army?" That was a reference to the fact that Carson's following of Ulstermen, so recently on the point of revolt against British authority, flung themselves heading into the war for England, while REDMOND's following of Nationalists had been notoriously indifferent, and were indignant at the thought of conscription. To this sally Mr. REDMOND replied that the people were in honor bound to send support to the gallant men who had gone into danger, adding:

We can do so as if proper and businesslike methods are adopted. But it won't do to attempt a bully drive.

That is, JOHN REDMOND is against conscription. He is for "proper" and "businesslike" methods. Sir EDWARD CARSON presumably is for conscription throughout the British Isles. He might have resigned from the Government as a protest against its timidity about conscription, or against a decision to adopt that measure of bloody ley in England, and not in Ireland, because REDMOND's people were unwilling. As in Ireland so in England. Those who favor conscription think nothing else will save the household. Those who are against it think a Britain that needs to be saved in that way is already lost. It is a mixture of prejudice, tradition, irresponsibility, hysteria, panic, and stupidity. Capital blames labor, labor blames capital, everybody blames the Ministry, and the Ministry is incohesive.

And so a popular Government misruns a great war. That there is really a public man in England willing to sacrifice his country to further private "predilections," as REDMOND said, is almost unimaginable. That there are many men like that simply cannot be supposed. That Mr. REDMOND can believe it only shows to what pettiness men descend in bickering, higgling, and quarreling. The simplest presumptions of human conduct are forgotten. Each hostile group outside of the Government believes the Ministry would sacrifice the destiny of England to the vanity and pig-headedness of its personnel; members of the Government think any of these outside groups or one of a number of individuals would offer the British Empire on the altar of selfish ambition. The psychology is very simple. All of them want to save England, but each in a different way, and the result is political pandemonium. In order to ally the din a Ministry has to compromise with the noisiest elements. That produces inefficiency.

Make allowance for the fact that we are closer to England's window than to that of any other belligerent, and that the language in which the quarrel takes place is our own, and the comparison is yet painful. It reminds us of how we should probably conduct a war in the eye of the American multitude, very free with its advice and intolerant of errors. War is, as we see more and more, an autocratic business. When this war is over the German people will demand an accounting for it as a whole; in the meantime, the War Lord runs it, responsible only to himself for blunders, of which there have been many. There is an Austro-German staff. German authority rules it absolutely. On the side of the Allies there is no co-ordinating authority. There is even no allied staff. Each country makes war on its own judgment in its own way, and this independence has to be paid for in terms of military efficiency.

THE NEW CONTINENTALS.

Secretary GARRISON has chosen a fortunate name for his new reserve army of citizen soldiers, to be recruited from all the States but to be always under the direct control of the War Department. WASHINGTON commanded the first Continental Army, the only one hitherto entitled to that name, and thus designated to distinguish it from the Colonial militia, the various other bodies of State troops serving in the Revolutionary War, and the unattached riflemen and rangers.

In their ragged regimentals, stood the old Continentals, Yielding not!

The first Federal army was the chief reliance of the nation's first Commander in Chief. It was the precursor of the regular army of today. The new Continental Army will constitute the first permanent reserve force of the United States. It will be, in effect, a vast military school, in which young men who do not intend to devote their whole lives to military service can be trained, without impairment of their value in civil employments. In the arts of modern warfare sufficiently to fit them for the defense of their country when defense is needed. The plan as now outlined is susceptible of many changes. The specified time of year

service may be modified or the campaigning periods may be reduced to one month each instead of two; with other practice work in each year, so arranged as not to interfere with the citizen soldier's daily employment. But the conception of the plan is admirable, and it can be effectively carried out whenever we have a War Secretary and a Chief of Staff who have the will to overcome the petty obstacles which politics and the interference of fanatics may attempt to place in its way. In a citizenry trained there can be no danger of militarism, and in time our new system should become as effective as the much-discussed military system of Switzerland, and without a hint of conscription assured. The name of the force was assuredly well chosen. The new Continentals should become as popular as the National Guard, though the members of the new reserve can never hope, without actual war experience, to become quite as efficient in a military sense as the members of the organized militia, who render practically continuous service in the period of enlistment and will hereafter form a reserve of their own, which should be invaluable in case war is ever forced upon us.

ARTHUR GREAVES.

ARTHUR GREAVES, for fifteen years city editor of THE TIMES, had a native gift for the newspaper calling which was developed in a high degree by training and long experience. The desire to know and the ability to tell what was going on in the world made him a good newspaper man. He had a keen interest in the doings of men, in the social and business activities of the community, in the life and affairs of the great city. He had a politician's memory for the names of men, and he was thoroughly familiar with the politics of the city and of the country, with the career and records of the leaders and the candidates, with the forces that political strife brings into play. For his agreeable presence into place, for his manner and his ability to make and keep friendships he owed a very large acquaintance, which was of the greatest use to him in his professional work.

His training in the department of news gathering and news writing was very broad, he knew all the processes and every detail, and he had notable capacity in the organization and management of a news staff. He had done notable work for THE TIMES at many National Conventions, where his ability to direct and co-ordinate the work of the staff of men he controlled enabled him to compile the complete story of each day's proceedings, in which every part had its due proportion and nothing of essential importance was missing. His service to THE TIMES was of a value not easily measured, and the esteem and affection with which he was regarded by his associates of the staff were as deep, genuine, and lasting as is the sorrow his death brings to them. He was called away in the very fullness of his powers, the end coming early yesterday morning after a brief respite from work due to an illness from which he and his family and his friends had expected an early recovery.

THE AUTHOR OF "TWO YEARS BEFORE THE MAST."

RICHARD HENRY DANA, JR., was born in August, 1815, but the formal celebration of his centenary, under the direction of the Cambridge Historical Association, comes today. A Cambridge boy; son and namesake of the poet and editor of THE NORTH AMERICAN REVIEW, a weakness of the eyes, fortunate for his fame, forced him to leave Harvard College in 1834. It must be saddening to the parents and guardians of soft Campanian undergraduates of these days to know that DANA, a member of one of the most distinguished of "Colonial" families, had an allowance—and that only for emergencies—of 25 cents a term, and always walked into and out of Boston. It was in August that he doffed "the frock coat, silk cap, and kid gloves" of the Cantabrigian for salt water togs and set sail on the brig Pilgrim, 86 feet and an inch or two long, if we remember, for the voyage around the Horn that was to make him immortal. Is there any better sea story, and this a true one, than "Two Years Before the Mast"? Of DANA and another American, HERMAN MELVILLE, forgotten or neglected in his last years, but since restored to something like his rightful place, CLARK RUSSELL and the other writers of "sailor tales to sailor tunes" have been warmly appreciated.

DANA tells, a straight story, with no romance or flubdub. He tells it both as a sailor and as an educated man, who at that period of his life, at least, was a man of broad and cordial sympathies, who associated impartially with men of many races, who saw the good points of Kanakas and mulattoes as well as the beauty and grace of the Spanish señoritas of old California, whose "seamanship was perfect" according to one of his messmates, who did his work for every ounce of strength and will in him, whether he was studying Spanish, picking up Kanaka, pulling a rope, or curing hides. His book is full of fine, fresh, and telling sketches.

GEORGE HARRIS, for instance, the uneducated sailor man with so powerful an intellect and retentive a memory that DANA had to be mighty careful in discussing things with him; a man who knew the lunar stars and could calculate with his eye and mind just

how many hides a ship would hold, who had but his old sea chest of slops to show for weary years of hard service in all parts of the world, who gave up rum—and DANA, who hated it, says rum is heartening for the moment, though any sailor would prefer hot chocolate or coffee if he could get it on shipboard—without pledge after deliberation on his unprofitable career. And Captain THOMPSON of the Pilgrim, whose brutality and cruelty were thought to be caused by his consciousness of his incompetence as a navigator and his men's knowledge of it. Read the famous flogging of JOHN and PETER—it was PETER, wasn't it?—the two Swede sailors. "Don't call 'on JESUS CHRIST! He can't help 'you. Call on FRANK THOMPSON!'"

He flogged, he said, because he liked to. Read his speech to his men. It is a masterpiece. There speaks the swaggering, arrogant, almost megalomaniac, omnipotence of the old merchantman master. By contrast, DANA shows us Captain FAUCON of the Indianman Alert, quoting to him the Virgilian TITRUS sprawled under the spreading beechtree. A dignified, a venerable figure, FAUCON, which passed from sight only a little over twenty years ago. Then there is the gigantic Russian, NICHOLAS, man of war's man, privateersman, pirate, who had been lucky enough to escape hanging.

The falling overboard scene was read to Mr. GEORGE BANCROFT by SAMUEL ROGERS as a specimen of prose essentially more poetic than most modern poetry. But the merit, the extraordinary and lasting merit, of "Two Years Before the Mast" is its faithfulness to fact, its truth. DANA was tremendously angry with the Captains; all his life, indeed, in justice and oppression were intolerable to him. At the Boston bar in the fifties he was just as ardent in the defense of fugitive slaves, and with no other fear than a dangerous assault, as he was for sailors' rights. Writing, however, he doesn't mix subjective and objective. You see with precision, with a sort of sculptured outline, the event. You seem to be present and hear the very words, the sound of the blows. St. Elmo's fire burns your eyes. You are in the fo'c'sle, the galley. Italian sailors are singing barcaroles. The enchantments of Santa Barbara and San Pedro are at your feet.

There is much butter ladled out over Mr. JOSEPH CONRAD. Compare his highly cultivated, exotic English, with all its stops and flourishes, to the plain, naked style of DANA. You might almost say the book is in words of one and two syllables. For that reason the occultists use parts of it as an eye test. There is no trace of the apocryphal purple of some of the moderns. A fine, mainly, generous work, in sound, simple English. To read it is to "feel the brine salt of the lips and the large air again."

DANA's professional and public career was in point of exterior success unequal to his merits. He was a learned and an able lawyer, in common, admiralty, church, and international law. As a United States District Attorney he did much to establish the prize law of the United States in the civil war. He was the colleague or opponent of RUFUS CHOATE in some notable cases. But his lofty professional standards imposed money. A Free Soller, an early Republican, a civil service reformer, the spokesman of reform Republicanism at the National Republican Convention of 1876, he held no great office. Democratic intrigue stimulated by General BUTLER prevented his confirmation as Minister to the Court of St. James's. But what are such "rewards" now? He had no luck in that way. For the copyright of "Two Years Before the Mast," even the good offices of Mr. BRANT got him but \$250. It has been read by two generations. It is being read by the third. It is one of the very few "universal" American books.

That was a gracious honor paid to Mr. BRYAN at Terrace Garden Monday night. The band played "The Star-Spangled Banner" in tribute to his native, "Die Wacht am Rhein" in tribute to his adopted country.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

When Father CRAW of the Church of St. James, in Oliver Street, has anything to say about doings and conditions on the East Side, those who hear him are aware that he speaks from personal knowledge and they listen with the respect earned by his character and the recognized excellence of his intentions. Sometimes, however, Father CRAW seems inclined to hold his parishioners and their much assorted neighbors to paths slightly straighter than either their customs or their inclinations, as fixed by the local standards of propriety, have trained them to follow. Then he is wont to see serious impropriety in conduct that others would view with calmness, or even with approval. A relation of it happened two years ago and Father CRAW in fairness admits that he has not heard of such travesties since.

His accusation that known dissipated school dances would have more weight than it does if he did not base

it on the assertion that such persons had been recognized and removed to what-ever substitute for outer darkness, the hour and place provided. That black folds would enter the tepid choralian folds now and then was inevitable, and the most important, if not the only important, circumstance connected with a person's appearance is that their stay was short.

If Father CRAW is opposed to the rather promiscuous dancing which these assemblies in the public schools necessarily will be, he has a right to his opinion, but others have a right to a different one, and the others make a strong argument when they say that the participants in the school dances are much better behaved as guarded in the schools than they would be in the ordinary, purely commercialized, dance halls, which many of them would resort in search of exercise and amusement if the school rooms were closed to them.

Wrecked, but Not Literally.

So many days have now elapsed since the evasion of the German sailors from the ships interned at Norfolk that hopes as to the innocence of their starting out and the accidental delaying of their return must be abandoned, even by the most charitable. They have not been stranded on some desolate and incommunicable sandbank down or up the coast, whence they are eagerly, but slowly, making their way back with profuse and sincere excuses for overstaying their leave. And there is hardly a chance that they were lost at sea while cruising about, with no intention of violating their paroles.

It is evident that, deliberately and after careful preparation, they set out for a destination which they will reach, if at all, men forsworn and with honor lost. Their claim to consideration as officers and gentlemen has been discredited, for they have committed an offense incompatible with it.

The deception of the enemy or downright lying to him weighs not at all, in ordinary circumstances, on the military conscience, and is not expected to do so by any except the most rigid and the most scrupulous of men. If an enemy, however, the captured officer, if also gentleman, keeps his word at any cost when he accepts a conditioned liberty. To make the case of these representatives of the German Navy worse—as bad as possible from the standpoint of moral conduct—these were not enemies, but neutrals from whom they had received kindnesses and privileges far in excess of the legal protection of which they were in such desperate need when they brought their worn ships within the Cape.

Our authorities leaned backward in their desire to straighten, and to avoid the suspicion of sharing or showing the prevailing sentiment of the country toward these self-invited guests they incurred deserved criticism by treating them with an excessive friendliness and confidence. They have the reward which some, not without excuse, will say that was due them, expected from fellow-nationals of those who bestowed a ministerial immunity to the phrase, "a scrap of paper."

Plausible rumor has it that these ignorers of their "word of honor" are heading for Cuba. They must be bound for there or Mexico, but what it will profit them to be in either country it is hard to see. They cannot expect a really warm welcome anywhere.

While listening to the many expressions of satisfaction that have followed the revoking or suspension of the order that sent second cabin passengers to Ellis Island for examination and inquiry, there may arise in the minds of at least a few hearers of the joyous chorus an interesting question.

If passage through the Ellis Island mill was so painful to the second cabin folk that they were glad to have escaped general indignation streaked with horror, how are the feelings of the steerage people affected by that same experience? For presumably the arrivals by steerage have feelings much like those of other human beings, and no more taste for herdings and proddings.

That the national gateways are more carefully guarded than they should be is not the intention here to suggest. As far from the purpose would it be even to hint that the out-and-out "immigrants" should be let in more freely than at present, or that Ellis Island is an obnoxious or unnecessary institution. But why—why should anybody except the ownership owners and agents have made a special man over the recent innovation, as if it were an outrage that lowered the dignity of the nation?

To have the price of a second cabin ticket, or of a first cabin one, for that matter, is no conclusive proof of "debasement," and it is not to be presumed that it should be—what all the available evidence shows it is—a brief sojourn there is an inconvenience rather than a hardship, and almost anybody could live through it without having his hair or his turns gray.

Roller Skating in the City Streets.

To the Editor of THE NEW YORK TIMES:

And where shall we walk? Increasingly are the sidewalks infested with hoodlum urchins, who on roller skates and with evasive arm dodges have become a very tiresome pest to women and children, the feeble and the lame. One indorses heartily the recent letter regarding the restriction in London on the cries of the newboys. Here in New York, with the constant motor horn, we have the same nuisance, and the same these skaters, who in addition to sidewalks often use the avenues, bobbing in and out, to the bewilderment of chauffeurs and the danger

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Deaths

MAURER—Vernice Q. 22 Grove St., Oct. 17. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

PEREIRA—Sophronia, 222 Union St., Oct. 18. Funeral private.

ROWLAND—Randolph F., 1270 Decatur rd., Oct. 17, aged 27. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

SENNE—Mary J., 483 Myrtle Aye., Oct. 18. Funeral notice later.

SILLER—Charles, 126 Weirfield St., Oct. 18. Funeral private.

SUTTMER—German H., 195 Van Buren st., Oct. 18. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

THORSEN—Karin, 4419 8th Aye., Oct. 18, aged 12. Funeral today, 9 A. M.

Hoboken, Jersey City, and Newark.

BLACK—Jacob, 10 West Kinney St., Newark, Oct. 19. Funeral today, 1 P. M.

Oct. 17, aged 50. Funeral today, 10 A. M.
COLUMBS—Ellen B., 4165 Pavoia Ave., Jersey City, Oct. 17, aged 74.
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GERSHBERG—Mortimer, 1856 Bowers St., Jersey City, Oct. 17, Funeral, private.
HARRIS—Lena, 1202 Rutgers Ave., Jersey City, Oct. 17, aged 74.
LAMB—John, Jersey City, Oct. 18, Funeral, services tomorrow.
MacDONALD—Margaret E., 74 Alexander St., Newark, Oct. 19, aged 11 months.
MURPHY—Michael, 102 Ferguson St., Newark, Oct. 18, aged 74.
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POST—Martha F., Hoboken, Oct. 18, aged 74. Funeral today, 3 P. M.
REYNOLDS—William, 1st St., Hoboken, Oct. 17.
SCREWILLER—Emma, 1046 Pavoia Ave., Newark, Oct. 18, aged 35. Funeral today, 3 P. M.
WILSON—Anna, 200 Grand St., Hoboken, Oct. 17, aged 48.

DEWEY-ARNA, Newark, Oct. 18, aged 28.
STAIRS-Charles M., 12 Bishop St., Jersey City, Oct. 17, aged 32.
TAYLOR-Harry R., 30 Vroom St., Jersey City, Oct. 18, funeral today, 3 P. M.
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BARTHELEMY-William, Woodhaven, Oct. 17, aged 64.
BEACH-Gertrude, Park Rockaway, Oct. 18, aged 62.
BEDDELL-George, Park Rockaway, Oct. 17, aged 62.
BROWN-Frank, Maspeth, Oct. 17, aged 40 months.
CAMPBELL-James, 290 Flushing Av., Long Island City, Oct. 17, aged 44.
CORNEY-Reginald, Jamaica, Oct. 16, aged 32.
GREEN-John W., Whitehouse, Oct. 17, aged 32.
HEBNER-George, Woodhaven, Oct. 17, aged 32.
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JACKSON-Mary A., 286 Crescent St., Long Island City, Oct. 17, aged 35.
JACOBACH-Joseph, Woodhaven, Oct. 18, aged 32.

KEANE-George A. Woodhaven, Oct. 18
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aged 11.

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aged 29.

LUDVIG-Mary, Corona, Oct. 16, aged 61.
MRS. A. S. Ludwig, Naasoth, Oct. 16.

MEYER-John W. Ridgewood, Oct. 17.

NOVOTNY-Mary, 101 Elm St., Long Island
City, Oct. 17, aged 51.

PUSKAS-Annia, Redway Beach, Oct. 16
aged 55.

REID-Laurence, Woodhaven, Oct. 17.

REINHART-William H., Edgemere, Oct. 17.

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ROBINSON-William H., Simsbury, Oct. 17.

ROMPEL-John G. Jamaica, Oct. 19.
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SMITH-Elizabeth, Flushing, Oct. 17.
aged 68.

SMITH-William C., Whitesons, Oct. 17
aged 43.

TRIGERT-Miriam M., Richmond Hill, Oct. 17.

VINIO-Phillip, 80 Marion St., Long Island City, C. t., aged 1 month.

WAS TASSIE-George, Richmond Hill, Oct. 18, aged 1 yr. died. Funeral service Oct. 19, 10.

WEBSTER-Hildegard, Maspeth, C. t., 18

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MORAN KNOCKS OUT COFFEY IN THIRD ROUND OF BOUT AT GARDEN FOOTBALL PRACTICE

COFFEY KNOCKED OUT BY MORAN

Dublin Giant Lasts Less Than Three Rounds with the Pitts-burgher—Garden Crowded.

Frank Moran, the sorrel-topped heavyweight from Pittsburgh, put a sudden end to the aspirations of Jim Coffey, "the Dublin Giant," to world's championship honors when he knocked him out in three rounds at Madison Square Garden last evening. It took Moran a couple of rounds to get warmed up, but when once he got going he went strong and keeled Coffey over in a heap with a right-hand blow on the jaw. Coffey pitched head first to the mat, sprawling like a felled tree. "Bill" Brown counted five, got to his knees while two more counts were made, and then sprang helplessly and completely dazed against the ropes at the Fourth Avenue end of the ring. Coffey's arms were limp, his hands lifeless, and his glassy eyes gazed helplessly toward Fourth Avenue, where the sound of the trolley car's engine played a familiar tune to his ears. He seemed like a man who regretted that he had ever left the tranquil life of a motorman for the jabs and jabs of the "squared circle" and would dearly like to be twisting the brake handle of his motor again. He had hardly recovered consciousness when he was led off the stage to his dressing room, a picture of complete dejection.

Moran's victory was won in the presence of the largest crowd ever assembled at the Garden for a boxing bout, every seat in the house and all the standing room being occupied by approximately 10,000 men, with a sparse sprinkling of women. The receipts aggregated from \$23,000 to \$25,000, according to various estimates. The sale of tickets was suspended shortly after 8 o'clock, and several thousand were disappointed, the police being unable to permit thousands to enter the Garden.

It was with a roar of applause that the thousands greeted Jim Coffey, first of the pair who were to box for the prize of meeting Jess Willard, world champion, entered the ring at 10 o'clock, after two lively preliminaries had been disposed of. He had a host of friends in the crowd, the noise proved, and it was lucky for them that they did their cheering then. They had little chance later on, when Coffey, attended by his brother, John Coffey, and Joe Jannette, and they took the corner at the northwest end of the ring.

The titian-haired Moran followed a couple of minutes later with Willie Lewis as his principal attendant and adviser. As the crowd roared once again at his welcome, Moran, a giant, greeted off his bathrobe and bowed his acknowledgments to the boldest throng which planned their fight to the man who held Jack Johnson for twenty rounds, and when Johnson looked to be the physical superior of his opponent.

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In the two bouts which preceded the main bout, Young Ratched had rather the best of it in a six-round go with Young Brady, and Benny Leonard made a shopping block of Young Drummy in a ten-round bout, though he did not exert sufficient force in his blows to land a knockout.

\$2,800 OF GATE ATTACHED.
Dan McKetrick Claims Moran Owe Him \$1,402.

Sheriff Grifenhagen and Deputy Sheriff Joseph Cook, with a warrant of attachment issued by Justice O'Dwyer in the City Court, visited Madison Square Garden last night just before the fight between Moran and Coffey came off and attached \$2,800 of Moran's share of the gate receipts.

Dan McKetrick, former manager of Moran, instituted suit against the fight, seven months ago in the City Court to recover \$1,402 alleged to be due him on a former contract to manage Moran. Yesterday he asked for an attachment of \$2,800, the Sheriff said.

Late in the afternoon the Sheriff visited H. Douglas Vincent, Secretary and Treasurer of the show corporation which staged the fight, and announced that they were going to attach the \$5,000 bonus which was to be received by Moran for entering the ring. Vincent begged the Sheriff not to attach the \$5,000, as Moran had told him he would not fight unless the money was handed to him before the first round.

Four Speculators Arrested.
Four men charged with violating the city ordinance which prohibits ticket speculation were arrested last night by Detective James Brady in the neighborhood of Madison Square Garden, where the bout between Jim Coffey and Frank Moran was contested. The men, in their names as Henry Acker, 23 years old, a clerk of 568 West 104 Street; Sol Brown, 44, a salesman of 104 East 101 Street; Charles Cohen, a clerk of 101 West 101 Street; and Harold Brown, 24, of 101 West 101 Street.

\$10,000 TRAPS IN PARK.
Shooters Want Two Acres Set Aside for Them at Van Cortlandt.

Several hundred trap shooters of this city have launched a movement for the organization of a Greater New York Gun Club, and a success of the project depends upon the action of Thomas V. Whittle, Park Commissioner of the Bronx, in regard to the request that the club be permitted to lease for a nominal sum, two acres in the northeastern end of Van Cortlandt Park. Commissioner Whittle has not announced a decision in the matter as yet, but it is understood he is not opposed to the plan.

Washington facilities have been handicapped by the lack of shooting grounds within reasonable distance of the city. Some weeks ago a number of business and professional men discussed the matter and decided to appeal to the Park Department. In Chicago and Washington facilities have been made in public parks for trap shooting, and the local enthusiasts thought that they might get the same privileges here.

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The plan involves an outfit of about \$100,000 by the club in the purchase of property. It is the intention to have three movable traps, a shot catcher for protection of spectators, a two-story club house with the second floor for women only, a small shell house, a small refreshment booth, and a board walk. All the construction and the management of the shooting ground is to be under the supervision of the Park Commissioner.

There is to be nothing exclusive about the club. Any citizen may become a member by vote of the Board of Governors. The club's assets that three days in the week be set aside for members only, and on the other three weeks days, rounds were in a running and changing to get it somewhere than against the ribs at which it had been a warning operation. Even at that, Coffey was breathing a bit heavily as he went to the corner.

It has been further planned to provide for shooting at night. By means of a new arc light, it is said, it will be possible to have shooting at night under the stars. The projectors say that they can get 700 members in a club, and that 500 sportsmen have already signified their intention of joining.

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YALE TO WEED OUT ATHLETIC EVILDOERS

Committee Investigating More Men Tainted with Professionalism.

Special to The New York Times.
NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 19.—As far as Yale is concerned, the case of Legore, Easton, and the others, is a closed incident, said Nelson Talbot, one of the coaches of the Yale eleven, regarding the case being reopened. Regarding the case being reopened, Legore and Easton are barred from Yale athletics for all time because they took a week's vacation and looking while playing baseball at Quogue, L. I., last summer, might be considered a violation of the football coaches, who today debated the case exhaustively.

It was stated tonight on the Yale campus that Dean Briggs of Harvard expressed himself some time ago as hoping that the five athletes would not be thrown out of future competition because of the technicality of the case. Legore is quoted as opposed to the reinstatement. The Yale eligibility committee, however, has no intention of reversing its decision, and the athletes will never again wear Yale uniforms.

Both Legore and Easton have promised to join the so-called ineligible players who are prohibited from playing this year on the 'Varsity. None of them will be allowed to play, and they have offered their services as members of the scrubs or as assistant coaches.

Legore today denied that he would leave college to play baseball professionally. He said he had never held conferences with baseball managers who wished him to join their teams. He said he was a member of the National League nine. He belongs to a wealthy family of Long Island City, and he is a member of the Junior Promenade committee. He has no intention of leaving college to play baseball professionally.

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HAUGHTON DEFERS DRIVE.

Harvard 'Varsity Not Allowed to Tackle Scrubs—Souey Out Again.

Special to The New York Times.
CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 19.—Although the largest squad that has been on the field for weeks was ready for work on Soldiers Field this morning, the Harvard coaches did not put on the expected drive between the 'Varsity and the scrubs. The regulars, with Gilman back at right tackle and Weatherhead in Hart's place at right end, were worked against the substitutes and were coached to the limit; but when the time for the scrimmage came, it was the substitute team that was sent against the scrubs, who for the first time put on some of the offensive formations Cornell is expected to use in the Stadium Saturday.

In this scrimmage the substitutes stopped the scrubs' attack at every angle and made one touchdown for themselves this being scored at the end of a long, plugging journey up the field. The regulars, while they worked against the second string men, lined up as they did yesterday with the above exceptions. Harter was allowed to rest, and Weatherhead, who has been on the side lines so much this Fall, needed the work. He is the heaviest of all the end rushers, has played with the 'Varsity two years, and is one of the experienced players the coaches figure on having in trim for the big game.

Souey was on the field in playing clothes and played right end for the substitutes. His knee has responded to treatment, and there seems no danger that he will be able to play again. Parson also worked with the substitutes, and he, like Souey, will be back with the regulars for the match against the Ithacans.

An interesting shift was made this afternoon when Bigelow, who has played both at center and at tackle for the 'Varsity, was moved to the right guard position. Dadmun, at left guard, is a fixture, but Cowan has not been playing long enough to be placed at right guard. Taylor has been doing so well at center that it is not desired to move him out even a notch, and Bigelow may be the man to fill the place at guard on Saturday.

Horwen was in the substitute back field today. This means considerable relief for the regulars, as Horwen is the best line backer Harvard has. He lacks something on defense and offense, but he can be developed satisfactorily in these points.

The players were absolved from blame, and the coaches were not at all displeased that the players should have been made fully aware of the eligibility rules in every detail. The Yale Daily News put the blame for the disqualification of the players on the coaches and managers of the different teams. The players were absolved from blame, and the coaches were not at all displeased that the players should have been made fully aware of the eligibility rules in every detail.

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STRAIGHT FOOTBALL IN YALE SCRIMMAGE

'Varsity Shows Driving Power Against the Ineligibles—Neville at Full Back.

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In grinding a steady path from their ten-yard line all the way to the ineligible goal the 'Varsity was not checked during the afternoon. Two successful forward passes were employed, but the absence of the lateral pass was remarkable. It was mostly straight football, however, the attack shattering the rush line of the ineligible repeatedly. Neville, upon whom the mantle of Legore has fallen, skirted around for a touchdown and lifted the only field goal of the afternoon from the line of scrimmage. Scovell and Smith, his companion backs, scored a touchdown each. Captain Aleck Wilson directed the eleven, and the most brilliant individual exploit of the afternoon was his run back of the opening kick-off for forty yards.

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COLUMBIA'S FIRST TEST.

Football Team Plays Well Against N. Y. U. Eleven on South Field.

Columbia's new football team was put to the first real test of the season yesterday afternoon on South Field, in a half-hour battle with the strong New York University eleven. It was the first scrimmage against another college, and whereas the work-out lacked many of the features of a regular game, the Blue and White coaches were able to correct many of the faults that had gone unnoticed.

Head Coach Nelson Metcalf was greatly pleased with the showing, and especially the noticeable improvement in the defense. At the start of the game Columbia's offense showed signs of the continual development of the last three weeks, and a series of line bucks netted the Blue and White good gains. The Violet team seemed surprised and it required fifteen minutes of hard playing before Coach Reilly's men found their stride. They then started a march on the Negro left tackle on the Violet team, who crossed their opponents' goal. A few minutes later William's line grabbed the ball from Manbach, who was attempting a forward pass, and ran seventy-five yards for another score. The Violet team was allowed each team without restriction, so that the drill was more in the nature of a scrimmage practice than a regular game.

At the end of the half-hour scrimmage, Coach Reilly put in his entire scrub team and a twenty-minute battle followed. The Violet team was lined up for the cubs, was the only one to cross Columbia's goal line, and helped by two twenty-five yard runs around left end. Captain Simonds of Columbia may not play in the game Saturday, because of a cold. He was out of the game Saturday, because of a cold. He was out of the game Saturday, because of a cold.

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COMMODITIES MARKETS.

WHEAT.

The wheat market moved within a range of about 1/16, but after moderate changes in the early part of the session, it was lower. In the local cash market, No. 1 Northern, Duluth, was quoted at \$1.08, and No. 2 Northern, Duluth, at \$1.06, cash, f.o.b. insurance, and freight, Buffalo.

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May	1.11 1/2	1.11 1/4	1.11 1/4	1.11 1/4

CORN.

The corn market was only moderately active, and prices were easier under selling pressure. Interests, prompted by generally favorable weather and increased offerings of new corn for early shipment from the country. Receipts at interior points were light, and the market was quiet.

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OATS.

Prices in the cash market declined, owing to liberal receipts at interior points and an increase of 60,000 bushels in the market, and sales amounted to about 200,000 bushels. The local cash market was quiet, and the market was quiet.

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PROVISIONS.

The market for hog products was easier under selling by leading packers, and interests seemed to develop a large amount of long holdings, and toward the close of the day there was active liquidation, as well as selling on stop loss orders. Receipts of hogs at Chicago were 15,000, and at St. Louis, 10,000, and at Kansas City, 10,000, and at Omaha, 10,000.

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COFFEE.

The coffee market again showed an upward tendency, with gains for the day amounting to 4 to 5 points. Total sales were 10,000 bags. The local spot market was steady, with Rio de Janeiro, Santos, and Mocha, all showing gains.

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SUGAR.

The market for sugar futures opened quiet and unsettled, 3 points higher to 4 points lower, with sales on the call 500 tons. The spot market was strong, and this also stimulated the buying movement. The market closed about steady, 2 points higher to 5 points lower, with sales for the day 1,000 tons.

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BUTTER AND EGG MARKET.

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Although cotton was lacking in tendency yesterday, the undertone of the market was steady. The early trading was characterized by a period of ease, but firmness developed toward the close, and final prices were around the high level of the day. The range, however, was narrow and limited to extremes of about 12 points. The close represented a net gain of 6 to 8 points.

The local trade is beginning to pay some attention to the forthcoming census report on the amount of cotton ginned prior to Oct. 15. This is the first important ginning report of the season and is instrumental in shaping the season of the trade as to the size of the crop. On account of the reduced acreage this season, together with the indicated shortness of supply, there has been ample labor to run picking at top speed. In the opinion of many good judges the percentage of the crop that was picked as of date Oct. 15 will be close to 60 per cent., notwithstanding the previous high percentage was about 55 per cent. in 1909.

Further scattered rains were reported in the Central Belt with somewhat more settled conditions in the West.

Demand from spinners is increasing, and several Southern shippers wired yesterday that New England and New York State mills were paying the highest prices of the season.

Southern spot prices, as officially reported, were unchanged, 10 points higher. The local market for spot cotton was quiet, 15 points advance, 15 to 20 for middling. Sales, 50 bales.

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Sugar Stocks

IN War Times

Germany is normally the greatest source of sugar supply for Europe.

Russia like Germany is cut off from sugar exports, leaving Cuba as the main source of the world's supply.

Great Britain consumes at the rate of 2,000,000 tons of sugar annually all of which must be imported.

France, which usually supplies its own needs is now importing American sugar.

Cuba second alone in Germany in sugar production is now particularly benefited by the increased demand due to the war.

Guantanamo Sugar one of the largest producers in Cuba, with only one class of stock—no bonds—paying 12% can be bought at a price that will yield 10%.

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OUTSIDE SECURITIES

Wide Price Changes in Curb

Stocks, with Advances the More General.

Transactions in the outside security market yesterday amounted to 466,719 shares of stock and \$5,000 of bonds.

The sales of stocks were divided as follows: Industrials, 297,325; oil, 13,738; and mining, 156,606. The range of prices of all issues in which transactions were recorded, was:

INDUSTRIALS.

Sales.	Am. Br. Mfg.	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
5,000	Am. Br. Mfg.	75	75	75	75
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RAILROAD EARNINGS.

The railroads reporting so far for the second week of October show these aggregate changes in gross earnings, those showing gains and those showing losses being stated separately:

Nine roads.....\$4,820,784 +\$1,120,198
One road.....\$52,543 +\$1,352
Total (10 roads).....\$4,873,327 +\$1,068,890

Miscellaneous Earnings.

ADAMS EXPRESS CO. reports to the Interstate Commerce Commission for June-September, 1915.

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be employed by the selling company for the purpose of actively and aggressively marketing the sales of their goods.

pushing the sales of their goods in Russian markets. Not only will subscribing manufacturers receive returns from the sales of their own articles, but they will share in the profits of the selling company. I already a large number of important American manufacturers have agreed so favorably to the plan as to subscribe to it, and it undoubtedly presents a reasonable or logical way to secure cooperative effort in the development

Mr. Postnikoff, the Chairman of International Manufacturers' Sales Company, is coming to New York, and to interest a number of additional in his proposition, and there are several opportunities for American manufacturers who wish to secure an ing for their products in Russia.

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AUCTION SALES.
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OCTOBER 20, at 10 A. M.,
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ANDS, Attorneys, 48 Cedar Street
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MERCHANDISE.
VAN PRAAG & CO., Auct'rs, Will
Friday, Oct. 22, 1915, at 10:30 A
At Our Salesrooms, 15-17 Greene St., N
\$50,000 Worth of High-Grade Shoe
1,000 Original Cases
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500 Original Cases Ladies' Shoes
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PEREMPTORY TRADE SALE
1,500 Dozen
Men's, Ladies' and Children's W
Sweaters

Direct from a manufacturer who
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Today, **Wednesday, Oct. 20, 10:30**
At Our Salesrooms, 15-17 Greene St.,
Original case lots Men's, Ladies' and
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highest grade. Men's Wool Sweaters
\$36 per dozen. Ladies' Wool and

Sweaters in all shades. Boys', Misses' Juvenile Sweaters. Children's Sweater. Wool Scarfs, Caps. Department stores and retail stores should not fail to call this sale their attention.

BOYS' & MEN'S COTTON SWEATERS
1,000 Dozen. Fockets and Collars.
\$3.50 to \$4.25 per dozen.

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FURNITURE—RUGS—ART

ABSOLUTE AUCTION SALE
Tomorrow at 3:15 P. M.
Continuing Friday at Same Hour
Keeler Art Galleries,
42 Vesey St. near

12 Vesey St., Broadway,
(Subway Station at Fulton St.)
OIL PAINTINGS.
19 By Eastman Johnson
Others by
A. H. Wyant, John La Farge,
Gilbert Gaul, George Inness,
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GREAT SALE BY AUCTION
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PROPOSALS.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED
the Board of Water Supply, at its
twenty-second floor, Municipal Building,
Row, Centre, and Chambers Streets

York City, until 11 A. M. on Tuesday, October 20, 1915, for CONTRACT 128, the construction of two concrete stone and brick buildings at the Uptake and Downtake of the Hill View Reservoir, in the Town of Yonkers, Westchester County, New York. The larger one of the buildings is approximately 125 feet by 88 feet by 35 feet, the other is somewhat smaller. The structures or foundations of these buildings have been built and The City will erect the roof covers for the buildings.

At the above place and time the books will be publicly opened and read. Pamphlets containing information for bidders and drawings can be obtained at the above address, at the office of the Secretary, posting the sum of ten dollars (\$10) or its equivalent for each pamphlet. For particulars apply to the office of the Principal Assistant Engineer at the above address.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President
CHARLES N. CHADWICK, Secretary

PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED
The Bureau of Supplies and Accounts
Department, Washington, D. C., un-
til 10 o'clock A. M., October 26, 1915, for
supplying the following: 1, 100,000 lb.
of white ash, strip brass, paint cans,
coffee, rigging leather, slide lights,
cotton line, raw and boiled linseed oil,

at the navy yard, Brooklyn, N. Y., etc., for proposals to the navy pay offices, New York, N. Y., or to the Bureau. S. A. MCGOWAN, Paymaster General, U. S. 10-7-15.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

LIQUIDATOR'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that in virtue of a judgment of the Superior Court of the District of Beauce, Province of Quebec, Canada, rendered on the 20th day of September, 1915, he will of and by public sale on Saturday, the 6th day of November, 1915, at 12 o'clock noon, at the front door of the Parish of East Broughton, sell by public auction to the last and highest bidder: A certain parcel of land situated

Sixth Range of the Township of Brough
about eight arpents in front by eight
in depth, bounded to the northeast
King's Highway, to the southwest
Vendor, (Louis Beaudoin,) on the north
by F. H. Vachon, and on the south
by Benoit Bouthillet, appurtenances
pendencies, and now described as be-
northeast part of number thirteen "B"
said Sixth Range on the Official Pla-
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Division of the said Parish

Sacred Heart of Jesus of Broughton,
of Beauce, and being more particularly
at length described in the Process
thereof made by F. O. A. Legendre,
Mineral Land Surveyor, on the 18th. Feb.
1891, together with all the mines,
rights, ores, minerals, and other ec-
cesses in, under, or upon the same,
all machinery, plant, tools, movable
and effects in and about the premises
the buildings and improvements

erected and make, and other appurtenances and dependencies whatsoever thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining, any exception or reserve.

For upset price, conditions of sale and further details apply to

JOHN J. GRIFFITH, L. L.
Liquidator, Sherbrooke, Quebec, Can.

\$8,000,000 WAR DEAL HALTS AT JAIL DOOR

Rich Chicago Man Arrested as Fugitive While Closing Contract with Allies.

MUST FACE THEFT CHARGE

Blames Spiteful Rivals in Real Estate for Indictment Under Which He Jumped Bail.

Edward H. Peters, a wealthy real estate dealer of Chicago, was arrested in New York City yesterday on a charge of larceny in connection with the sale of a municipal bond valued at \$400,000. The complaint was made by Percy R. Fletcher, in the Cook County Criminal Court. Peters was released on a bond of \$1,000, furnished by Joseph Schmidt, a saloon keeper. The case was called on Sept. 30, and when Peters did not appear the bond was forfeited. Schmidt had been looking for him since, and when he heard of Peters' activities in New York asked the Chicago police to act.

Peters was found on Monday night in front of the Hotel Vanderbilt while talking to two men who, he said, were purchasing bonds for the Allies. As Detective John H. Griffiths walked up to Peters and told him he was under arrest, the prisoner responded:

"I wouldn't have had this happen for a million dollars. I was just about to sell those men 20,000 tons of barbed wire and four carloads of acid."

He was taken to Police Headquarters until his arraignment in New York City yesterday morning.

At the Vanderbilt it was said that Peters had been there for ten days and had frequently spoken of big deals with the Allies involving between \$8,000,000 and \$10,000,000. He said he was the representative of several big Western firms, and mentioned the names of J. P. Morgan, J. D. Rockefeller, John D. Rockefeller, and John D. Rockefeller.

At the time of his arrest, Peters was in the company of several men who were known to the hotel management to be foreign agents.

In New York City Peters said last night that his arrest was due to the spite of some real estate operators in Chicago who sought revenge for deals in which he had got the better of them.

William P. Dewey, counsel for Peters, wired to the Chicago police last night asking that Peters be released and that he would guarantee that his client would take the first train for Chicago. He received no answer.

According to Mr. Dewey, Mr. Peters is the victim of unfortunate circumstances which his rivals have turned against him. Mr. Dewey understood that Mr. Peters had several contracts for war supplies near consummation.

The Times dispute from Chicago said that Peters was a real estate dealer with offices at 29 South La Salle street and that he was reputed to be worth more than \$500,000. He was at one time identified with city and State Republican politics in Illinois and was appointed by Governor Deneen a member of the West Chicago Park Board.

Chicago friends of Peters said last night that they believed he had made the trip to New York unaware that under the law he was violating his bond and that his only mistake was neglect to inform State's Attorney Hoyne of Cook County of his departure. It was understood in Chicago that he was interested in several large deals for supplying war munitions to the allied governments. Peters was indicted in Chicago in 1913 because of a real estate deal, but was acquitted.

The Peters family live at Deer Path Inn, Lake Forest, Ill. A dispatch from there last night said that Peters was ill. She was Miss Nellie Mullaly, daughter of the late Major John E. Mullaly. Peters' mother-in-law said last night she did not know what was back of Mr. Peters' arrest, but that he had been hounded by enemies, and that she was convinced his trouble was a matter of spite.

Mr. Dewey said last night that he did not believe Peters' arrest was the result of any international intrigue.

School Gets Dismissal Cup. Borough President Marks yesterday presented a silver cup to Public School 82, as winner of the dismissal contest, in which the schools have been competing during the last week. The 1,500 pupils of the school were dismissed in forty-two seconds from the time the fire bell rang and were away from the building and theoretically out of harm's way. In his address Mr. Marks said: "I congratulate Fire Commissioner Adamson upon his splendid headway in the work under his efficient charge."

50c and \$1.00 for all Orchestra Seats Every Evening. 25 and 50c all Orchestra Seats at Matinees.

TRIANGLE PLAYS Knickerbocker BROADWAY AT 8th STREET

THIS WEEK "Hale Hamilton in 'Her Painted Hero'" "Willie Marshall in 'The Sable Lady'"



LILY cups those nice "individuals" you see in the theatres are available for use in your own office. The Lily Cup Co. 120 Broadway 8318 rector.

BABY MAY CRY, SAYS COURT.

No Ground for Eviction of Parents, Rules Justice.

A baby may cry without being guilty of objectionable conduct. And the baby needn't select his time for crying. Bright noonday or dark midnight, he may cry as much as he pleases and still be a perfectly good and unobjectionable child. This was the decision yesterday in the complaint made by John J. Dillon against David Eisenberg, who is 1 year and 8 months old. Mr. Dillon is a publisher and the lessor of the apartment house at 47 Claremont Avenue. Complaints from a number of tenants against Mr. and Mrs. Lester W. Eisenberg, David's parents, who are also tenants of the house, resulted in an attempt by Mr. Dillon to evict the Eisenbergs. When the case came before Justice Young of the Seventh Municipal Court yesterday for settlement, Mr. Dillon explained that a number of his tenants had dubbed David a nuisance, because he cried so long, so loud and so frequently.

But Justice Young refused to permit the Eisenberg family to be evicted. He said that everybody knows that children cry, that David's crying, doubtless was like the crying of any other healthy child of the same age, and that such crying was part of the general scheme of things.

HONOR SMITH AND SWANN.

Tammany Candidates Guests of National Democratic Club.

Judge Edward Swann, Tammany candidate for District Attorney, and Alfred E. Smith, candidate for Sheriff, were the guests of honor last night at a dinner and reception at the National Democratic Club. The number of participants in the dinner was restricted to the capacity of the club's dining room. John M. Riehl, President of the club, presided at the dinner, with Judge Swann on his right and Assemblyman Smith on his left. Among those present were:

Chairman Edward E. McCall of the Public Service Commission, Judge Joseph F. Mulqueen, former Judge Morgan J. O'Brien, Judge David L. Wall, Thomas E. Rush, A. C. Vandiver, John E. Hasselbacher, George Ehret, Jr., Nathan Hirsch, Antonio Zuca, Judge Lorenz Zeller, William H. Page, President of the New York Athletic Club, Judge Moses Herman, Professor Leslie J. Tompkins, J. T. Mahoney, D. Cady Herrick, John F. Galvin, Judge Paul Krotel, Judge M. Warley Plazek, Thomas F. Smith, Secretary of Tammany Hall, John F. Curry, Judge John J. Freschi, H. M. Goldfogle, Charles W. Culkins, Luigi Solari, Judge Robert L. Luce, William Harmon Black, Chairman of the Democratic County Committee, William Dalton, Walter R. Herrick, Nicholas J. Hayes, Daniel J. Riordan, John F. Carey, Murray Hurlbert, and John W. Keller.

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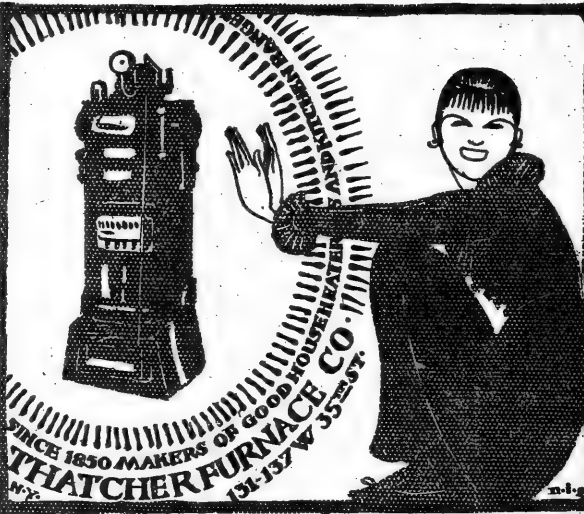
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These crisp October days are birthdays for us, and it is not unnatural that we think and write more of *ourselves* than is our wont.

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we would give New York men more style—more quality—and even better service than they had ever had for the money.

For you men of New York are shrewd buyers—quick to appreciate the real thing.

Ever since 1904—when we first put clothing into our stores—you have shown your appreciation by helping us build not only one of the largest retail clothing businesses in the city, but in the world.

Which is a good deal to have accomplished in eleven years. Isn't it?

There is a crumpled one-dollar bill in a frame in one of our private offices.

It has been there a good while—for it is the first dollar that was paid to the Wallach boys when they began business.

Even now—it belongs to the man who paid it, if he'd rather have it than the goods it bought.

Perhaps one reason for our success is that every dollar that has come to us since has been just as important—the sale of just as much interest—as that first dollar.

We have tried as hard *every* day as we did that first day. And this spirit has grown up with the business, until you can almost feel it in any Wallach store.

Another reason—is the merchandise we offer and the modest prices we charge for it.

Everything men wear—except shoes.

And all of the same character and quality as Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothing.

This year we have set aside—in celebration of our birthday—a fine lot of Hart Schaffner & Marx Varsity Fifty Five Suits, and marked them \$21.50

Not even the salesmen will know the regular prices.

We simply tell you that you make a great saving on each garment.

Try once, putting your faith wholly in us—and then judge us by the result!

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On November the Eighth, at Fifth Avenue and Fortieth Street

Adhering to our plan as previously announced, and in keeping with the spirit of the occasion, we shall open the new store with new merchandise entirely in harmony with the new surroundings. This policy necessitates the immediate sacrifice of present Fall and Winter Stocks of the finest type and in splendid assortments. Included is apparel in the latest fashion for Men, Women and Children, offered at the height of the season at unprecedented concessions in price.

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Shirts	Underwear	Neckwear	Half Hose
Finest Silk Crepe de Chine Shirts —Made from the most expensive of all silk shirtings. Most exquisite patterns and the finest making throughout. Value \$7.50. Each 3.95	Sleeping Garments Natural Merino Underwear —A fine medium weight garment that is soft and smooth in finish. Long sleeve shirts and regular and stout ankle length drawers. Value \$1.25. Each 85c	High Grade Silk Neckwear Accessories Neckties —Made from the richest foreign cravats and in the best prevailing shapes. Plain and the newest Fall fancy effects. Values \$1.50, \$2.00. Each 85c	New Fall Silk Half Hose Half Hose —Early arrival of our special a n d exclusively made silk thread half hose with double full fashioned little feet. All sizes in black, white and colors. Value 65c. Pair 39c
Satin Striped Tub Silk Shirts —Balance of our entire silk shirt stock of all kinds (crepes excepted). Weighty silks that will give good service. Good assortments in most sizes. Values \$4.50, \$5.00. Each 2.45	Muslin a n d Cambric Night Shirts —Fruit of Loom and other standard qualities—made with collar on or V neck. Liberal sized patterns and best buttons and finish. Values \$1.00 and \$1.25. Each 75c	High Grade Silk Neckwear Accessories Neckties —Best of all plain cravats in twenty-two of the best shades. Hundreds of the choicest and newest fancy silks included. Extra large folded four-in-hands. Values \$1.00. Each 45c	Silk and Cashmere Mixed Hose —A light weight, strong a n d comfortable sock for present and Winter wear. Does not crowd the shoe and affords protection against dampness and cold. Plain and mixed shades. Value 50c. Pair 33c
Soft Cuff Negligee Shirts Shirts —Complete assortments of the newest Fall patterns and fabrics and every shirt of this style from our better grades. Values \$1.50, \$2.00. Each 95c	Men's Fall Pajamas Underwear Shirts —White madras, white and plain self designed mercerized materials and the always popular mercerized pongee cloth. Finely finished and trimmed and cut on very liberal patterns. Value \$1.65. Each 95c	Men's Silk Suspenders Accessories Neckties —Final clearance of our silk suspender stock—finest leather a n d kid ends. Gilt buckles and strong line elastic backs. Values \$1.00, \$1.50. Each 50c	Pure Thread Silk Half Hose Hose —Medium weight, with little soles; in black and assortment of Fall shades. Regularly \$1.00 pair. 3 pairs 1.95; 6 pairs 3.80 Pair 68c

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Men's Special Weight Pure Silk Umbrellas —With sterling trimmed handles. Value \$4.00. 2.95		Pure Thread Silk —Desirable weight for all seasons, in black or white with cotton tops and soles. Regularly \$1.00 pair. 3 prs. 2.25; 6 prs. 4.40. 78c	Union Suits —Light weight, fine ribbed cotton, lace length; regular and extra sizes. Regularly 75c. 55c	3 pairs for 95c; 6 pairs for 1.85.	Also an Assortment of FASHIONABLE FUR TRIMMINGS At Lowest Prices	Feather Neckwear Ostrich Boas —Odd pieces in black and street shades. Regularly \$3.50. 2.95	Evening Gloves —16 button length, of finest quality in white only. Value \$3.00 pair. 2.00

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BUSINESS PRINCIPLES IN NEW CONSTITUTION

Merchants' Association Hears
from Stimson and O'Brien
of Financial Reforms.

PRaise FOR BUDGET SYSTEM

Short Ballot to Give Concentration
of Policy Responsibility
and Management.

Henry L. Stimson and Morgan J. O'Brien told 1,200 members of the Merchants' Association at a luncheon at the Astor yesterday why it was good business policy to adopt the new Constitution on Nov. 2. Mr. Stimson pleaded with his hearers to answer for themselves whether they would permit their own money to be spent in the slipshod manner now in vogue in making up the State's appropriation bills, or whether they would contract to pay interest for fifty years on a loan for improvements that would be worn out in five years. He pointed to the budget system and other features of the proposed Constitution as the remedy for these conditions.

Mr. O'Brien advocated the short ballot and the conservation articles as good business policies.

"As Senator Root said, this State has outgrown its machinery; it is trying to do a railroad business with a stage coach equipment," began Mr. Stimson. Twenty years ago this State had practically no State debt. Today it has the largest debt of any State in the Union. Its local indebtedness, of its cities and villages, and towns and counties, is very much larger than that of any other State. The per capita debt of New York, taking in all these factors is \$100. Twenty years ago it was \$7,000,000. Now it is \$22,000,000.

Responsibility First Principle.

"The first principle we tried to apply was responsibility, the principle that to make a business go right it must be some one's duty to see that it does go right. The Constitution attempts to solve the problem of the State finances by an application of this system. We found the sinking fund system was not working well because it permitted fifty-year bonds to be taken care of by other hands. The convention decided that State debt should be incurred only upon serial bonds, which provides for the administration of the debt to make provisions right off for the payment of the first installment. If the \$118,000,000 in bonds for the Barge Canal had been issued in the new form instead of the old, it is estimated that the State would have saved \$40,000,000 in interest."

"Also it is provided that the life of State bonds shall not run beyond the life of the improvement. As business men you can see the importance of this when I tell you we have outstanding \$38,000,000 of fifty-year bonds for highways, the life of which has been less than five years."

"But the most important new thing in the Constitution is the budget system. The Executive is put in charge of the responsibility of proposing a budget and the Legislature of spending the money. This will take the place of the present atrocious system. The estimates now made by the Legislature are not reviewed by the Legislature without revision. Under the new system it is made the business, first of the Governor, and second, of the Governor, to decide upon a plan which must be submitted to the Legislature early in the session, before the first of February, and then must be discussed in the open, instead of in committee rooms."

Home Rule and Short Ballot.

Mr. O'Brien pointed to home rule and the short ballot as two great reforms, and said that good citizens of all parties should support them. "You know about the home rule provision," he said, "let me say something about the short ballot."

"The growth of office has got to a point in this State where there is no relation of one department to another. There has grown up in commissions, departments, bureaus, and officials, more than 150 in number, which in order to produce a reasonable and efficient service we have reduced to seventeen. That is a long step toward good government."

"Again under the new Constitution the Governor can inaugurate a policy and he can carry it out. Now he can only suggest. In the past he could urge but he could not force the enactment of reforms."

At the conclusion of Mr. O'Brien's address, William Hamilton, who presided, said that inasmuch as the taxation article had been drafted on behalf of New York City, there could be no excuse for any of his hearers neglecting to vote for it.

The following list of the speakers' table: William Goldman, Thomas L. Cheney, George Naumburg, Laurence M. D. McGuire, Charles R. Lamb, J. Crawford McCreery, Lee Kohns, J. G. White, Michael J. Drummond, Eugene Lamb, Richards, Edward T. Page, Frederick C. Tanner, William C. Bred, George Gordon Battle, Henry C. Towne, William Fellows, Congressman William M. Calder, Charles Whitman, William A. Marble, E. H. Outerbridge, J. Noble Hayes, Henry Cobb, Silas D. Webb, Arthur J. Baldwin, Charles H. Young, Lincoln Cromwell, William R. Wilcox, Professor Joseph French Johnson, George H. Burr, Richard S. Childs, Paul Starrett.

HOME RULE PROVISION UPHOLD

Wallstein and Hedges Defend Revision of Constitution.

The home rule specifications in the proposed new Constitution were defended last night by speakers at a dinner at the City Club, who maintained that the responsibility which the provisions would throw on the voters of the city would be such as to increase their capacity for self-government. Leonard M. Wallstein, Commissioner of Accounts, supported a distinct improvement, though he thought they might have gone further; Nathaniel A. Elberg apparently was afraid that if anything the convention had entrusted the city voters with a little more than they could handle safely, and Job E. Hedges favored the new provisions because they would "increase the power of the minority—the men who have the power of affirmative thought—as well as of the great majority to whom things have to be explained."

"The business of men such as are gathered here is to stop arguing about the home rule provisions and get together to pass the Constitution," Mr. Hedges said. "Nobody in the convention was trying to put up a game on this question. They were only trying to make a state out of it. Home rule will give the city so many intricate problems that ultimately they will have to be decided by people who can and will give thought to them, and the great problem of this city and this country is to get the majority of the people to think about anything."

"Prima facie the Constitution should be adopted because the majority of all elements of the convention voted for it, and they were sent there to do something which was to be approved by the people unless they did something outrageous. But one of the arguments that I carry it, if it is carried, is the conviction that if we don't take this we'll have to keep what we have. And the

man who accepts that argument doesn't know what we have."

Mr. Elberg said that the removal of permission to make legislation for some cities and not for others wipes out nine-tenths of the legislative interference with cities, most of which originated with representatives from the cities themselves.

Commissioner Wallstein said he did not believe any legislature would dare to veto a charter passed by the city, and said that the home rule provision cleared the way for a tremendous advance over present conditions.

Sportsmen Urged to Vote "No."

In a circular recently sent out by the New York State Fish, Game and Forest League, from its headquarters at Watertown, hunters, fishermen, and sportsmen are asked to vote against the amendment of the Constitution, which would substitute for the present Conservation Commission, one of nine unpaid members, with exclusive power to make fish and game laws. This circular says that this amendment was fathered in the constitutional convention by the lumber interests, being introduced by Ferris J. Melia, President of the Santa Clara Lumber Company, which is now being sued for damages by the Conservation Commission. Mr. Melia was a delegate to the convention and a member of the Conservation Committee.

Marsh Attacks Constitution.

At a meeting of the Stationary Engineers' Association last night in Moors Hall, 114 West Fourteenth Street, Benjamin C. Marsh, Secretary of the New York Congestion Committee, attacked the proposed new constitution as an instrument directly opposed to the interests of working men. He said it would facilitate grafting and log rolling, that it would place the State in the hands of corrupt corporations; that it repudiates the pledges of the Republican and Democratic parties to grant substantial home rule to cities, and that it continues a discrimination against New York City in the Legislature.

FISH AT \$14 A POUND.

Chicago Epicures Buy Fast Train Ticket for Rare Atlantic Product.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—Two well-known Chicago epicures today enjoyed fish at approximately \$14 a pound. It was the first time this kind of fish had been put on the table in Chicago; it has only recently returned to the Atlantic coast waters after a long absence.

The specimen which arrived in Chicago weighed two and one-half pounds, and was prepared for luncheon by the chef of a fashionable restaurant. The fish arrived on the Twentieth Century. To get it on this train, the men who enjoyed it at luncheon had to buy a straight single-trip railroad ticket from New York to Chicago; they had the fish put on the train as a passenger, as the train carries no express. Thus the fish cost about \$14 a pound.

Leaves Jewels to Cardinal Gibbons.

Special to The New York Times.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 20.—The will of Anna S. R. Rash was filed for probate here today. Among the bequests was one to Cardinal Gibbons of a bar diamond bracelet, a pair of diamond earrings, a bracelet and a pair of bracelets. She left \$25 to the Sisters of Mercy in Philadelphia and \$100 for masses.

Miss Morgan Heads Committee.

The annual meeting of the Vacation War Relief Committee was held yesterday, when the following officers were elected for the year: Miss Anne Morgan, chairman; Miss May Parsons, vice chairman; Miss Kenneth Frazier, secretary; Miss Robinson Smith, Treasurer; Mrs. Montgomery Hare and Miss Maude Wetmore, Executive Committee. There will be a birthday rally of the Vacation Association members on Nov. 19, in celebration of the fourth anniversary of the founding of the organization.

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ABSCONDER GIVEN UP BY BRIDE OF 3 WEEKS

Girl Who Eloped with Ticket Agent Who Had Stolen \$5,000 Causes His Arrest.

TEARS BREAK HER STORY

Knew Nothing of Theft Till After Honeymoon Had Begun, Then Urged Restitution.

There was a telephone call late yesterday afternoon for Edward F. Walsh, for many years a baggage man at the Grand Central Station, and the father of young Edward F. Walsh, Jr., who disappeared on last Oct. 1 from his post as a ticket agent in the station simultaneously with the disappearance of almost \$5,000 from his safe. A girl's voice, shaking with sobs, came over the wire, to Walsh telling him: "This is Mollie, Mollie Donovan. Your daughter-in-law. Oh, don't you know? Ed and I ran away and were married. And I just found out today. I never knew the police were looking for us. I never knew they thought he had stolen the money. I never knew anything about it until I saw our picture in a newspaper today. Please come and get him. We're here at 870 West 156th Street. Please come. Oh, I was so happy and now—"

The girl's voice died away over the phone while the father, heart-broken himself, turned away to notify Chief Charles Stein of the New York Central Railroad detectives. Stein got Detectives Armstrong and Van Twiesten and hurried to the flat. They found Walsh awaiting them. His bride had gone, where Walsh couldn't say, though the detective believed she had gone to her mother at their old home, 8 East 15th Street, from which she eloped with Walsh before daylight on the morning of Oct. 1.

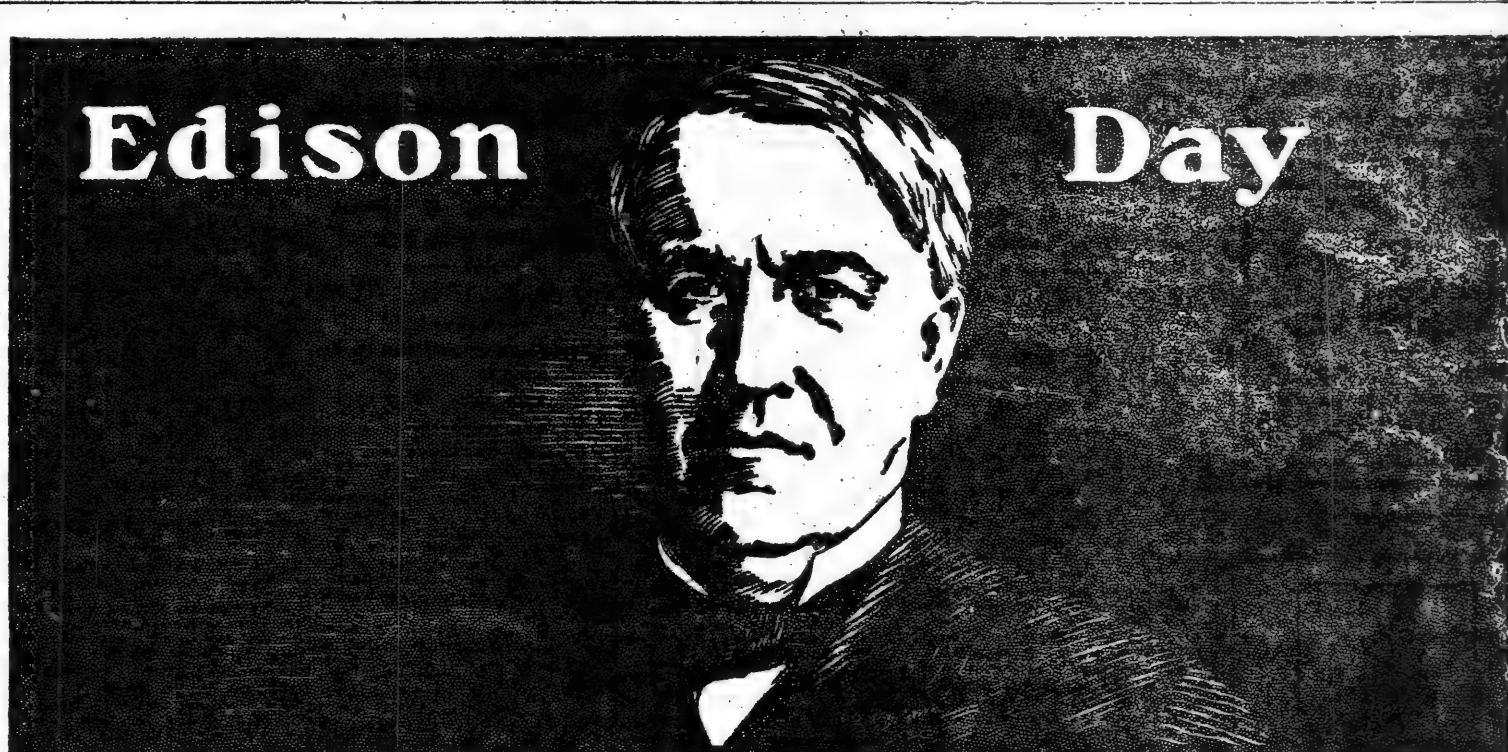
Walsh, according to the detectives, was heart-broken, not so much over his own troubles as at the trouble he had brought on his wife. He told how she had tried to persuade him to give himself up and face the music after she had read of their case in the paper, and how finally she had told him she meant to notify his father. Then she had gone away.

Walsh and the girl, who was formerly a telephone operator in the 156th Street station of the Central, had been sweethearts for some time. He was a frequent visitor at her home, but even so Mrs. Donovan, the girl's mother, thought it a little strange when he called so early in the morning of last Oct. 1. However, she summoned her daughter to speak to him and returned to bed.

When she awoke she found her daughter gone, and she did not hear from her until a letter came from an Indiana town telling how happy the girl was on her honeymoon and how they intended visiting the San Francisco Fair. Why they turned back the police do not know.

Bryan Lands a Postmaster.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Samuel G. Hudson was today appointed Postmaster of Lincoln, Neb. His selection was urged by William J. Bryan.



Edison's Favorite Records

will be played at the Edison Shop

Today and Tomorrow

Come in and hear the phonograph records which the master inventor has called his favorites. See if you can tell why he prefers these records. See if your judgment agrees with his.

Today, and every day this week, is a day of celebration for Mr. Edison's great scientific achievements. Everywhere in this country people are bowing their thanks for the benefits which his genius has brought them.

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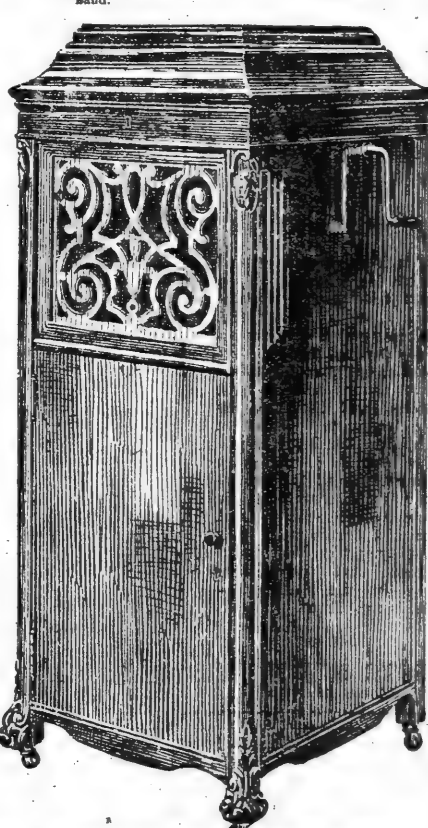
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Articles and Beats Mock- er's Court Order.

The power of the State Athletic Commission rose superior to that of the City Court of New York on Tuesday night and saved more than 8,000 boxing enthusiasts from being disappointed by the canceling of the scheduled ten-round bout between Frank Moran and Jim Coffey. Few of the 8,610 persons who paid to see Moran knock all the heavyweight championship aspirations out of Coffey knew that they came within the figurative arc of seeing no contest, because Moran's share of the receipts had been paid before the bout on a contract obtained by his former manager, William and Mary's Harry Dunder.

A special bout between Smiling Willie and Buddy Brown has also been arranged. Jack Dillon and Jim Flynn will perform at the Broadway Sporting Club on Monday night. Dillon has shown unusual cleverness in hitting powers in his ring in Chicago and a victory over the Puebla fireman will give him a shot at the title of the conqueror of Jim Coffey. Solly Wood of Bay Ridge and Young Shaw of Brooklyn will be the main attraction of the Young Brady will face Young Pearson in the first bout on the card.

Ritchie and Dundee Sign Again.

Willie Ritchie and Johnny Dundee have signed a new set of articles for their bout which takes place at Madison Square Garden Tuesday night. Ritchie is to receive \$10,000 and Dundee \$5,000. In the first articles, the money already being posted by Scott Monthie, manager of Dundee, the bout was to be a catchweight, which will give Ritchie an advantage of several

Moran became enraged when he heard of this proceeding, but he was unable to do anything other than to write to any one, not even to his manager, but at fifteen minutes before the exhibition was scheduled to start, he dressed himself and started for the arena. He made his way stealthily, trying to escape detection, but his absence was noticed by the manager, who overtook the fugitive before he reached the door. Moran was so angry that he threatened to shoot the manager for his efforts to get away. He was determined he would not bow to Coffey as long as he was in the city. The \$5,000 of the \$6,000 of the gross, remained tied up by law. Chairman Coffey's commission was called to the scene by Lewis, and after much trouble, the man who had been so successful in getting Moran to tell his story.

The long-haired heavyweight told Wenck, in the course of a bitter denunciation of McKittrick, that he had never received a penny for boxing a five-round draw with Jack Johnson in Paris

poises.

Zhyzsko Hare to Wrestle Abegg.
Walek Zhyzsko, the wrestler, arrived in New York yesterday from Old Orchard, N. H., where he has been training for some time and will take light exercise every day until his match with Abegg at Madison Square Garden next Monday night. Abegg, by birth a Russian, but a naturalized American, has a home in upper Manhattan, and exercises daily in an uptown gymnasium. He has been freedened up by a summer's rest, and will be in the best of condition for his match last Spring, when the pair met in the famous "big show" that Referee George Rothman called a draw.

Rutgers to Join Swimming League.
NEW BRUNSWICK, Oct. 20.—Rutgers has applied for admission to the Intercollegiate Swimming Association and is trying to get a letter of recommendation from the "Jim" Reilly, the former N. Y. A. C. member of good material on hand.

last year, because the money was tied up by the litigation through some estate business of McKetrick's. He then related other dealings with McKetrick and convinced Wenck that, regardless of the courts, he was entitled to some consideration. The Commissioner, realizing that the boxing game would receive a blow that it would find difficulty in recovering from if Moran should run out when the immense crowd in the Garden was keyed up to its highest pitch, believed that the only way out of the situation was to get the money for Moran. He cordially he promised the conqueror of Coffey that he would get every cent that was coming to him, and ordered the

boxer back to his dressing room to put on his ring togs.

In the meanwhile Wenck went to the box office and called upon Jimmy Johnston, manager of the Garden, to give him Moran's share of the receipts.



Jannottin refused at first, but when
 Wenck pressed his demand for \$500,000,
 he counted out and turned over to the
 Chairman. Wenck in turn gave the
 money to Moran, with the result that
 the Pittsburgher beat McKetrick, and
 Wenck had overruled a court order.
 Upon learning that McKetrick would
 try to hit the Garden manager with a
 suit, Jannottin had a meeting of court,
 and overruled the court order.

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Notes for the Boxers.

Young Mike Donovan will make his reappearance in the ring next Monday night, when he boxes ten rounds with Cowboy Charlie Shands of El Paso, Texas, at the Olympic Club of Harlem. Shands has boxed twice in New York since coming East. He stopped See-Saw Kelly in five rounds and outpointed Rube Howard in six.

Mary Cross, brother of the Fighting Entick, will oppose Farnon Sullivan at the Victoria and Victoria. Young Gilligan will appear in the curtain-raiser.

Harry Fitzpatrick is training at Union Hill, N. J., for his ten-round contest with Leach Jones at the Olympic Club of Harlem on Saturday night. Fitzpatrick has earned an enviable reputation and believes he can stop Cross. Three six-rounders will precede the main event, with Jimmy Dunn and Young Jimmy Murray, Sailor Krum

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Factions Unite on Plan for Reorganization of the Railroad.

It was stated authoritatively yesterday that the reorganization plan of the St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad had been adopted by all interests and that it would be presented for approval next week to the Railroad Commission of Missouri.

The last interests to comply with the plan were two factions of stockholders in St. Louis. They had threatened to hold out and so when the bondholders' committee in this city refused to deal with them longer, it was only after all of the reorganization had passed that these St. Louis factions agreed to assent to the plan.

Details of the reorganization plan have not been published. The main features of the plan are an assessment of \$50 on the stock and the issuing of a new mortgage and an income bond issue. The refunding mortgage 4 per cent. bonds of the old company is understood, will get 75 per cent. of their holdings in the new mortgage bonds and 25 per cent. in the new income bonds; the general lien 5 per cent. bonds will get 75 per cent. in income bonds and 25 per cent. in mortgage bonds. There is also a provision for a syndicate which will advance \$45 of the \$50 assessment on each share of stock.

NATIONAL SURETY EXPANDS.

To Increase Capital Stock \$1,000,000 at \$150 a Share.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the National Surety Company yesterday it was voted unanimously to increase the capital from \$2,000,000 to \$3,000,000. The additional \$1,000,000 stock will be issued at \$150 a share, giving the company an additional surplus of \$500,000. The total capital and surplus is now \$3,500,000, and the resources are given as more than \$9,000,000. Twenty years ago the company had a capital of only \$500,000.

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	Yesterday	Today	High	Low	Close
Anglo-American	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Standard Oil of Ind.	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Standard Oil of N. J.	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Standard Oil of Cal.	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Standard Oil of Tex.	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Standard Oil of Ky.	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Standard Oil of La.	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Standard Oil of Ark.	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
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Year	High Values	Low Values
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1863		Low
1869	High	
1873		Low
1888	High	
1893		Low
1899	High	
1903		Low
1907	High	
1915		Low

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Delightful all year home on large grounds, with 234 ft. frontage, in most select neighborhood. Large living room, with old fashioned open fireplace, dining room, butler's pantry and well fitted kitchen on the first floor.

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Price \$7,000; \$1,000 cash required. Owing to financial condition this house, worth \$8,500, must be sold. Large plot, piazza, handsomely finished, bright room out of the ordinary. Built by day's work, no expense spared. Four master's bedrooms and sleeping porch, 30 minutes out; good transportation. Schools, clubs, etc.

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REPAIRS' NOTICE.
SUPREME COURT, ORANGE COUNTY, N. Y.
JACOB KURN MILLER Plaintiff, against
JAMES A. COHEN, Individually and as
Administrator, et al., Defendants.
The Court, by Justice of the Court, has
solely granted in the above entitled
cause the following order:

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HANDSOME "SEVEN-ROOM" COTTAGE
bath, heat, hot water, central vacuum,
school, stone, churches, 28 minutes' ride
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Will sacrifice 2-4 for \$800 cash. Good
title. Call agents, Floral, Box 195
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88D, 57 WEST—Four-story, high-top house,
12 rooms, 2 baths; excellently laid out for
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cheap. Call or write: **W. A. White & Sons,
Inc.,** 40 Cedar St., New York City. Perry &
Dwight, 2705 Broadway at 103d.

**For Rent—55 West 92d St., near Central
Park.**



seven inches to the center line of the
thence easterly along said center line
parallel with One Hundred and Thir-
Street eighteen feet; thence southerly
with Lenox Avenue, and part of the
through another party wall, one hundred
seven inches to the northerly side of
One Hundred and Thirteenth Street; and

Madison Av., cor. 86th St. suitable cigar
Shop, florist, confectionery, &c.
Shop, 40x80, and large yard suitable for an
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36 Times.

Wanted—Large ground floor studio, north-

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Business Property—Sale, Rental, Management.

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the 25th day of September, 1915 to

with the expenses of the sale. The approximate amount of the taxes, assessments and water rates or other liens, are to be allowed to the purchaser on purchase money or paid by the Referee \$685.15 and interest.

Newburgh, N. Y. October 11th, 1915.

T. V. W. ANTHONY, Referee.

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Beautiful all-year-round bungalow, decorated to suit, all latest modern improvements, beamed ceiling, panelled walls, open fireplace, modern kitchen, bath, heat, running water.

last will and testament of Adolphus Miller, deceased: Royal P. Hammer, William Koch, sometimes known as "M. F. Koch," "Mary" Koch, wife of defendant, William Koch, said first name "being" fictitious, her true first name being unknown to plaintiff, Ella T. Inel, Inel, Florida Inel, and Helen Cozy Little's home, about one hour from city; six-room house; about half acre good and near store, schools and depot; place and

F. Koch, as surviving executrix and under the last will and testament of her deceased husband, the defendant. — Supplemental summons.

are hereby summoned to answer the mental complaint in this action, and to file a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's file, within twenty days after the date of the service of this summons.

If you are looking for a little house and large plot of ground, near station and trolley churches and stores, \$675 for all; \$50 down

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City.
The defendants, William Koch, some-
times known as William Koch, Jr.,
\$7 monthly, answer at once. C. Store, 5 Har-
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R. Depot.
FOR LOW COST, HIGH-GRADE BUN-
GALOS, VISIT BRIGHTWATERS; BOOK
LET & ON REQUEST. T. B. ACKERSON
C1 WEST 34TH ST., NEW YORK.

known as William F. Koch; "Mary," wife of the defendant, William Koch, first name, "Mary," being fictitious, the first name being unknown to the

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lots of fruit; good woodland trout brook
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the same shall be a day of juris-
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(hereinafter) at which time and place
process will be returnable, and the trial
process to interpose their claims
and motions, or they will be defaulted
and monetary judgment rendered against
them.

THOMAS D. MCCARTHY,
United States Marshal.
DOWDEN MARSHALL, U. S. Attorney.

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outhern District of New York.
NOTICE.
October 11, 1915, a libel of information
in the above named Court on behalf
United States against one thousand
of canned tomato pures upon a seizure
A Bargain.—Six-room house, \$4,000, \$600 cash
required; new, modern house, tiled bathroom.

for the condemnation and seizure of property seized to the use of the United States for violation of Food and Drugs Act, 1906 of the United States.

I hereby notify all persons claiming a Real Farmer's Opportunity—198 acre; all 198 acres to high state of cultivation; producing enormous crops; cost \$136 an acre to price \$38, to close estate. El. E. Slocum, N. J. to close estate. Cranford, N. J.—If you want a home to move to Cranford, Cranford, the most beautiful town in Cranford, N. J. to close estate.

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THOMAS D. MCCARTHY,
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OWDEN MARSHALL, U. S. Attorney.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

D STATES DISTRICT COURT,
ern District of New York.—No.
-in Bankruptcy.—LUDWIG ARM-
-in Bankruptcy.

sig. bankruptcy was duly adjudicated
 on October 18th, 1915, and the first
 of creditors will be held at my of
 Broadway, City of New York, on
 er 3d, 1915, at 11:30 A. M. Creditors
 attending, prove their claims, appoint
 ee, examine the bankrupt, and trans-
 fer other business as may properly

ORANGES description, sale or rent.
 Frank H. Taylor., Op. Brick Church Station.
 Ridgewood, N. J.—Five-acre model poultry
 farm; new house. Y 272 Times Annex.

Florida—For Sale or To Let.
 For Sale.—Eight-room cottage on Indian
 River

STANLEY W. DEXTER.
Referee in Bankruptcy.

2,238. — U. S. DISTRICT COURT,
Southern District of New York.—In Bank-
ruptcy of the matter of LOUIS ZEIGER
and JACOB WALD, individually and as co-
partners trading as WALD & ZEIGER,
Debtors.
Zeiger and Jacob Wald, individually

My partners trading as Wald & Zeiger,
15, adjudicated bankrupts on October
15. The first meeting of creditors
held at my office, No. 233 Broadway,

New York, on November 3rd, 1913,
A. M. Creditors may attend, prove
claims, appoint a Trustee, examine the
debts, and transact such other business
properly coming before said meeting.
MACGRANE COKE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

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Handsome furnished apartment, modern

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Secretary Gibson thereupon sought:

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ACTS AFTER INVESTIGATION

Labor Plans Fight on Proposals—
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dations of Convention.

The Chamber of Commerce at a special meeting at noon yesterday approved the main part of the proposed Constitution with only one dissenting vote. The taxation article was approved by the Chamber three weeks ago. No action will be taken on the apportionment article.

The action was taken after the 200 members present had heard the report of a special committee on the Constitution, headed by Eugene H. O'Brien, Vice President of the Chamber of Commerce, and delegate to the proposed Constitutional Convention. Martin Saxe, Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce, and Seth Low, President of the Chamber of Commerce, and delegate to the proposed Constitutional Convention, were also present.

The report of the Constitution Committee said in part:

"After many months of consideration by eminent representatives elected from all parts of the State, the proposed Constitution was adopted by a non-partisan vote and by the large majority of the members of the convention.

With the rapid growth of population, and especially with the increase in the area and population of municipalities, new problems of administration have arisen and experience has proved the necessity for material changes in the fundamental law of the State.

Indorsed in Resolution.

The following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That the Chamber of Commerce of the State of New York, recognizing that the magnitude of the political, commercial, industrial, and social affairs now embraced within the administration of the State and its municipalities requires a revision of the Constitution in order that more efficient means of government may be secured, and that the proposed Constitution as amended and revised has been prepared after full discussion and mature deliberation by a body of men thoroughly competent to deal with this subject, and who have approved the proposed Constitution adopted by the convention on Sept. 10, 1915, and recommends its adoption by the State.

Mr. Low appealed to his hearers to support the Constitution on the grounds of public business policy.

Mr. O'Brien emphasized the non-partisan character of the body of the proposed Constitution, and that it was not a party platform. He said that while he had protested in the convention against not giving New York the representation to which the city was entitled, the apportionment article had nothing to do with the main part of the Constitution.

Mr. Saxe thanked the chamber for its previous indorsement of the taxation article.

"It is high time for a change in our taxation system," he said. "We are using the same system that England used in the twelfth century, and that is the general property taxation system. We all know that general property taxation, so far as personal property is concerned, is a failure. We have got to get away from it. Now in the revised Constitution we make it possible to extend the tax district to the county line."

so that tax districts may be consolidated, and that there may be a tax board for the entire county.

We provide also for the supervision, review, and equalization of assessments. It is a notorious fact that up-State property is not assessed, as the law provides, at its full value. Let here in the City of New York property is assessed close to its full value, and I have heard some people say that municipal government is assessed beyond its full value. I think New York is really subject to some discrimination, but all that can be cured by having a central body with the power of equalization and review of assessments. Then the questions of assessment can be thrashed out in the making. That is the place to correct them.

LABOR PREDICTS DEFEAT.

Committee Answers Complaints of
Central Federated Union.

The Joint Campaign Committee of the Central Federated Union of New York and of the Central Labor Union of Brooklyn met at campaign headquarters, 210 Fifth Street, yesterday afternoon to hear the report of a committee headed by President Holland of the New York State Federation, which had finished a tour of the State, visiting labor organizations against the proposed Constitution. Mr. Holland reported that the Constitution would be overwhelmingly defeated.

The Citizens' Union, Non-Partisan Committee for the Adoption of the Constitution issued a statement refuting the assertion of organized labor that it had not got no consideration from the convention.

The State Federation of Labor filed twenty-four suggestions," said the statement. "The proposed Constitution carries out the suggestions."

Retains annual sessions of the Legislature.

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'BETTER CHANCE NEXT TIME'

Wigwam Indorses Candidates and
Cheers for "Al, the Next
Sheriff."

Tammany held its first ratification meeting of the campaign in Tammany Hall last night. Although Judge Swann, candidate for District Attorney, and other county candidates spoke, the meeting was decidedly cold until Alfred E. Smith, candidate for Sheriff, got up and turned the affair into an uproarious meeting.

There was little enthusiasm for Judge Swann. He was listened to with respect while he told about what he expected to accomplish if elected, and the crowd, in departments, that were of Tammany's best orators, fared little better.

The hall, which was comfortably filled, was manifestly a Smith crowd, and when the candidate for Sheriff took the platform and addressed the audience, he was cheered for fully five minutes.

Secretary Tom Smith started the proceedings by reading a resolution to the effect that the New York Democratic indorsement of the Tammany candidates. This was greeted with howls of approval.

Tammany Hall as an organization did not get on record on the proposed Constitution, but the speakers did not hesitate to condemn the proposition from beginning to end.

Mr. Smith said he had fought hard for three propositions—the demands of labor, the sinking fund provision, and the minimum wage scale, but that all had been defeated by the Republican members. Regarding the home rule provision, Mr. Smith said:

"We were willing to take the best we could get for New York. That's what we went there for."

This brought down the house, and as some time before the Assemblyman could proceed. He condemned the scheme of Tammany for a state to the Democrats, and said that if the Constitution was defeated this year, Tammany would have a better chance next time. When he referred to the apportionment clause as a gold brick, he was cheered for a long time.

Judge Swann said in part:

"A District Attorney of this county who places himself abreast of the times in the treatment of crime and criminals, instead of following the old course of prosecution and prosecution alone, would become a power for good in the great desired end of crime prevention."

Senator James A. Foley, another member of the Constitutional Convention, and Alexander York also attacked the proposed Constitution.

Root Names Aid Committee.

Elhu Root, President of the Union League Club, has appointed the following committee of ten to co-operate with similar committees of other organizations in presenting the merits and advantages of the proposed Constitution for the State of New York to the citizens of the State: Reuben Leslie Maynard, Chairman; George B. Agnew, Roscoe C. E. Brown, Samuel W. F. Child, Austin Fletcher, Chester S. Lord, Robert C. Morris, Elhu Root, Jr., Charles E. Rushmore, and William R. Wilcox.

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The Overcoat in the Expense Account

MOST men have already, or soon will, spend a part of their expense accounts for a winter overcoat. The question comes up, where to buy it.

Last week an otherwise worthy New York store advertised overcoats at \$9.75 and one of our Comparison Department experts bought several coats.

These garments were so thoroughly poor that we take the occasion to call attention once again to the fallacy of judging an article alone on the basis of price.

Macy's advertising does lay stress on price—and so do you. What a thing costs is always important to you. But, what it is worth is even more important. Hence this sermon on quality.

A Low Price is Often the Highest Price

The price in itself is never a safe basis for judgment. An overcoat at \$9.75 may be the best bargain you ever had; or it may be a rank extravagance.

For 57 years this store has had the reputation for selling dependable merchandise at prices lower than any other store in the city.

And in that time we have never lost sight of the importance of quality. Our "low price" is always the result of merchandising ingenuity; it is never made by skimping quality.

The Macy reputation for "lowest prices" is built on the solid rock of dependability, for the goods we sell must give satisfaction no matter how much the price.

We sell at "Lowest-in-the-City-prices," but—

We Never Slight Quality at Macy's

Hotel Webster
40 West 45th Street
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To regain lost articles insert a small advertisement in The New York Times.
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DENIES HUNTINGTON GOT A FAKE ROMNEY

Isaac Simmons of Art Firm He Sues for \$100,000 Insists Painting Is Genuine.

SAYS EXPERTS CERTIFIED IT

Connoisseur Here Recovering from Severe Operation—Must Go to London for Trial.

Art circles in this city are stirred over the \$100,000 suit brought by Henry E. Huntington of this city, bibliophile and connoisseur, against Lewis & Simmons of London, Paris, and 581 Fifth Avenue, New York, on the allegation that a painting which he bought from them is not a genuine Romney. He also questions that the work is a true likeness of Mrs. Siddons and her sister, Fanny Kemble, the English actresses, which it is called.

Isaac Simmons of Lewis & Simmons, at his galleries here yesterday, denied the charges made by Mr. Huntington and said that his firm would fight to the last to maintain the authenticity of the work. The suit disclosed that Mr. Huntington is recovering from a severe operation. On account of his illness his London attorneys proposed that his testimony be taken by commission in this country. The application was granted and then reversed by the Court of Appeals, King's Bench. Mr. Huntington, when his health permitted, will have to go to England to appear in the suit. It is thought the matter will be before the courts within six weeks. Mr. Simmons said that he himself would consent to no compromise and that he had overwhelming proof to sustain the position of his house.

This picture, said he, was sold to Mr. Huntington in 1912 by this firm and guaranteed to be a Romney. It was accompanied by a written expert opinion of the best English authorities on Romney. After the picture was sold it was hung in the Metropolitan Club in this city and in Mr. Huntington's private apartment. It was seen by several well-known dealers who were advising him and all of them pronounced upon it most favorably. After hanging in the club for some time it was sent to the house of Mr. Huntington at San Gabriel, Pasadena County, Cal. The following year it met Mr. Huntington in Paris and he told me how pleased he was with the picture.

A well-known firm of art dealers in this city held an exhibition of old English masters which consisted mostly of pictures bought from that firm by Mr. Huntington. It refused to hang the Romney in this exhibition and cast doubt upon its authenticity.

"This picture," Mr. Huntington's maid, and he asked us to take back the picture and return his money. This we refused to do, assuring him that the picture was absolutely as represented, and that we certainly would not take back a canvas on which a slur had been cast. We offered, however, to submit it to any expert or experts whom Mr. Huntington might name. After this the picture was sent to England under the direction of the firm mentioned, and the matter was placed in the hands of lawyers. There had until now been no publication concerning the controversy. After this action was brought we had the painting examined by the best authorities on Romney in England, and will all pronounce it to be absolutely genuine.

"The integrity of this firm has never been assailed before. We have been est-

ORPHAN IN ASYLUM INVENTS A SWEEPER

Boy of 13, at Pleasantville, Devises a Combined Broom, Brush, and Dustpan.

IT IS APPROVED BY EXPERTS

Freddie Stark's Secret Revealed by Official Letter from United States Patent Office.

Freddie Stark and the other boys were told that they must learn to think and act for themselves. So at the age of 13, Freddie is the inventor of a device which promises to give him a start in life.

Freddie Stark is a half orphan under the care of the Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society at Pleasantville, N. Y. He came from the east side of the city, where his parents had much the worst of life, and the boy was sent to the country for a new start.

Many harsh things are said about the wooden ways of institutions, some of which turn out human beings all alike as if from some sociological lathe.

Hence the cottage plan, such as is used at Pleasantville and other progressive orphan asylums, and the stress which the teachers put upon the doctrine of self-help. Freddie heard much of "enterprise" and "drive" and "initiative" from his teachers.

The first his instructors knew that he had taken their precepts so much, to heart was the other day, when there came a big envelope from the United States Patent Office advising a Mr. Frederick Stark, addressing him "My Dear Sir," that as far as could be ascertained, he had no prior claim on this for his combination of broom, brush, and dust pan, for which the working drawings had been received.

Dr. L. B. Bernstein, the Superintendent, who under the rules, has authority to open the mail of the children, was amazed when he examined the documents and asked the boy to bring out his invention. The youngster had made his practical three-in-one sweeping appliance in the shops, but unknown to any one but himself.

It looks not unlike a broom, and is used such. As soon as a pile of dust is accumulated, the sweeper may press a button, which releases a spring. This operation lets down a dustpan. Another motion, and the operator takes from the back of the dustpan a small handbrush, with which he transfers the sweepings into the pan. The boy had noticed that the sweeping about the cottages required three tools, and hence the combination. The appliance is now used in sweeping in the cottages.

The director of the technical school at Pleasantville says the device works to perfection, and can be used in sleeping cars, shops, and offices. He thinks that this ingenious efficiency device can be placed on the market at a price within the means of every household. A lawyer of this city has taken charge of the application for a patent, and it is thought that in a few days the necessary papers will be signed.

The institution keeps the children until they are 16 years of age, and then sends them out into the world. If everything turns out as well as experts who have examined the boy's invention think, young Stark will have enough money by the time he is 16 to pay his expenses through college or to start in business.

Dr. Bernstein said last evening that the success of the boy was the outcome of modern methods in teaching and a good example of the way in which up-to-date institutions for orphans are keeping the

ASIATIC ASSOCIATION MEETS

W. D. Straight Re-elected President—Fears Loss of Oriental Trade.

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The American Asiatic Association at its annual meeting in the Chamber of Commerce rooms yesterday re-elected Willard D. Straight President for the ensuing year.

Mr. Straight, in his address to the association, said that the general prospect for increasing our business with the Orient seems more promising than at any time in recent years. But, notwithstanding this fact, we are confronted by a situation which makes it almost impossible for us to take advantage of the present opportunities.

The Pacific Mail Steamship Company and the Robert Dollar Company, which have long been among the principal carriers of our export trade to and our import trade from the Orient, are no longer operated under the American flag. A considerable loss, have now been sold because the provisions of the La Follette bill imposed an increased cost of operation which was absolutely prohibitive. Captain Dollar has placed his steamers under the British flag.

The situation occurs at a time when there is little British or tramp shipping available, and American ships are therefore obliged to rely upon the Japanese carriers. The Japanese lines are heavily subsidized, and necessarily prefer their cargo to our own. They would in any case be unable to provide us with the facilities which we require. The association has already brought this matter to the attention of the Government of the United States. It remains to be seen, whether our efforts will be effective.

VICTOR GIVES 8-HOUR DAY.

Talking Machine Company Says It Will Cost a Million First Year.

The Victor Talking Machine Company announced yesterday that it would soon place its 7,600 employees on an eight-hour day with no reduction in pay. It estimates the cost of the concession of labor will be \$1,000,000 for the first year. A statement issued by the company giving the reasons for the change said:

"The Directors concluded it was the right thing to do and the right time to do it. There has been no demand for the change on the part of our employees. The change will reduce the company's profits about \$1,000,000 for the first year. The company expects that it can, however, by adjustments and improvements, restore its profits to normal. The company believes that shorter hours will result in the production of goods of a better grade and will increase the spirit of co-operation which it is anxious to promote in its organization."

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Dr. L. B. Bernstein, the Superintendent, who under the rules, has authority to open the mail of the children, was amazed when he examined the documents and asked the boy to bring out his invention. The youngster had made his practical three-in-one sweeping appliance in the shops, but unknown to any one but himself.

It looks not unlike a broom, and is used such. As soon as a pile of dust is accumulated, the sweeper may press a button, which releases a spring. This operation lets down a dustpan. Another motion, and the operator takes from the back of the dustpan a small handbrush, with which he transfers the sweepings into the pan. The boy had noticed that the sweeping about the cottages required three tools, and hence the combination. The appliance is now used in sweeping in the cottages.

The director of the technical school at Pleasantville says the device works to perfection, and can be used in sleeping cars, shops, and offices. He thinks that this ingenious efficiency device can be placed on the market at a price within the means of every household. A lawyer of this city has taken charge of the application for a patent, and it is thought that in a few days the necessary papers will be signed.

The institution keeps the children until they are 16 years of age, and then sends them out into the world. If everything turns out as well as experts who have examined the boy's invention think, young Stark will have enough money by the time he is 16 to pay his expenses through college or to start in business.

STUDENTS TO OPPOSE NIGHT SCHOOL CLOSING

Hold Meetings of Protest and Will Appeal to Board of Estimate for an Appropriation.

Students in the evening high schools in Brooklyn and Manhattan held meetings of protest last night as the result of the order by the Board of Education to close the evening schools of the city unless the Board of Estimate grants an appropriation of \$270,000 to keep them and the day schools open until the end of the year.

The general students' organization of the Brooklyn Evening High School at Albany Avenue and Bergen Street decided yesterday to appear at the City Hall today in a body and try to convince the Board of Estimate that the appropriation should be granted.

President Churchill of the Board of Education has been authorized to close the evening schools on Monday night if the amount asked for is not voted by the Board of Estimate. This action will deprive thousands of pupils of the opportunity to continue their studies until the Christmas holidays.

"No one regrets more than I," Mr. Churchill said yesterday, "the necessity for the action, but we have not the funds to keep the evening schools going."

PLOTZ TYPHUS GERM THEORY CONFIRMED

New York Pathologist's Discovery of Bacillus Is Verified by Physicians in Serbia.

Reports of physicians who had been in Serbia, submitted last night at a meeting of the New York Academy of Medicine, confirmed the discovery of the germ of typhus made by the brilliant young pathologist, Dr. Harry Plotz of Mount Sinai Hospital.

Dr. Hans Zinsser, Professor of Bacteriology at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, who spent several months in Serbia in direct contact with the typhus epidemic, spoke of two cases under his observation in which the bacillus had been isolated. He reported the results of his observations in the field thus verify the laboratory experiments made in this city.

His report was welcomed by the physicians present as being of especial interest, as he had worked under adverse conditions and without the aid of the best equipment.

The discoverer of the typhus germ is now in Serbia, that hotbed of the disease, conducting his researches. A letter from the field read by Dr. E. Liberman reported that Mrs. Plotz and an associate, guided by a Serbian physician of experience, had selected typical cases of typhus and had succeeded in finding the bacillus.

FIND 'MRS. FLAGLER' STOLE BOY'S \$4,000

Jury Convicts Woman Who Posed as Oil Man's Widow of Grand Larceny.

A POOR GIRL'S \$500 LOSS

District Attorney Hears of Many More Swindles Charged to "Fairy Godmother."

Mrs. Zora Emma Johnson, on trial before Judge Mulqueen in General Sessions for swindling Frank Mahoney, a telephone boy, out of nearly \$4,000 by pretending to be the widow of Henry M. Flagler, the Standard Oil man, was convicted yesterday of grand larceny in the first degree. The jury returned its verdict after being out an hour and twenty minutes.

The indictment on which Mrs. Johnson was convicted rested as a specific act of larceny a loan of \$500 which Mrs. Johnson got from Mahoney on May 1st last after she had assured him that she was the widow of Henry M. Flagler and that she would make him her secretary at \$20,000 a year salary when she came into possession of her \$15,000,000 estate.

Other evidence presented showed that the defendant between April 30 and June 3 procured from Mahoney a total of \$4,500, most of which he had borrowed from friends, convincing them as he had been convinced that his "fairy godmother" was what she professed to be.

In his charge to the jury yesterday Judge Mulqueen, acting on the request of Abe Levy, the woman's lawyer, emphasized that no inference of guilt was to be drawn from the fact that the defendant interposed no defense. But the judge also urged the jury to remember that the absence of a defense left the evidence presented by the prosecution uncontradicted.

Mrs. Johnson, who is 51 years old, was remanded to the Tombs for sentence. She was not in the least disconcerted by the verdict and declined a glass of water offered to her by an attendant. She turned to Abe Levy, her lawyer, as she was being led out of the courtroom and remarked: "I'll prove that I am Mrs. Flagler yet."

Since Mrs. Johnson was brought to trial Assistant District Attorney Minton has heard of other swindling operations not mentioned in the trial. He has been informed that Mrs. Johnson passed bad checks on banks in Washington, one for \$5,000. Various hotels in this city where she lived as Mrs. Flagler have also against her, and one clothing firm where she purchased several suits of evening clothes for the telephone boy to keep up her show of munificence has a claim for \$102.

Among the papers in the case Mr. Minton has a letter from "William A. Clark," who says that Mrs. Johnson once tried to interest him in the sale of some Persian rugs. Mr. Minton said yesterday that he understood the writer to be former United States Senator Clark.

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CALLS INCOME TAX BY STATE CRIMINAL

B. C. Marsh Tells Mills Committee Proposed Plan Is Tantalizing to Robbery.

MANY THEORIES EXPOUNDED

Panic Predictor Hits at Silver Tubs in Newport—Hearings Now to Move Up State.

The Mills Legislative Tax Committee in the Woodworth Building yesterday heard exponents of many tax theories. It was the last day of the Committee's hearings in the city before its return from its up-State sessions. The first witness was Benjamin C. Marsh, Secretary of the Lower East Side Society. He said that the proposition to levy a State income tax on all incomes exceeding \$500, or even \$1,200, was criminal. "Any party which sponsors this proposition," he said, "will be decisively beaten. It is tantamount to robbery under the guise of taxation. Professor Seligman admits that the proposition has no basis in justice, but only in expediency. There are nearly a million families in New York City which get an income from \$500 to \$2,000 a year. Every dollar they pay as a direct income tax reduces the amount they can spend for food, clothing, and shelter, and affects the up-State farmers and the producers. They consider \$10 as an important item, but the wealthy do not consider a matter of \$10,000 at all."

Mr. Marsh said that the workingmen paid \$20,000,000 annually in taxes while the wealthy paid only \$11,000,000. "I am not a single taxer," he said. "I am a taxer of the rich. The Committee can render its service to the State by the abolition of the present system of taxation. I ask that the Committee be authorized to make a study of the abolition of State taxes on labor and help us to get real home rule through the referendum."

No Power for Referendum.
The witness asked Mr. Mills if he was willing to submit the income tax question to the people through referendum. Mr. Mills replied that the Committee had the power to submit the question not to a referendum, but only to the Legislature.

"Of course," said Mr. Marsh, "it would help land speculators here, and the city and State Governments have been run for their benefit for many years. The city and State have no right to an income tax because the Federal Government would get at least \$300,000,000 from taxing large incomes, and the city should make those who get the financial benefit of all municipal expenditures—the land owners—pay for them, instead of robbing the workers under the pretense of solicitude for their civil morals, and under the guise of taxation."

Mr. Marsh said that he believed in abolishing speculation in land as well as in free trade between nations and that he was against the high tariff of the Republican party. "The people are getting millions out of New York and spending it in silver tubs at Newport," he said. "The people are getting millions out of New York and spending it in silver tubs at Newport."

Stenographer Gives Up.
James P. Kohler, the next witness, talked so rapidly about his particular theory that the stenographer threw down his pen in despair. Mr. Kohler, it was learned, was in favor of taxing anybody who could contribute anything. He characterized Professor Johnson's Malicious theory as "frat nonsense." "The people are getting millions out of New York and spending it in silver tubs at Newport," he said. "The people are getting millions out of New York and spending it in silver tubs at Newport."

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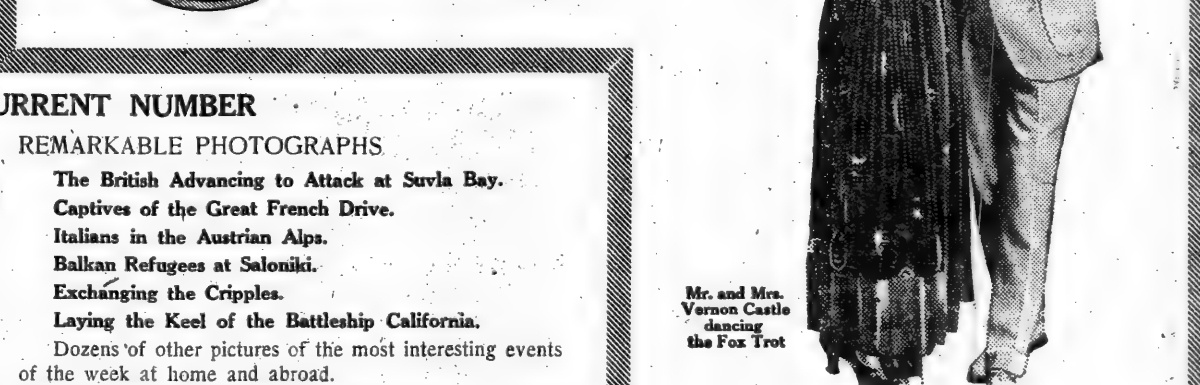
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Athletes Disqualified for Demanding Excessive Expense Money for Competition.

Abel R. Kivlat of the Irish-American A. C., one of the best mile runners in history, and Harry J. Smith of the Bronx Church House, several times a national champion, were disqualified from further competition in amateur athletics last night, when they were found guilty of professionalism by the Registration Committee of the Metropolitan Association of the Amateur Athletic Union for demanding exorbitant expense money to compete at a track and field meeting in Schenectady, N. Y., on Sept. 18.

The decision of the committee cancelling the registration cards of Smith and Kivlat was not unanimous, and was not reached until more than two hours of discussion followed the closing of the testimony. It was said that John P. O'Hara, the board member, who presided, and Charles Erickson of Brooklyn, who voted to acquit the accused athletes, completed last night when Roscoe C. Campbell, the A. A. U. handicapper, appeared before the Registration Committee and testified that he had received letters from Smith and Kivlat in which they demanded expenses in excess of those allowed by the A. A. U. to compete in the championships of the Eastern New York State Athletic Commission. Smith was charged with demanding \$400 and Kivlat with \$200.

Neither of the athletes was present at the continuation of the investigation of their amateur status last night, nor was John T. Dooling, their chief counsel. They were represented by a pressman Murray Hulbert, who asked for an adjournment, and another, who asked for a continuance.

The case takes on wide importance through the fact that both Kivlat and Smith represented this country in the Olympic games at Stockholm, Sweden, in 1912.

The Rev. M. A. Galanti, now pastor of St. Anthony's Roman Catholic church in Troy, but in 1912, one of the clergy of Our Lady of Mount Carmel's Church in Waterbury, N. Y., did much to attend last night's hearing, but turned over to the committee a statement that Kivlat had received \$25 from him, through Campbell, to compete in the church sports on September 18, 1912. Kivlat, in his statement, admitted that he saw Kivlat receive the \$25 from Campbell, which was in addition to his legitimate expenses for traveling to Waterbury. The expenses were paid by Harry Smith, who was Kivlat's manager in the securing of athletes from New York for the games. It was Smith who interested Kivlat in Campbell in the first place and had him direct it for Father Galanti.

Lieutenant John Livingstone, A. A. U. Commissioner for Troy and other up-State cities, and James P. Eaton, who gave testimony against the athletes, said that he had seen Kivlat in the hotel room and that he had seen Kivlat's wife, who found it on the floor in Campbell's room and regarded it as insignificant.

In the Mount Carmel games, which resulted in the conviction of Kivlat, representatives of the Dartmouth A. A. U., Boston A. A. U., and Hamilton A. A. U., numerous small clubs, and Harry Smith competed, but according to Kivlat's testimony, Kivlat was the only athlete who received more money than he was entitled to.

Offers Replica of Cup.

Sir Adam Beck Will Replace Canadian Trophy for Horse Show.

Sir Adam Beck, Director of Remounts for Canada in the Department of Militia and Defense, has offered a replica of the Canadian Challenge Cup for competition at this year's National Horse Show at Madison Square Garden. This announcement was made yesterday afternoon by the Executive Committee of the National Horse Show Association. The trophy will replace the original cup, which is not found in time for the Garden show.

Lord Deedes is making every effort to locate the trophy from England, but has met with little success. The Executive Committee has applied to the French Government for its aid in tracing the cup, which was won at the last National Show at the Garden by a French official at the front. The desire of the officials to recover the Challenge Cup is due to the greatly enhanced value of the trophy since the war. Alfred B. MacLay, Chairman of the Executive Committee, presided at the meeting.

Earlier in the day a party of Horse Show officials and judges, which included Reginald C. Vanderbilt, Robert A. Fairbairn, Alfred B. MacLay, John McE. E. Bowman, and E. von der Horst Koch, were the guests of Charles A. Baudouine, one of the judges of harness points at the Garden, who is the only stranger whip in New York now driving four in hands daily in the park. Mr. Baudouine took the guests to the Claremont on his coach, starting from the Biltmore.

Freshmen Swim Best of C. C. N. Y.

By scoring all the points in three events the freshmen of the College of the City of New York defeated the sophomores in the annual freshman-sophomore swimming meet in the college natatorium. The showing of the freshmen team brightens the swimming outlook at the college. Lebeur, who won the 100-yard swim, was the only swimmer to score a point. The point was won by O'Connell, who has graduated. The point was won by O'Connell, who has graduated. The point was won by O'Connell, who has graduated.

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Old League Likely to Prohibit Men from Taking Post-Season Trips.

considered will be that of resuming ball players to take part in any games after the league season closes. In view of the attitude of many of the club owners, it is likely that affirmative action will be taken on the proposal. The

The clubs could forbid the men playing, but such a course has never been taken. The situation has only been going from bad to worse. The permission for the league men to play the game in the late fall has given the owners of the clubs a headache by the club name, even though there may be but one player of that club on the team. The situation has become so bad that the owners of the clubs have even gone so far that teams have taken the name of one of the New York clubs and had another team named after it. This has caused some professional players among the names of members on the Giants or Yankee teams. hesitated to make

drastic action against any of their men, it being the impression that they were entitled to pick up a bit of after-season money. There has been so much abuse of the privilege, however, that the matter will come before the National League and a definite ban will probably be placed against the custom.



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VALK—On Oct. 26, Louisa Barton, beloved wife of Henry Valk. Funeral from late residence, Richmond Hill, L. I., Monday, Oct. 27, at 11 A. M. Interment

14th year. Funeral services at residence of her son-in-law, Dr. Houghton, South Oxford St., Brooklyn, Sunday, 24, 2 P. M., interment private.

BACKOFF.—Elizabeth, 1,111 Washington
Brenz, Oct. 20, aged 58. Funeral, to-
day, 1:45 P. M.

BECK.—Catherine, 853 East 216th St.,
10, aged 56, Funeral, today, 9:30 A. M.

DOUGHERTY.—Peter J., 322 Monroe St.,
16, Funeral, today, 2 P. M.

DRISCOLL.—Isabella O'S., Oct. 20, Fun-
eral, 100 Greenwich St., today, 10:45 A. M.

FAREN.—Michael, Oct. 30, Funeral

HYNRS—William, 450 West 42d St., N.Y. City, N.Y. 10018.
LARSCHAN—Bleegmund, 611 East 99th St., Astoria, Ore. 97103.
KUEHNEN—Charles, Stapleton, Astoria, Ore. 97103.
aged 80. Funeral today, 2 P. M.,
Stapleton, Astoria, Ore. 97103.
Funeral police later.
McKee—Mrs. Mary, 126 West 162d St.,
N.Y. City, N.Y. 10032.
Funeral today, 9 A. M.,
MANDEL—Henrietta, 216 Forest
Brook, N.Y. City, N.Y. 10024.
TILL—Edward C., 1032 Locust
St., N.Y. City, N.Y. 10022.
MOONEY—William R., 601 Madison
Ave., N.Y. City, N.Y. 10022.
Funeral today, 10 A. M.,
SCHAEGS—Mrs. Mary, 100 West 11th
St., N.Y. City, N.Y. 10011.
Funeral today, 10 A. M.,
SHEERIN—Davis M., 579 Oaktree Pl.,
N.Y. City, N.Y. 10022.
Funeral today, 10 A. M.,
SACHILL—Catherine A., 61 Amster-
dam Ave., N.Y. City, N.Y. 10022.
SLEVIN—Ann, 102 East 91st St.,
N.Y. City, N.Y. 10022.
SMITH—Laura B., Oct. 19, funeral
today, 10 A. M.,
BULVAIN—Mrs. Mary, 1410 Lexington
Oct. 20, Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.,
TOLSON—Mrs. Mary, 100 West 11th
Oct. 19, Funeral today, 2 P. M.

BURGE—Henry F. 3 Essex St., Det.
Funeral tomorrow.

BURNE—Jessie D., 1306 Stuart Ave.,
Det. Funeral tomorrow.

DEVOY—John, 405 Park Place, Oct.
Funeral 2 P. M.

DUGHERTY—Margaret, 535 Morgan
St., Oct. 10, 10 A. M.

DRISCOLL—Mary T., 6 Dittus Ave., Oct.
Funeral 10 A. M.

FLEMING—Thomas, 2361 Cornell St.,
Oct. 10, 10 A. M.

GLAZE—Marta Rose, 230 Washington
St., Oct. 10, 10 A. M.

HAYES—Alice, 85 14th St., Oct. 10,
Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

JENNINGS—John, 1000 10th St., Oct.
Funeral 4 P. M.

KOENIGER—Carolina, 213 Cornell St.,
Oct. 10, 10 A. M.

KREMER—Sarah J., 471 Bushwick
Ct., Oct. 10, aged 80. Funeral tomorrow,
10 A. M.

MASON—Lillian M., 167 Richard St.,
Oct. 10, aged 93. Funeral tomorrow,
10 A. M.

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Oct. 10, aged 93. Funeral tomorrow,
10 A. M.

Funeral today, 1:30 A. M.
POWER-Catharine. 888 Manhattan
Oct. 20, aged 70. Funeral today.
REID-Elizabeth. 29 Greenwood Av.,
20. Funeral Oct. 21.
RELTERSHON-Philip. 1,018 Palmetto
Oct. 20, aged 67. Funeral tomorrow
RUPP-Karl. 101 Cornelia St., Oct.
aged 70.
SCHULTZ-Alvin. 35 Stuyvesant Av.
10. Funeral today, 2 P. M.
THILLY-John. 159 Fairbairn St., Oct.
Funeral service tomorrow.
ZEIL-Mary J., 135 Bay 11th St. Oct.
aged 73. Funeral today, 2 P. M.
Hoboken, Jersey City, and Newark.

566 Funeral tomorrow.
CRONIN—Margaret, 131 Communipaw
Jersey City, Oct. 21. Funeral tomorrow.
DUNLOP—Mather, 130 A. M.
Hawthorne, Oct. 20. Funeral tomorrow.
HUGO—Herman, 11 Somerset St., N.
J., Oct. 20, aged 61. Funeral tomorrow.
P. M.
McCAFFERTY—Margaret, 131 Lafayette
St., Jersey City, Oct. 20. Funeral tomorrow.
MEADE—August, 56 College Place, N.
J., Oct. 21, aged 46. Funeral tomorrow.
P. M.
O'BRIEN—John, 206 8th St., Jersey
City, Oct. 21. Funeral notice later.
POST—Bernice, 1015 Boyd Ave., Jer-
sey City, Oct. 20. Funeral tomorrow.
POST—Beatrice C., 415 Violet St., West
New York, Oct. 20. Funeral tomorrow.
RICKERHAUSEN—Minnie, 6 Chad-
win Ave., Newark, Oct. 20. Funeral
tomorrow.
SANDS—S. H., 100 Lexington
Jersey City, Oct. 20. Funeral tomorrow.
SAITTER—Margaret, 595 Camden St., N.
J., Oct. 21, aged 67. Funeral tomorrow.
TOWNSEND—William—G., 111 Grant
St., Jersey City, Oct. 20. Funeral

WALSH—Bridget, 44 Wyndell St., New
Oct. 20. Funeral tomorrow, 8 A. M.
WEICH—Anthony, 42 Central Av., Je
City, Oct. 18, aged 71. Funeral to
8:30 A. M.

Long Island.

CASE—Dwight B., Roosevelt, Oct. 21,
neral today.
KANE—John R., Massport, Oct. 19, ag
months.
KEUDELL—August, College Point, Oct.
aged 28.
LEONARD—Margaret, Ridgewood, Oct.
aged 30.
NARTELS—Eide H., Woodharen, Oct.
aged 63.
NONEMAKER—Ida F., Ramblersville, O.
Oct. 18, aged 80.
PAIRBERG—James, Woodharen, Oct. 18,

TAYLOR.—Anne, Whitestons, Oct.
aged 48.
WEIGAND.—Violet H., Ridgewood, Oct.
aged 10 months.

In Memoriam.

CLAYTON.—Martin A. Clayton, 7707
mind mass, St. Patrick's Cathedral,
urday, Oct. 23, 9 A. M.

MAYER.—In memory of our dearly beloved father, David Mayer, who passed away Oct. 22, 1914.

BALY.—Thomas J., mass. St. Michael's Church, Jersey City, today, 8 A. M.

CALDWELL.—Elizabeth, mass. St. James Church, Newark, tomorrow, 8:20 A. M.

CLIFFORD.—Catherine, mass. Sacred Heart Church, Newark, today, 8 A. M.

GLENNON.—Ellen, mass. St. Rose of Lima Church, Newark, today, 8 A. M.

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SOLDIERS MISSED EDITH CAVELL, OFFICER IN COMMAND KILLED HER; MOVING STORY OF HER LAST HOURS

HER CHAPLAIN'S NARRATIVE

She Was Calm and Re-
signed and Forgave
Her Executioners.

CHEERFUL AT THE PARTING.

German Chaplain, Who Saw Her
End, Says She Died
Like a Heroine.

EXECUTION A SHOCK HERE

Prominent Men and Women De-
nounce It—Washington Feels
It Has Done Its Utmost.

LONDON, Saturday, Oct. 23.—The British Foreign Office last evening made public the report of the Rev. H. S. T. Gahan, the British Chaplain in Brussels who visited Miss Edith Cavell just before her execution, and another letter from Minister Whitlock to Ambassador Page. In his letter Mr. Whitlock says he requested that the body of Miss Cavell be delivered to the School for Nurses, of which she was the directress, and that his request was referred to the Ministry of War in Berlin.

The Rev. Mr. Gahan in his report says: "On Monday evening, the 11th of October, I was admitted by a special passport from the German authorities to the Prison of St. Gilles, where Miss Edith Cavell had been confined for ten weeks. The final sentence had been given early that afternoon.

"To my astonishment and relief I found my friend perfectly calm and resigned, but this could not lessen the tenderness and intensity of feeling on either part during that last interview of almost an hour.

"Her first words to me were upon a matter concerning herself personally, but the solemn asseveration which accompanied them was made expressly in the light of God and eternity. She then added that she wished all her friends to know that she willingly gave her life for her country, and said:

"I have no fear nor shrinking. I have seen death so often that it is not strange or fearful to me."

"She then said:

"I thank God for the ten weeks of quiet before the end. My life has always been hurried and full of difficulties; this time the rest has been a great mercy. They have all been very kind to me here, but this I would say, standing as I do in view of God and eternity, I realize that patriotism is not enough. I must have no hatred or bitterness toward any one."

"We partook of Holy Communion together, and she received the Gospel message of consolation with all her heart. At the close of the little service I began to repeat the words 'Abide with Me,' and she joined softly in the end.

"We sat quietly talking until it was time for me to go. She gave me parting messages for relations and friends. She spoke of her soul's needs at the moment, and she received the assurance of God's words as only a Christian can.

"Then I said good-bye, and she smiled and said: 'We shall meet again.'

"A German military Chaplain was with her at the end and afterward gave her a Christian burial. He told me: 'She was brave and bright to the last. She professed her Christian faith and said she was glad to die for her country. She died like a heroine.'"

Mr. Whitlock, in including the letter he wrote to Baron von Lancken, the German Governor, at the request of President Faidor of the Court of Appeals in Brussels and the President of the Belgian School for Nurses, asking that Miss Cavell's body be delivered to the school, said:

"I have not received a written reply to my note to Baron Lancken on the subject, but he came to see me yesterday afternoon and stated that the body had been interred near the Prison of St. Gilles, where the execution took place, and that under the regulations governing such cases it was impossible to exhumate the body without written permission from the Minister of War at Berlin. He added that he had no authority to ask for permission to exhumate the body, but that immediately upon the return of the Governor General he would request him to take the matter up."

"I shall hope to be able to tell you that we have at least been able to accomplish this small service."

HORRIFIED DUTCH PROTESTS.

The Press, Scorning Neutrality
Regulations, Denounces Germans.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.
AMSTERDAM, Oct. 22. (Dispatch to The London Daily Mail.)—I have no hesitation in saying that the execution of Miss Cavell has evoked consternation among the people of Holland who feel that it will probably do more damage to German sympathies in Holland.

German Soldiers Fired Low at Miss Cavell; Then Officer Shot Her, Amsterdam Says

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.
AMSTERDAM, Oct. 22. (Dispatch to The London Daily Mail.)—The Telegraph states tonight that the Germans executed a French woman, Miss Edith Cavell, at Liege a fortnight ago. The firing party purposely aimed low, and she was hit in the legs. An officer then shot her through the head with his revolver.

The Telegraph says the same thing happened in Miss Cavell's case. She was fired at by a party of two, but only one bullet touched her, and that did not kill her. It was after this that the officer of the firing party drew his revolver, and, putting it to her ear, fired. The priest who was present at the execution, overcome with horror, is now suffering from a nervous breakdown.

WIDE CONSPIRACY SEEN BY GERMANS

Miss Cavell Was Believed to
Have Had Many
Confederates.

PRINCE ALLEGED LEADER

"Underground Railway" Said to
Have Been Operated With
Hospital as Centre.

From a Staff Correspondent.
SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.
The Vossische Zeitung's Brussels correspondent telegraphs the first details received here of the sensational Brussels espionage case. He says:

"The trial, lasting three days, gave a clear picture of the methods employed by a regular organization to recruit men, subject to military service in the allied armies, who had been left behind in Belgium, and send them across the Dutch frontier. It also proved that the leading spirits of the enterprise must be sought in high Belgian and partly French aristocracy. I had occasion to be present at the first day's trial before the Court of War Justice.

"The leader of the band, which, of course, had many more members than the German police could arrest was Prince Reginald de Croÿ of Bellinghien, who was not apprehended, though his wife, Princess Marie de Croÿ, sat on the bench with the other accused.

"Besides the Prince, an Englishwoman, the head of a Brussels medical institution, was the principal moving spirit in the undertaking. Scattered English and French soldiers, hidden in the provinces, principally in the province of Hennegau, were spirited over the border by agents of the princely pair, who found in a French Countess, Jeanne de Belleville, a particularly zealous assistant. They had organized regular stations of an 'underground railway,' and trusty bearers accompanied the subjects to military service or the soldiers, among them English and French officers, from station to station to Brussels, where they were hidden till the coast was clear and they could be hurried over the Dutch border.

"The central station was located in the house occupied by the English clinic in Brussels, whence in the dead of night they were escorted to a street car line in the heart of Brussels, at the Church of St. Marie, in the Rue Royale, going from the terminus of the street car line to the Dutch border by the narrow-gauge railway.

"During the trial in the Senate Chamber the accused, almost without exception, gave the impression of persons cleverly simulating naïve innocence. It was not a mere coincidence that two-thirds of the accused were women.

"The Englishwoman, Edith Cavell, declared that she had believed as an Englishwoman that she ought to do her country service by giving lodgings in her house to soldiers and recruits who were in peril. She naturally denied that she had drawn other people into destruction by inducing them to harbor refugees when her own institute was overtaxed.

"Her principal agent was an architect, Philippe Baquet, who confessed that he was a good Belgian patriot who believed himself compelled to sacrifice himself for the fatherland. He had been a lawyer, condemned to imprisonment, admitted forging identification cards for travelers. A mining engineer, also condemned to imprisonment, did the same thing. A Brussels druggist, who for months concealed recruits subject to military service, pleaded his goodness of heart. He and his wife could not say no to those who asked to conceal patriots from the German police.

"The theory of the patriotic feelings admitted that she always made reports about her journeys to a French Abbé, who came to Brussels she met the Abbé in a different coffee house; but she tried to do with a highly organized association for months concealed recruits subject to military service, pleaded his goodness of heart. He and his wife could not say no to those who asked to conceal patriots from the German police.

"From the proceedings one gathered the impression that the court had been a highly organized association which has been doing business regularly for months."

POPE MAKES PROTEST AGAINST KILLING WOMEN

Directs German Cardinal to Com-
municate His Views to
the Kaiser.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.
ROME, Oct. 22. (Dispatch to The London Daily Express.)—I am told that the Pope has instructed Cardinal Hartmann of Cologne to protest to the Kaiser against the execution of women as being against the principles of Christianity and humanity.

SEES SEA RAIDER IN ZEALANDIA

Germans to Use Steamer as
Commerce Destroyer, Ship
Broker Streeter Hears.

CUSTOMS STARTS INQUIRY

Told That Escaped German Of-
ficers Would Join Ship—Name
and U. S. Flag Painted Out.

The customs officials are investigat-
ing through the Law Department a re-
markable statement made yesterday af-
ternoon by E. W. Streeter, a ship
broker of 17 South Street, regarding
the American steamer Zealandia, which
sailed from Pensacola, Fla., on Oct. 7
for Tampico, Mexico, to load with oil
for Malmo, Sweden. He declared that
the American flag on the side of the
ship and her name had been painted out
and that she had been fitted out as a
commerce destroyer to fly the German
flag.

Mr. Streeter also said the German of-
ficers who escaped from the auxiliary
cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm at Newport
News in a small yacht had arranged to
meet the Zealandia at a point off the
coast and had been taken on board. He
said the information had come to him
from a reliable member of the engine
room department on the steamer who
had refused to sail from Pensacola on
the Zealandia, and he was told out for
what purpose she was intended. Mr.
Streeter declined to give the name of
the informant, saying he did not wish to
do him any injury by making it public.

When inquiry was made at the Customs
House regarding the statement made
by Mr. Streeter one of the officials
said he had been sent to the Zealandia
at Tampico last night. The official added
that although the Fluke Trading Com-
pany of 18 William Street was owned
as the owner of the Zealandia, facts and
circumstances indicated that the vessel
really was owned by German interests.
The Zealandia left Pensacola under
command of Captain Devantier, said
he had been sent to the Zealandia in the
Hamburg-American Line service between
New York and the West Indies.

One of the members of the Fluke Trading
Company, said that it was ridiculous to
say that the Zealandia had been fitted
out for commerce destruction; her top
speed, he said, was 12 knots, and that
she had been fitted out for what he
called a "commerce destroyer" was a
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"commerce destroyer" was a hoax.

When asked by the Law Department
of the Customs House the afternoon
after the Zealandia had arrived at Tam-
pico, Mr. Dixon replied that he had
received a cablegram from the German
consul at Tampico, and that he had
received the report that the Zealandia
had been fitted out for commerce destruc-
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The Zealandia is a four-masted
steamer, 2,000 tons gross, built in 1913
by John Elder & Co. for the Pacific
trade, and for many years ran between
Sydney, Australia. She is 377 feet long,
37 feet beam, and 18 feet 6 inches depth
of hold.

THINK WRECKED YAWL BORE MISSING GERMAN

Vessel Like Eclipse Sighted Over-
turned Near Bermuda—Fugitives
Drowned or Picked Up.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 22.—A wreck
which local shipping men believe to
have been that of the auxiliary yawl
Eclipse, upon which six of the German
officers interned on the Kronprinz Vil-
helm at Norfolk are supposed to have
made their escape, was sighted last
Sunday about seventy-five miles north-
east of Bermuda by the officers and
crew of the Italian steamship Labor,
which arrived here today from Genoa.

In a report to the Hydrographic Office
of the Navy Department, the Italian
Captain Monsali of the Labor said that
he sighted an overturned white vessel
in latitude 32.20 North and longitude
64.25 West, which appeared every-
where the description of the Eclipse.

The Italian ship passed the wreck at
a distance of about six miles. As there
was no sign of life to be seen about
her, Captain Monsali proceeded to Nor-
folk. He had not heard of the escape
of the Germans, and he did not make
a report at the Virginia port au-
thorities here that the Eclipse was ship-
wrecked and its occupants drowned, or
that the German officers had been picked
up by a friendly ship.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—An official
list of missing members of the crews of
the two German auxiliary cruisers in-
terned on the Kronprinz Wilhelm at
Norfolk, Va., issued tonight by the
Navy Department, shows that out of
a total of 76 officers and men, one com-
missioned officer, two doctors and six
warrant officers have broken parole.
Not one bluejacket is missing. Follow-
ing is the Department's statement:

Below is a list of the names of the
six warrant officers of the German
auxiliary cruisers who have broken parole
and are now at large.

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Sir A. Conan Doyle

on
England's Fantastic Fears

An important and interesting
survey of her part in the war, in
which he contends that she is now
ready on land and sea and that
her victory is only a question of
"one successful pounce."

IN TOMORROW'S
SUNDAY TIMES
Order It Today

GERMANY SHUTS OFF MEAT 2 DAYS A WEEK

On Two Other Days No Fats May
Be Used in Cooking and on An-
other No Pork May Be Sold.

FOOD SITUATION CRITICAL

Rigid Card System Such as Is Ap-
plied to Bread to Be Extended
to Many Other Commodities.

From a Staff Correspondent.
SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.
BERLIN, Oct. 22.—Germany's food
supply has suddenly become the most
important internal question of the day,
the press devoting more space to butter,
milk, eggs, and meat than to war news.

Meanwhile the highest State and mu-
nicipal authorities, aided by hundreds of
experts, are hard at work trying to cut
the Gordian knot of supply and demand
with sharp socialist measures for price
regulation and distribution. This is like-
ly to prove the supreme test of German
genius for organization.

A beginning probably will be made next
week to "stretch" the meat supply
along the following novel lines: There
will be two no-meat days each week on
which dealers will be forbidden to sell
any kind of meat or foods composed
wholly or partly of meat ingredients.

This applies not only to hotels and res-
taurants, but also to butchers' shops,
delicatessen stores, etc. On these days
banned goods may not even be displayed
in show windows. On two other days
restaurants may not serve food fried or
otherwise prepared with any fat, includ-
ing butter or oil. On all other days mak-
ing five in all—the sale of pork is for-
bidden. Heavy fines will be imposed for
violation of the regulations. The police
and commissions of experts have far-
giving rights of entry and search of
stores, restaurants, and other premises.

Maximum prices for meats are ex-
pected to be put in force next week,
and it is not possible to regulate the
distribution there will be a system of
meat cards similar to the bread cards
which have been in use for the past
thirty-five weeks. Milk cards for babies
and sick persons are also coming, and
if these works out milk cards may be
extended to the whole population. Pe-
troleum cards are also a possibility in
the near future, so that life in Berlin
may acquire the fascination of a card
game.

The new food measures are being
hailed with approval by all parties
classes, and many persons are criticiz-
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'CHANT OF THE SWORD' IS NEW HYMN OF HATE

Expresses Pride in Slaughter of
Children, According to an
English Version.

LONDON, Oct. 7.—The Berne cor-
respondent of The Pall Mall Gazette
says Germany's "Hymn of Hate" has
been supplanted by "The Chant of the
German Sword," a composition brought
out in Leipzig a week or so ago, which
has already run into half a dozen edi-
tions.

This is what its anonymous author
makes the "German sword" say:

"It is no duty of mine to be either
just or compassionate; it suffices that
I have struck out the breast of
children who gazed at me with
the eyes of the wounded lion."

"Day after day I ride aloft on the
shadowy horse in the valley of Cy-
thra, and as I ride I draw forth the
life blood from every enemy's son that
dares to dispute my right."

"It is my right that I should cry
loud my pride, for am I not the
flaming messenger of the Lord Al-
mighty?"

"Germany is so far above and beyond
all other nations that all the rest of
the earth, be they who they may, should
feel themselves well done by when they
are allowed to fight with the dogs for
the crumbs that fall from her table."

"When Germany's divine is happy,
the rest of the world banks in
smiles; but when Germany suffers, God
in person is rent with anguish, and
wonderful things are wrought in the
waters into rivers of blood."

CHINA ON VERGE OF A REVOLUTION

Arms Smuggled Into Three Pro-
vinces by Those Opposed to Es-
tablishment of a Monarchy.

MANILA, Oct. 22.—The Chinese prov-
inces of Kwangtung, Kwangsi and Ho-
nan are on the verge of a revolution
prepared by those who are opposed to
the establishment of a monarchy, ac-
cording to information received from
a private source which is believed to
be reliable.

It is stated that many arms recently
have been exported into Canton.

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GREECE REJECTS OFFERS OF ALLIES; BULGARIAN COAST SHELL BY FLEET; GERMANS PRESSING SERB ARMY BACK

SERBS DIE, WON'T YIELD

Engage Teutons Hand-
to-Hand in Desperate
Fights Till Overcome.

FIGHT WITH ANTIQUE ARMS

Flintlock Muskets and Long
Arab Rifles Among Weapons
Taken from Defenders.

DESERTED BY MACEDONIANS

German Correspondents Say In-
vaders Are Mostly First Line
Troops, Splendidly Equipped.

By WILHELM CONRAD GOMOLL.
SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.
[The Cologne Gazette Dispatches.]
HEADQUARTERS OF GENERAL
GALLWITZ'S ARMY ON THE SER-
BIAN FRONT, Oct. 19. (via Cologne
and London, Oct. 22.)—On the whole
front from Moldava Island to the fron-
tier town of Obrenovatz, which lies
southwest of Belgrade, there has been
the severest fighting. In spite of the
difficult mountain country an attack
made on a broad front resulted in se-
curing to us an important extension of
the territory which we were occupying
north of Belgrade. West of the Danube
and south of Bovevac about forty square
kilometers were occupied. The attack
was pressed to a point behind Golubac
and southeast of Semendria. The terri-
tory actually acquired was approximate-
ly 100 square kilometers, as in this re-
gion it was possible to force the enemy
from their positions along the Danube
west of Semendria.

"The Hungarian troops fought there
bravely against the stubbornly resist-
ing enemy, especially in the vicinity of
Hills 254 and 202. South of the mount-
ain village of Ripanj and about Grod-
ska, extremely severe fighting took place,
the Teuton allied troops ultimately suc-
ceeding in establishing connections and
closing their lines. In this section of
the front there was a gain of nearly 200
square kilometers.

"Through the clearing of the heights
on the Serbian shore of the Danube in-
creased security has been gained for our
reserves, as the enemy's artillery can no
longer threaten them. Kolars and Tala-
krena form supporting positions for the
right wing of the army of General Gall-
witz at Golubac. Those of the left wing
in the region of Luschitz and Bovevac
form the centre over which the army is
advancing toward Morovatze, the chief
line of traffic in Serbia. The mountain-
ous country of Gornjak, Kilsaura, and
the Zrna Gora still separate the allied
armies, but their eventual union at
Timok may be considered a certainty."

"The fighting abilities of the German
Army in the Balkans have been proved
magnificently. Against the stubborn re-
sistance of the Serbian troops they
fought their way inch by inch from one
position to another. The Serbians stood
their ground, rigidly obeying their or-
ders, which were obeyed to the letter. It
was only after the most desperate and
bloody fighting that they were finally
brought to submission only by the use of
bayonets and rifle butts.

While the Danube positions were de-
fended by third-line reserves the defens-
ive force in the latest battles consisted
entirely of splendidly equipped troops of
the first line. Even after the enemy
had been driven from his positions there
were constant severe rear-guard actions
and the extent of our success may be
judged by the fact that along the entire
front he was ultimately thrown out of
carefully prepared and strongly fortified
defenses.

The reserves now co-operating with
the army give one the impression of
active, and entirely fresh troops. I my-
self saw them at Bazina and Paladur
during the crossing of the Danube. It
may be asserted that all of the Prus-
sians, Thuringians, Württembergers,
Saxons, Bavarians, Hessians, and
especially men of the mark of Branden-
burg, have won the recognition of their
officers. A high staff officer of the
army of General Gallwitz said to me:

"You may call this army a triumph
of Germany, both as regards its men
and its equipment. Difficult obstructions
lie at every road crossing in Serbia, but
for these troops there is no difficulty
which cannot be overcome."

Among other interesting details I learn
that in the last battles the equipment of
the Serbian troops was exceedingly
varied. It is said that among the cap-
tured rifles were implements of all
kinds, including even old flintlock guns
and long Arabian rifles used in the
desert. Among the cannon taken, aside
from the French guns were chiefly guns
of English make.

"The Serbians destroy nothing more
than is necessary in their conduct of the
war and do not follow the example of
their Russian tutors, who devastate
occupied territory with fire and rapine.
The inhabitants of the country have al-
ready accepted the fate of their land.
In the conquered district of Posavina
the majority of the residents are follow-
ing the example of the Burgo-master,
who stuck to his post.

The Bulgarians operations are making
progress."

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George V., Appealing to Britons to Volunteer, Says More Men, and Yet More, Are Needed to Win

LONDON, Oct. 22.—King George has issued this appeal to his subjects to
come forward voluntarily and aid Great Britain in her fight against the Ger-
manic allies:

"To My People: At this grave moment in the struggle between my people
and a highly organized enemy who has transgressed the laws of nations and
changed the ordinance that binds civilized Europe together, I appeal to you.

"I rejoice in my empire's effort, and I feel pride in the voluntary response
from my subjects all over the world who have sacrificed home and fortune
and life itself in order that another may not inherit the free empire which
their ancestors and mine have built. I ask you to make good these sacrifices.
"The end is not in sight. More men, and yet more, are wanted to keep
my armies in the field, and through them to secure victory and an enduring
peace. In ancient days the darkest moment has ever produced in men of our
race the sternest resolve. I ask you, men of all classes, to come forward vol-
untarily and take your share in these fights.

"In freely responding to my appeal you will be giving your support to our
brothers who for long months have nobly upheld Great Britain's past traditions
and the glory of her arms."

ITALIANS LAUNCH TERRIFIC ATTACKS

Fifty-Hour Artillery Fire Paves
Way for Great Drive in
the Coastal Region.

ROME TELLS OF BIG GAINS

Official Vienna Report Says At-
tacks Were Repulsed with
Great Loss to the Italians.

ROME, Oct. 22.—An official state-
ment, issued tonight by the War Office,
says that "the offensive, successfully
begun in the Tyrol and Trentino, has
been extended all along the line to the
sea," and that "many Austrian posi-
tions have been taken." The statement
adds:

"On the Carso the enemy's lines have
been broken at several points and the
enemy's forces annihilated. Twenty-
five officers and 1,184 men have been
made prisoners."

VIENNA, Oct. 22.—The official bul-
letin of the War Office, issued tonight,
says of operations in the Italian theatre:

As expected, yesterday forenoon
after an artillery preparation of more
than fifty hours, the main forces of
the Italian Army began generally to
storm against our positions in the
coastal district, the third attack since
the war began.

Bitter fighting is proceeding at the
Kolar and Breda, and especially
at the edge of the Dobrovo Plateau.
An attack by Mobile Militia Regi-
ment 119 against the Kolar point of
support miscarried under heavy losses.
A second attack in this region after
an hour's preparation was repulsed with
our loss of 100 men. The field before our
position was covered with Italian corpses.
The Italian losses were also very
heavy here.

At Monte San Michele strong hostile
forces in the afternoon penetrated the
coast of our trenches, but were
everywhere repulsed by our counter-
attacks and our heavy artillery. The
enemy's position was taken, and he
again in our possession. After sev-
eral attacks the Italians succeeded in
penetrating our position, but a re-
taining sector, but none of them re-
turned.

On the southwestern plateau likewise
the scene of a sanguinary struggle.
There were repeated hand-to-hand
encounters and the losses were par-
ticularly heavy.

During the previous night the fight-
ing on the Plateau of Dobrovo con-
tinued with undiminished violence.
In the Carinthia, Hochweissenstein,
Monte Peralt, and the Flock regions
and the Subach Valley weaker at-
tacks were repulsed. There is contin-
ued violent artillery fighting on the
Tyrolean front.

On the Dolomites front new Italian
attacks broke down against our strong
positions.

SWEDISH SUBMARINE SHELLED IN HOME WATERS

Hvalen Flying Own Flag and
Weather Clear When Germans
Fired, Says Captain.

STOCKHOLM, Oct. 22.—The report of
the Commander of the Swedish sub-
marine Hvalen, which was attacked
yesterday in the North Sea, says:

"The Hvalen was fired on by a Ger-
man trawler in broad daylight at 7:30
o'clock in the morning. The weather
was clear, but the sea rather rough.
The shots were fired with the Hvalen
was still in Swedish territorial waters
and with the Swedish flag hoisted.

From six to nine shots were fired,
seriously wounding the man at the
wheel. The submarine returned to port
at full speed."

The Chief of the German Naval Staff
has informed the Swedish Naval At-
tache at Berlin that a searching inquiry
into the affair has been instituted.

A telegram from the Swedish Minis-
ter in London says that Sir Edward Grey
has assured him, in connection with the
sinking by a British submarine of the
German steamer Germania within Swedish
waters, that any violation of Swedish
territory by a British warship would be
a matter of the greatest regret to the
British Government. Sir Edward re-
quested the Swedish Government to
await further action in the case until
the British Government received a re-
port from the British officers concerned
in the Germania incident.

BOGSA ITALIAN SPARKING WINES.
The Wines for the Connoisseurs.—Advt.

RUSSIANS CAPTURE 15,000 IN 3 DAYS

DE PINNA
FIFTH AVENUE
AT THIRTY-SIXTH ST.

Finding New Things for Boys



Shopping holiday for boys — Saturday — makes the De Pinna establishment today's center of attraction to parents, and to the boys themselves.

Suits, coats and sweaters — haberdashery and shoes — outfits for day school and outfits for dancing school — every item of the wardrobe required by the boy of the period.

Academy Boys' School Suits

The same distinctions between these suits, patterned from foreign models, and the Norfolk knickerbocker suits usually encountered, as between men's suits made by leading Fifth Avenue tailors and the ordinary man's suit.

Imported materials and imported ideas, with the well-known tailoring of De Pinna.

Suits for boys from 9 to 15 in a varied assortment of correct styles and colors.

The new Russian and English styles for smaller boys, from 9 to 8, in wash fabrics and navy serge.

Overcoats admirably displaying the individuality of De Pinna styles, for the larger schoolboys — English slip-ons and new belted-back styles.

Also the new foreign-looking styles in overcoats for the smaller boys.

Suits for the Dancing School

Boys' afternoon and dancing-school suits—in the conventional black or blue unfinished worsted.

As punctilious in their correctness as a man's evening suit.

Also the French middie suits, as used abroad for dancing-schools and evening parties.

Boys' Haberdashery

A store that is unique in America—the De Pinna haberdashery shop for young men and boys.

Neckwear in which the finest grades of imported silks are utilized—colors and shapes selected exclusively for boys.

The correct underwear and imported hosiery; shirts of special materials; bath robes fashioned expressly for boys; imported sweaters and golf stockings.

The correct felt hats and cloth hats.

In every case, the special thing which usually is difficult to find.

"Annpied" Shoes for Every Purpose

A shoe department as complete as the haberdashery shop—"Annpied" shoes for school, for afternoon dress, and for the dancing school.

Recognized as the New York standard in boys' shoes. Just now the stocks are exceptionally complete—the boy may be promptly and correctly fitted in any style shoe.

"Annpied" damp-proof shoe, in tan or black, for all kinds of weather.

Special skating shoes and the proper shoes for all athletic sports, for the younger boys as well as their older brothers.

DE PINNA

Exclusive Outfitters for Young People
Fifth Ave. at Thirty-sixth St.

GOVERNMENT PUTS MORGAN IN COMBINE

Jury Hears That Late Financier Took Away New England's Key to New York.

NEW HAVEN GOT IT AT COST

Mellen Tells Court That Wash-bolers Brought About Purchase of Rival Road.

By means of the testimony of Charles S. Mellen, former President of the New Haven Railroad, and by records of the road's transactions, the Government yesterday unfolded in the Federal District Court, where the late financier is on trial for conspiracy to monopolize the traffic of New England, how the late J. P. Morgan and William Rockefeller, one of the defendants, helped the road to get its hold on New England traffic by buying control of the New York & New England Railroad.

With the Wilson's Point line gone, the New England tried to retrieve its position by "fiddling around" with the New York & Northern, the line which connected with the New York Central and is now its Putnam Division.

The New York Central bought control of this company, and then it seemed the Government would get its long desired entrance to New York by its connections with the New York Central, but here, according to the story as the Government unfolded it, it was shut out by the famous tripartite agreement.

This agreement, which was made between the New York Central, the New Haven and the owners of the Grand Central Terminal, and divided between the three the territory from which they might bring traffic into the Grand Central in such a way as to avoid the New York Central from routing into the terminal traffic from New York and New England points.

New York Central's Role. That everything was not proceeding as it ought to be, however, revealed to the New Haven by a letter written on Aug. 31 to Mr. Mellen as Second Vice President of the New Haven, by C. Peter Clark, General Freight Agent of the New Haven.

Mr. Clark, in the letter, informed Mellen of the alarming intelligence that the New England was quoting an eighteen cents a hundred pounds rate on wash bolers in carload lots from Brooklyn to New Haven by the Putnam route.

Mr. Lindabury, of counsel for the defense, testified that Judge Hunt let Mr. Swacker, of the Government counsel go on with his story, and after he had finished, allowed him to give further particulars of the taking over of the House of Representatives by the Morgan and Mr. Rockefeller.

Mr. Mellen stated that Mr. Clark, President of the New Haven, had informed him "that the New York and Northern was not to be used in any way as a through route to New York and New Haven," but that he "found tariffs in effect that were indicative of the New York Central's policy."

So he told Mr. Clark, with the result that the New Haven Directors ordered certain technical alterations in the freight arrangements with the New York Central which might bring it into negotiations with the New York Central.

Negotiations with the New York Central failed, and so in May, 1914, the New Haven Directors directed the purchase of the majority of the stock of the New York & New England for a sum not to exceed \$5,000,000.

"Mr. Mellen," asked Mr. Swacker, "did you have any steps to injure the New England?"

"I don't know whether I should call it injuring the New England or not," replied Mellen. "My business was to look after the New Haven and not the New England."

"Did you order traffic going to or coming from the New England to be prohibited?"

"I don't know. I presume likely if it would add to the revenue of the New Haven it would be duty to do so," was the reply.

Mr. Lindabury wanted to know if the negotiations with the New York Central concerning the New Haven's traffic rights had been covered by the fact that the New York Central had purchased the control of the New York & New England Railroad.

Mr. Lindabury brought out, however, that the New York Central had been on file with the Interstate Commerce Commission for twenty years, and Mr. Adams, who was the Chairman of the first Massachusetts Railroad Commission, testified that under the agreement the steamship lines gradually took the place of the New York Central's legal title under the participation of the defendants in the period of the Sherman law.

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50,000 ARE EXPECTED IN SUFFRAGE PARADE

Fifth Avenue to See Women's Biggest Plea for the Ballot This Afternoon.

GAY REGALIA ALL READY

Titian-Haired Beauty on a Milk-White Palfrey to Lead the Cavalry Brigade.

The suffragists expect to have their greatest parade today with from 45,000 to 60,000 in line. The women will march up Fifth Avenue from Washington Square to Fifty-ninth Street and it is expected that the leading organizations will disband before the last have fallen into line.

By numbers the women hope to impress upon the voters that they want to keep their eyes to the Women's Political Union, the marchers are instructed to keep their eyes to the Women's Political Union, the marchers are instructed to keep their eyes to the Women's Political Union.

The parade will start from Washington Square at 8 o'clock sharp, the different bands and a group of cavalry, will form at Houston Street and Second Avenue, and will proceed up Fifth Avenue to Twenty-second Street, which it will cross and join the main parade.

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MAYOR NOW SURE SUFFRAGE WILL WIN

Pledges Himself Anew at Carnegie Hall Meeting to Vote For Amendment.

MALONE OPTIMISTIC, TOO

Urges That Women Be Allowed to Vote to Uphold President's Great Work for Peace.

Mayor Mitchell, Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, Senator Borah of Idaho, Dudley Field Malone and other speakers at Carnegie Hall last night predicted victory for woman suffrage in New York and drew encouragement from the recent defeat in New Jersey. Hundreds of women, grouped under various colored banners, applauded Mayor Mitchell and Senator Malone as they came to the stage.

At that there was a storm of applause that did not end until the Mayor smilingly began to read the names of the women who had signed the petition for the amendment.

Dr. Anna Howard Shaw was the life of the party, and her sallies kept the crowd in good humor. She, like every other speaker, was optimistic, but she did not say as far as Dudley Field Malone, who foresaw the women going to the polls next year to vote for a President.

Dr. Shaw said that she came here by way of Castle Garden sixty-four years ago, but that she had the true spirit of the democracy in her heart. She said that she had seen the names of many of the men and women who sign anti-suffrage appeals.

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Pledges Himself Anew at Carnegie Hall Meeting to Vote For Amendment.

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Urges That Women Be Allowed to Vote to Uphold President's Great Work for Peace.

Mayor Mitchell, Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, Senator Borah of Idaho, Dudley Field Malone and other speakers at Carnegie Hall last night predicted victory for woman suffrage in New York and drew encouragement from the recent defeat in New Jersey. Hundreds of women, grouped under various colored banners, applauded Mayor Mitchell and Senator Malone as they came to the stage.

At that there was a storm of applause that did not end until the Mayor smilingly began to read the names of the women who had signed the petition for the amendment.

Dr. Anna Howard Shaw was the life of the party, and her sallies kept the crowd in good humor. She, like every other speaker, was optimistic, but she did not say as far as Dudley Field Malone, who foresaw the women going to the polls next year to vote for a President.

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By A. J. Dawson
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DANIELS READY FOR BIDS

Wilson Sounding Legislators on Army Increase—Navy to List Merchant and Private Craft.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—Secretary Daniels announced today that bids would be opened on Nov. 19 for the construction of two new dreadnoughts, and it also became known that the vessels would be provided with the greatest defense against torpedo attack yet introduced into any American battleship. Several new ideas will be appended in the construction of the hulls to enable the ships better to withstand submarine torpedo blows.

What these innovations are cannot be obtained from Secretary Daniels or higher officials of the Navy Department at this time beyond the fact that they are the result of the caisson experiments which were conducted in the lower Chesapeake Bay last summer. They consist of several thicknesses of hull, with a number of subdivisions and a provision for the placing of internal armor within the hulls of these vessels.

One lesson learned from the European war is the necessity for greater protection for huge warships against torpedo attacks. In the past this has been attempted among other ways, by torpedo nets. Nets have not been used in the United States Navy, but Secretary Daniels is planning to use them on some of the new battleships. However it is not with nets but with the construction of the hulls that the new battleships are intended to render the new battleships safe against torpedo attacks.

These vessels are now officially known as battleships 43 and 44. After the new dreadnoughts are built, they will be named. The policy of the Navy Department for many years has been to name battleships and armored cruisers after States. The board thinks the navy should have forty-eight battleships, and that the new dreadnoughts will be named after States not represented by a ship in the navy is New Mexico.

The new dreadnoughts for which contracts will be awarded on Nov. 19 were authorized by the act of March 4, 1915. The contracts have been awarded. The last summer but for the fact that preliminary plans for the vessels were delayed by the department's investigation of the two new ships some lessons of the war in Europe, and also to better safeguard the navy against the new type of attack, it is understood that the displacements of the new ships will be about 32,500 tons, and that they will be about 250 feet long, and about 98 feet beam. Their mean draught will be about 30 feet of water. They will carry 2,500 tons of fuel oil, amounting to about 2,200 tons for each vessel, and will have maximum stowage of 3,271 tons of fuel oil. The speed on trial is to be not less than 21 knots.

The new dreadnoughts will be virtually the same as that of the California, Idaho, and Mississippi. In addition to the new dreadnoughts will carry twelve four-inch guns, arranged in six turrets. There will be three big guns in each of the turrets. Each of the units will have four 16-inch guns, and the new dreadnoughts will consist of twenty-two five-inch rapid-fire guns, four three-pounder saluting guns, two one-pounders for boats, a three-inch field piece for landing parties, and two 30-calibre machine guns.

Wilson Continues Conference.

Formal announcement of army plans in the national defense program to be laid before Congress by the Administration this winter awaits word from President Wilson that he has concluded his conferences with Congressional leaders on the subject. While the President has approved the plan which calls for building up an army of more than 1,200,000 men in six years he has not yet had an opportunity to discuss it with all those members of the House and Senate whose views he wishes to obtain.

Senator Chamberlain, Chairman of the Senate Military Affairs Committee, now is en route to Washington from Oregon. It was learned tonight that although it had been determined to recommend establishment of several new harbor defenses on both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, the plan had not been completed. Army Ordnance experts say the 16-inch gun in no sense represents the biggest weapon that can be built. If ships are built that can withstand the blow of a 16-inch projectile, it merely is a question of building a bigger gun. For that reason the new coast-defense gun will be designed only as they are authorized, so as to include latest ideas.

Listing Merchant Ships.

Organization of the naval districts of the United States and the insular possessions to aid the Bureau of Naval Intelligence in gathering information that will be of use to the department in war or peace times is included in plans upon which officers of the Navy Department are at work. There are thirteen of the districts in addition to those at Honolulu, Manila, and Panama, each under the supervision of the commandant of a navy yard in that region.

The proposed to make this organization active in registering all American merchant vessels that might be of use in war times, including power boats and motor launches, to organize by these districts the various radio stations, public and private, and to maintain a list of "listen in" on any wireless communication.

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ATTACKS WILSON REGIME

Let Navy Run Down, He Says—Germany and Britain Criticized.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—The gravity of the situation at Panama on the day of the slides from the standpoint of national defense and military policy, was brought home to officials of the Navy Department today when they decided to send the cruiser Brooklyn to the Orient by way of the Suez Canal.

The vessel is to be used as the flagship of Admiral Albert G. Winterhalter, the new Commander in Chief of the Asiatic fleet. His present flagship is the first class cruiser Saratoga, formerly the New York.

By reason of long service on the Asiatic station the Saratoga is greatly in need of repairs and overhauling and must be brought back to the United States. When Admiral Winterhalter was picked the Brooklyn for his flagship, and this vessel was to be used as the flagship of the Asiatic fleet for a long tour of duty in the Orient. For several weeks the ship has been in the Suez Canal, and is to be sent direct to Shanghai, China.

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THE NEVADA LEAVES QUINCY.

New Dreadnought Coming Here to Begin Her Speed Trials.

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WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—The super-dreadnought Nevada, which is soon to be added to the Atlantic battleship fleet with her sister ship, the Oklahoma, both of which will be the biggest vessels in the fighting line, left the Fore River Ship Yard, near Quincy, Mass., this morning for the Brooklyn Navy Yard, where she is due tomorrow. The Nevada is to be docked preliminary to her builder's speed trials, which are to be begun next Monday.

Keen interest is being manifested in naval circles in these coming speed performances of the Nevada. One reason is that she is the largest battleship ever built, and the other is that she is brought to the trial stage for the American Navy. There has been considerable trouble experienced with Curtis turbines in the navy, and for this reason the experts of the department are eagerly awaiting the performance of the Nevada. The only other battleship thus far completed with Curtis turbines for the United States Navy is the North Dakota, which has occasioned the Navy Department much worry on account of her engines. The Navy Department will ask Congress to make an appropriation for an entire set of new engines for this ship.

The second reason for the interest in the trials of the Nevada grows out of the fact that the engineering experts of the navy are anxious to compare the performances by the Curtis turbines with those to be made by the reciprocating engines of the Oklahoma. The displacement of the Nevada is 27,000 tons. She is 383 feet long, has a beam of 95 feet 2 1/2 inches, and draws 28 feet 6 inches. The draught of the Nevada was so great that she was only able to leave Quincy this morning at high tide. The Nevada is 8.4 per cent. completed. Her sister ship, the Oklahoma, is 98.1 per cent. completed. The Pennsylvania, which is 88.2 per cent. completed and is being finished at the Newport News Ship Yard, will be ready to enter the fleet next spring. The Pennsylvania displaces 31,400 tons, and is more than 600 feet long.

Program for Home Nursing Course.

The subjects which will be covered in "The Home Nursing Course" at the Harlem Evening High School for Women, 114th Street, west of Seventh Avenue, are the nurse, the sick room, the patient, accidents and emergencies, first aid to the injured, special medical cases, new-born and sick children, physiology and diseases of anatomy and hygiene. There are still a few vacancies in the class.

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APPEALS FOR PORTO RICANS.

Mohonk Conference Would Grant Them Full American Citizenship.

MOHONK LAKE, N. Y., Oct. 22.—That there is room for improvement in the Government Indian service was pointed out in a platform adopted here tonight at the closing session of the Mohonk conference on the Indian and other dependent peoples. In answer to an appeal by Governor Yager of Porto Rico and several other officers of the Porto Rican administration, who delivered addresses here, the conference recommended the immediate grant of full American citizenship to the people of that island.

The platform recommended, further, that a careful study be made of methods to improve the standard of living of the masses of the people, and to relieve the increasing congestion of population, which speakers from Porto Rico said was threatening the lower classes with slow starvation.

McGraw Indictment Dismissed.

GRAFTON, W. V., Oct. 22.—The felony indictment against Colonel John T. McGraw, Democratic National Committeeman and Director of the Grafton Bank, recently closed, charging violation of the State Banking laws, was dismissed in the Taylor County Circuit Court here today. Colonel McGraw was accused of having borrowed \$5,000 more from the bank than the limit set by law to any one person.

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Tells American Iron and Steel Convention "Public-Be-Damned Policy" Is Out of Date.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 22.—A million-dollar advertising campaign, stimulating a demand for steel products, and opening new selling fields, was urged as a cure for business depression by George H. Jones of Chicago, before the American Iron and Steel Institute in session here today. He talked on "Underadvertising of the Steel Business."

His address and that of ex-Judge Elbert H. Gary, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the United States Steel Corporation and President of the Institute, who spoke on "Publicity in Business Methods," were well received by the steel manufacturers present.

Mr. Jones also urged co-operation among the various steel manufacturers, declaring that the day when competition was the life of trade had passed, and that it was now necessary for men in the same line of business to "get together."

"There is no industry that is so lacking in progressiveness as the steel industry," he said. "More money is spent in advertising toothpaste in this country than in advertising steel products. Steel men can save the way to make themselves less severe by stimulating a demand for steel products."

Competition Suicidal.

"The badge of sanity today is the ability to co-operate. Competition may have been the life of trade once, but it is no longer. Competition became suicidal when the inventive genius of America devised machines that would manufacture beyond present economic wants," declared Gary. "I do not agree with statements that this country might expect a prolonged continuance of the great prosperity now experienced. I believe, however, that American industries would recover more quickly from the depression than any other nation. He characterized the steel industry at present as very prosperous."

"The public and corporations have known too little of each other in the past," he said. "Publicity has never done as much harm as secrecy. The corporation with the disposition to publish whatever facts were proper to be known has, without many exceptions, been treated justly."

Judge Gary returned to his well-known expression "the public be damned," saying: "Whatever the truth may be in regard to the public, it is well advised to discuss expression, it is no doubt true that the sentiment which is conveyed in days gone by existed in the minds and actuated the conduct of a considerable number of the leading business men of this country and other countries during various periods of their history. Included in this class are those of intelligence and influence in all the various departments of industrial activity."

Publicity Could Prevent War.

Referring to the right of the public to know what its officials were doing and enforcing, Judge Gary said that proper publicity would have prevented the present situation in Europe.

"If the masses of the people of the different nations engaged in the terrible conflicts that are now waging in Europe," said he, "were fully informed of the policies and the actions of their governments, they would be much more likely to publish in their newspapers, that the daily cost of the war is \$50,000,000, or at the rate of \$80,000,000 per day, an annual interest burden, at 5 per cent, of \$1,500,000,000, and that the indirect loss of about \$2,000,000,000 more—and these very best, if they could see that 75 per cent. of the men in the armies who survive will never fully recover physically or morally, from the effects of their service and association; if they realized that their countries are drifting, nay, speeding, into bankruptcy and must necessarily hereafter and for many years be at a decided disadvantage in the race with other nations for progress and success; if they understood that on the present basis of pension payments in the United States the amount to be paid for this purpose in consequence of the war will approximate \$1,000,000,000 per year; if the leaders, the financiers, the few who plan and control and command and know in advance and in detail what has been and is being done, and is intended for the future, were to communicate all the facts to the public, when it could be done without prejudice to the daily conduct of the war; if all these startling facts and figures were of universal knowledge, would not the masses of the people, including the soldiers in the ranks, rise up in such vigorous protest against a continuance of the conflict as to compel the men in control to find some way of bringing it to a satisfactory termination and for the establishment of a basis which would prevent future, prolonged wars?"

"If, indeed, before the wars were started the masses of the people of the different countries had been informed that wars were to be started, and the

reasons or lack of reasons for starting them, would they have submitted to their precipitation?

Business Conditions Here.

Turning to business conditions in this country, the speaker said:

"The business men of this country, particularly those engaged in the iron and steel trade, have reason to be thankful for the present conditions, which are very prosperous. The furnaces and mills are generally operating to full capacity and prices received for many, if not most, of the commodities produced are larger than they have been during the last few years, and should result in profits."

"We are at peace with all the world, and it seems likely that the wise policy which has permitted this state of affairs will be continued. We sincerely hope and pray that the wars which are raging in Europe may soon be brought to a close and a basis reached for the prevention of prolonged wars in the future."

"Apparently we are to have a period of industrial peace in this country. Many of the industries which have hitherto been so hurtful and which have prevented naturally growing business will, therefore, have opportunity to progress in accordance with its desires."

No doubt the sudden and marked improvement in conditions during the last six months is due, in a large measure, directly or indirectly to the purchasing necessities growing out of the wars; but there are other reasons.

Our Wealth Increasing.

"The total wealth of the United States, according to the last published figures, is more than one-fourth of the aggregate of all the nations, and it is rapidly increasing. Many of us believe that we may become and remain the leading nation financially, commercially, and industrially, provided nothing unnecessary is done to our people to prevent. Personally I do not agree with the statements which have been made that, at the close of the war, we will expect in this country a prolonged continuance of the great prosperity now experienced. I do not believe we have the protection against the results of cheap labor and the impoverished conditions abroad, which with a good market there will be able to recover from the injurious effects of the wars much more rapidly than those of any other country, and that within a few years we shall be more successful than ever before."

The value of good crops is all understood and appreciated. Evidently the season's crops are, in most respects, excellent and with a good market there for the farming communities will be prosperous, and the country at large will be benefited.

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PREDICTS A TRADE INVASION.

C. W. Fairbanks Demands a Protective Tariff to Meet it.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 22.—Warning that the United States should prepare for "a commercial invasion" as well as for a military invasion was voiced by Charles Warren Fairbanks, former Vice President, in an address delivered at a political meeting here tonight.

"The present prosperity of certain industries based upon war orders is, in my opinion, temporary," he said. "In the period of the past Administration our own national life and the markets of the world are being so profoundly affected by the great conflict now raging abroad. We must meet that with a constructive, not a destructive, policy which consists of:

First, the restoration of the protective tariff; second, adequate preparation for national defense; third, the restoration of the American flag to its oceans; fourth, organization to market our wares in the world markets."

"We must establish ample banking facilities at strategic points in both hemispheres, as well as in Europe, and more through our own agencies and to extend credits. We must send young men to the different countries to learn the language of the people, to learn their wants, whims, and prejudices. If we are to win new trade we must do business as others desire rather than to try and force our own methods upon them."

After the war, Mr. Fairbanks said, only one rich neutral market in the world will remain open to us. "To our shores will roll a tide of commercial invasion which will be paralyzing unless we are prepared to resist commercial trade military invasion, the weapon of cheapness, wielded by our impoverished commercial rivals, will be irresistible."

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TOPOLAMPO, Mexico, Oct. 21. (By Wire.)—San Diego, Oct. 22.—A detachment of troops has been ambushed by Yaqui Indians between the plantation of the United Sugar Company at Los Mochis and San Blas, Sinaloa, according to reports received here today, and forty-four of the forty-six soldiers were killed.

The Indians then piled the bodies on a railroad bridge and, setting fire to the bodies, destroyed all. The detachment consisted of 150 Indians.

The Indians are now reported crossing the Puente River and moving toward one

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PRESIDENT WILSON ACTS

Troopers Kill Two More Mexicans While Trying to Escape Across the Rio Grande.

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Special to The New York Times.

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"On the battlefield they cannot vanquish us, but the enemy lies in wait for you. There, in the city where the mountains are dressed in white snow, you will find the enemy under another form. There reason will try to drag us down to the ignominy of the times of the tyrant Diaz. But go we will. We will be triumphant. When the American people are aware of the corruption, because you are incorruptible."

We are going to the north of the republic to annihilate completely the reaction. Should there arise another traitor, we will always be with you."

Directs Sale of Rock Island.

Judge Mayer in the Federal District Court yesterday confirmed the report of Bronson Winthrop, Special Master in the foreclosure suit brought by the central Trust Company against the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad Company. He directed the Special Master to retain on deposit to his credit \$8,988 out of the proceeds of the sale of the property for the purposes specified in the decree.

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A. J. Forgas, Secretary of the association, said that he did not know whether the tenants were gambling or not when they played dominoes. If they were, he declared that it would be more satisfactory to arrest such as were suspected instead of having the police continually walking in and out and disturbing well-meaning Celestials. Mr. Dunham observed that there seemed to be a feeling in certain quarters, although not in Broome Street, that the Chinese were more or less privileged in the matter of games of chance and gambling. He asked the association for specific cases of alleged police oppression.

Mine Unionists Accuse a Leader.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Oct. 22.—William Stinson, District Board member, was found guilty today of accepting a bribe for signing the permissible powder contract with the operators, who the special convention of District No. 11, United Mine Workers of America, voted last to retain on deposit to his credit \$8,988 out of the proceeds of the sale of the property for the purposes specified in the decree.

TAX DRIVES MINING OFFICES FROM LONDON

Several Companies Remove to New York, Which May Become World's Mining Capital.

LONDON, Oct. 22.—The new outlet, which provides for a superflux of 50 per cent. on the profits of all British companies, has already caused the removal to the United States of the headquarters of several companies representing South and Central American gold mines. Mining men here assert that unless the tax is reduced this movement will become so great that New York, instead of London, will become the mining capital of the world.

Mine production is just beginning and is particularly hard hit. Unlike tea and rubber companies, mining companies have not been enabled by the new ruling by subtracting from the income for the current year the average income for any two of the last preceding three years. Mining companies just coming into the field have no such opportunity, and will be compelled to pay 50 per cent. of their total profits for the year.

The tendency to remove headquarters to the United States is becoming so pronounced that mining interests here are bringing pressure to bear on the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Reginald McKenna, to have the superflux modified in favor of gold mines.

Grand Jury Fails to Find Indictments for Conspiracy.

EL PASO, Oct. 22.—No indictments were returned by the Federal Grand Jury against Frank and Ike Alderete, General Marcelo Caraveo and José Zazaya for the alleged conspiracy of General Huerta.

The Grand Jury was dismissed today and the Alderetes and the defendants were released of their bond obligations.

General Huerta, who was arrested at the border for conspiring with the men named in the above dispatch and General Pascual Orozco, is still a prisoner of the United States at Fort Bliss. Orozco escaped from his guards in El Paso, fled to Mexico and forfeited his bond. Latest reports state that conditions are quiet at Los Mochis.

FELIX DIAZ WITH ZAPATA?

El Paso Hears Former Is Leading March on Mexico City.

EL PASO, Oct. 22.—A message, said here to have been received in Juarez today, is quoted as stating that Felix Diaz had joined the Zapata forces and was now at the head of 40,000 men with whom he is menacing Mexico City.

Receipt of the message was reported from two different sources.

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HOSPITAL MENAGED BY BARREN ISLAND

Health Department Gathering Evidence of the Offensive Fumes.

NEPONSET, L. I., COMPLAINS

Dr. Emerson Says Modern Equipment, Though Expensive, Would Do Away with the Odors.

Definite steps to put an end to the nuisance caused in the vicinity of Barren Island by the disposal plant there are being considered by the Health Department. Dr. Haven G. Emerson, Sanitary Superintendent, said yesterday that the Department probably would bring a suit against the contractors, charging them with maintaining a public nuisance.

"It would be premature to go into details regarding the Department's plans in this matter at the present time," Dr. Emerson said, "but it can be said that this and the problem of the fumes which come across to Riverside Drive from the Jersey shore are two of the most important problems with which the Department is dealing."

The fumes from Barren Island have long been complained of by residents of Neponset, L. I., which is just across from the island, but in the past year, since the removal of the old Sea Beach Hospital, they have become a matter of grave concern to the medical authorities. Persons who have had to inhale the fumes say they are not only highly objectionable, but actually a menace to health, and the Health Department officials say that they are by no means a necessary feature of the work done on Barren Island and could be easily done away with by the expenditure of the amount of money needed to make the disposal equipment modern.

"I took a house in Neponset during the summer of 1914, but I certainly would not go back this season," said D. A. Frank, a lawyer with offices at 15 West Street, yesterday. "Why the smells were so bad when the wind was blowing across Barren Island toward Neponset, where it is known as the Neponset Beach, where it has become a matter of grave concern to the medical authorities, persons who have had to inhale the fumes say they are not only highly objectionable, but actually a menace to health, and the Health Department officials say that they are by no means a necessary feature of the work done on Barren Island and could be easily done away with by the expenditure of the amount of money needed to make the disposal equipment modern."

"One evening when my wife and I returned late from a theatre party in Manhattan the wind was blowing directly from Barren Island. Mrs. Frank was actually overcome by the noxious fumes and had to be assisted home. There was one woman living near us for a while who was so seriously affected by the fumes that she had to have medical treatment to get over the effects. The Neponset Beach Hospital was being built there at that time. There is no wonder in the hospital find life an ordeal with those fumes to contend with; they are as much as the average man in perfect health can stand.
 Needless to say, the foul odors from Barren Island have a very depressing

effect on real estate values in the community. Much of the land there no doubt would be readily salable at twice its present price if it were not for the smells. Agents complained often of losing sales because the wind veered around; and if I had bought a \$10,000 place there instead of merely renting I would find that I was 'stinking' a man by selling it to him for \$5,000."

The contractors at Barren Island are the New York Sanitary Disposal Corporation, Dr. Emerson said.
 It would all be a very simple matter if the city would take charge of this disposal work," Dr. Emerson said. "Then the city could construct a modern incinerating plant such as the plants used in Europe, which are absolutely odorless."

The great difficulty has always lain in the fact that this Barren Island work has been let out as short-time contracts, and the contractors complain that to install the new equipment needed to stop the fumes would be too expensive for such short contracts. I believe the contracts have generally been for three years. They should be for at least five years in order to justify the contractor in the outlay of funds for the needed improvements."

The contractors have spent considerable money on the plants on Barren Island and have continually promised to have the conditions remedied by certain dates, but have always failed in this. We started to bring suit against them last December, but it was finally agreed to postpone any prosecution until they had installed certain equipment they were then ready to put in. The last of the new equipment was installed on Sept. 20 last, but the fumes were still there.

We sent inspectors to Neponset and the hospital on Sept. 22, and have been sending inspectors there ever since to collect all of the evidence in the case that we can."

FINLAND ON OLD ROUTE.

Mr. and Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt Among Those Sailing Tomorrow.

The Finland, which sails at noon tomorrow for London by way of Falmouth, will be the first vessel of the American Line to leave New York for that port and the first to carry three classes of passengers to London since the Monarch Line went out of business twenty-seven years ago. The steamer Manchu, Mongolia, Korea, and Siberia, recently purchased from the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, will also be placed on this service when they arrive from San Francisco by way of the Straits of Magellan.

Among the sixty first-class passengers booked on the Finland are Mr. and Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Alexander Kirk, Assistant Secretary to the United States Embassy in Berlin; Don Luis Enrique Bonilla, Minister from Colombia to Great Britain; Mr. and Mrs. W. Reed Williams, C. F. Valentine, and Mrs. Vernon Hull. The Finland has no second-cabin and 150 steerage passengers.

Captain H. Candy, former chief officer of the Philadelphia, will command the Finland, in place of Captain R. Praeger, who was born in Schleswig-Holstein, and might be objected to by the British Admiralty officials at Falmouth.

Holiday on German Liners Here.
 The German liners in Hoboken were all decorated yesterday with flags to celebrate the five hundredth anniversary of the Hohenzollern reign in Brandenburg. The bands played the national hymn of the Hamburg-American liner Vaterland and the North German Lloyd liner George Washington, and the officers received their friends during the afternoon.

DISLIKE OF FASSLER IS NO FLAW IN WILL

Appellate Division Holds Mrs. Oakley Must Abide by Father's Wishes.

FEARED SHE WOULD WED

Egbert B. Seaman Provided That in Certain Contingencies Daughter Should Receive Income Only.

The Appellate Division yesterday affirmed the ruling of Surrogate Coburn in admitting to probate the will of Egbert B. Seaman, who was a Director in the Mason-Seaman Transportation Company when he died, and who left his entire estate in trust for the life benefit of his widow, Mrs. Maria F. Seaman.

Upon the death of Mrs. Seaman the estate was to be divided into three equal shares. One share each was to be paid to the son, Egbert B. Seaman, Jr., and another share to the daughter, Mrs. Carrie L. Midlitz.

"I give, devise, and bequeath unto my daughter, Carrie L. Midlitz, widow of John B. M. Oakley, provided, however, that at the time of my death my said daughter shall be married to some person other than one Leo Fassler, who now resides in New York and is there engaged in the practice of law, or provided that at the time of my death the said Leo Fassler is dead."

The case went to the Appellate Court after Mrs. Oakley had objected to the validity of the will, and the Surrogate had ruled against her.

The will also contained provisions for various contingencies. If Mrs. Oakley

was unmarried and Mr. Fassler living, or Mrs. Oakley married to Mr. Fassler, the trustees must pay her only the income from her third share during her life. If she married Mr. Fassler and predeceased him, her share was to be given to her brother and sister. Mrs. Oakley, however, married Mr. Fassler, and he predeceased her, the third was to be given to her outright.

FILE THOMAS HUNTER'S WILL.
 Educator Divided \$33,000 Equally Among His Three Daughters.

The will of Thomas Hunter, the educator for whom Hunter's College was named, was filed for probate yesterday. It leaves \$20,000 in realty and about \$3,000 in personal property in equal shares to his three daughters, the Misses Anna, Jenny, and Margaret Hunter of 2,078 Fifth Avenue, Brooklyn. Loving cups presented to Mr. Hunter by the classes of Grammar School 35 and the Normal School of New York City are to be kept under the provision of the will. The proceeds of the sale of a narrative history of the city of New York are to be divided equally among the daughters.

Epidemic Stops Milk Supply.
 Special to The New York Times.
 HACKENSACK, N. J., Oct. 22.—More than 400 families in Hackensack, Englewood, Bogota, Leonia, and Maywood had to do without milk this morning, for State Inspector D. C. Bowen of Trenton ordered the Hackensack Board of Health to forbid a dairy company of Hackensack to distribute its usual 3,000 quarts of milk. He asserted that an epidemic of scarlet fever in these places was traceable to the milk supply of a creamery company in West Town, Orange County, N. J. In fairness to the dairy company it was announced that pasteurized milk would be delivered to all customers tomorrow.

To Welcome First Voters.
 A citizens reception in honor of first voters will be given this afternoon at the City of New York. The reception will be held at the College of the City of New York, 137th Street and Amsterdam Avenue, next Friday evening by the Citizens' Registration Committee. Lorne W. Barclay, Executive Secretary, 70 Fifth Avenue, will supply cards of admission.

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Numeral Composition Poker Chips, 89c the 100		Ring My Nose, 69c	
Plain Paranoid Poker Chips, 98c the 100		Hoosier Snow, 59c	
Unbreakable Paper Poker Chips, 49c the 100		Fish Ponds, 19c and 39c	
Poker Sets complete, \$1.66 to \$24.75		Battledore and Shuttlecock, \$1.19 and \$1.24	
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Other Services.
WHAT POWER WILL GAIN CONSTANTINOPLE? WHAT DOES BIBLE PROPHECY INDICATE?

Congregational.
IN THE CHURCH OF THE PILGRIMS,
Henry and Remsen Streets.
Rev. Noble Strong Elderkin of Lawrence,
Kansas, will preach at 11 o'clock.
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praying the condemnation and forfeiture of the property related to the use of the United States Government of Food and Drug Act of June 30, 1906, of the United States.

Pursuant to the motion of said Court therein, I hereby notify all persons claiming said goods, wares, and merchandise or future interest therein, to appear in Court in the General Post Office Building, on November 1, 1915, at 10:30 o'clock A.M., (provided the same shall be a day of jurisdiction of the Court) on pain of forfeiture thereof, at which time and place the proceedings will be returnable, and the trial had, and to interpose their claims and allegations, or they will be defaulted and said property condemned.

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STOCK EXCHANGE

Value of English Pound Drops to \$4.64 1/2, About 4 Cents Under Monday's High Level.

DUE TO EXCESS OF EXPORTS

Institutions Meeting Foreign Bills Bought at Lower Rates and Are Lending Money in London.

Notwithstanding the influence of the Anglo-French loan and the expectations of additional credits for England and France amounting to many millions, foreign exchange rates broke rather sharply yesterday. Demand sterling sold at low levels, 4 1/2 cents for the pound, the 2 1/2 cents to the pound, from the highest level of Thursday. At this figure still bills were quoted more than 4 cents to the pound under Monday's best price. The rate hardened slightly toward the close of business, but the final quotation stood no higher than a quarter cent above the lowest.

France closed at 5 1/2 cents, when the market closed was 2 cents lower than Thursday night, and Italian lire at 6.42 showed a recession of three-hundredths to the dollar. Reichsmarks were unchanged, and Swiss exchange displayed a slight improvement.

The decline, according to exchange brokers, represented nothing more than an acceleration of the retreating movement in evidence for ten days. The need for remittances abroad in light, and while the supply of exchange bills made from day to day is not large, it is great enough to cause prices to lose ground. One reason offered for the retreating movement for exchange is that institutions with payments to make in Europe in November and December anticipated their wants earlier in the fall, when rates were low. The funds provided for in exchange bought then were lent in London, where a 3 per cent. call money rate has offered an advantage of lenders, inasmuch as the New York rate has been 2 per cent., or more. The motive for the loss was not providing for a return to the lenders before their own requirements had to be filled.

At the same time that buying of exchange has been on a small scale for the purpose of sending funds across the sea, Europe's purchases have been on a large scale. The one-sided state of the exchange market, gold to the amount of about \$500,000,000, and the fact that the market is not extensive enough to have a material effect on the exchange market, is expected that \$2,000,000,000 will come in from Ottawa in a single shipment. The gold is being sent to the United States this week because of the postponed state of the Assay Office. The gold is being sent to the United States this week because of the postponed state of the Assay Office. The gold is being sent to the United States this week because of the postponed state of the Assay Office.

SHORT TERM NOTES.

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Am. Gov. 4 1/2	100	1916	100 1/2	100 3/4	4.50
Am. Gov. 4 1/2	100	1917	100 1/2	100 3/4	4.50
Am. Gov. 4 1/2	100	1918	100 1/2	100 3/4	4.50
Am. Gov. 4 1/2	100	1919	100 1/2	100 3/4	4.50
Am. Gov. 4 1/2	100	1920	100 1/2	100 3/4	4.50
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RAILROAD EARNINGS.

The railroads reporting so far for the second week of October show these aggregate changes in gross earnings, those showing a decline, and those showing a gain being stated separately:

Line.	1915.	1914.	% Chg.
Atlantic Coast	\$1,232,886	\$1,523,975	-18.4
Five roads	744,004	832,212	-10.6
Other roads	1,288,871	1,472,763	-12.8
BANGOR & AROOSTOOK for year ended June 30	1915.	1914.	% Chg.
Total	\$3,747,282	\$4,412,412	-15.1
Exp.	2,515,778	2,517,312	0.0
Net	1,231,504	1,895,100	-35.1
Other income	108,315	141,459	-23.4
Total income	1,339,819	2,036,559	-34.2
Dividends	169,251	131,947	28.3
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COFFEE.

The coffee market developed a reactionary tendency yesterday, and prices lost 7 to 12 points, with sales of 35,000 bags. The local market was steady, closing unchanged to 1/4 cent lower. The decline was due to a heavy stock of coffee in the United States, and to the fact that the market was not active.

OATS.

Prices in the oats market were very steady yesterday, with a slight decline in the local market. The decline was due to a heavy stock of oats in the United States, and to the fact that the market was not active. The local market was steady, closing unchanged to 1/4 cent lower. The decline was due to a heavy stock of oats in the United States, and to the fact that the market was not active.

BUTTER AND EGG MARKET.

BUTTER—Receipts yesterday, 8,800 packages, a little more speculative buying of higher grade creamery, and the market in firm. The local market was steady, closing unchanged to 1/4 cent lower. The decline was due to a heavy stock of butter in the United States, and to the fact that the market was not active.

THE NEW YORK TIMES, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1915.

CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE.

The market on the Consolidated Exchange generally displayed strength, but there was a degree of irregularity noticeable in the closing. There were several upward movements in a number of "war stocks," particularly Baldwin Locomotive, in which a considerable degree of activity was maintained. United States Steel was firm, but the movement in the specialties were the showing feature of the market.

NEW INCORPORATIONS.

Special to The New York Times. ALBANY, Oct. 22.—Thirty corporations, with aggregate capital of \$6,286,000, were chartered today. They include: 1. Albany Chemical Co., capital \$1,000,000, for the manufacture of nitrogenous compounds, potassium compounds, ammoniacal phosphate, electric steam or other power, and to acquire and operate a power plant. 2. Albany Chemical Co., capital \$1,000,000, for the manufacture of nitrogenous compounds, potassium compounds, ammoniacal phosphate, electric steam or other power, and to acquire and operate a power plant.

AMERICAN MALTING COMPANY for the

Line.	1915.	1914.	% Chg.
Gross	\$3,843,318	\$3,918,328	-1.9
Exp.	2,515,778	2,517,312	0.0
Net	1,327,540	1,401,016	-5.3
Other income	108,315	141,459	-23.4
Total income	1,435,855	1,542,475	-7.5
Dividends	169,251	131,947	28.3
Surplus	1,266,604	1,410,528	-10.2
Deficit	223,492	92,780	242.7

DAYTON POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY for the

Line.	1915.	1914.	% Chg.
Gross	\$87,371	\$91,971	-5.0
Exp.	2,515,778	2,517,312	0.0
Net	1,327,540	1,401,016	-5.3
Other income	108,315	141,459	-23.4
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GENERAL CHEMICAL COMPANY for the

1,300	Comstock	..11	..11
500	Goldfield Con.	1.32%	1.32%
500	G'd'fd Florence	.44	.44
500	G'd'fd Merger	.20	.20
300	Hale & Norc's	.08	.08
300	Jumbo Ext.	1.35	1.35
1,800	Kewanaw	..34	..36
1,000	Mexican	..40	..40
500	North Star	..14	..14
500	Tonopah Ext.	2.45	2.80
300	Un. Consol.	..80	..90
12,500			

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BANKRUPTCY SALES

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1ST DISTRICT COURT
United States District Court, Southern District of New York—in Bankruptcy.—In the matter of the Estate of **SHANGHAI SHIPBUILDING CO.**, Debtor. Notice is hereby given that the **1ST DISTRICT COURT** of the Southern District of New York, in Bankruptcy, will hold a public auction, consisting of men's suits, overcoats, piece goods, office fixtures, m.b., e. & c., on **Friday, the 6th day of November, 1936, at 10:30 A. M.**, at 225 Bleecker Street, New York City, in the premises of the bankrupt, consisting of men's suits, overcoats, piece goods, office fixtures, m.b., e. & c.

ROSENBERG, LEVINS & BALL, Attorneys for Trustees, 16 Broadway, New York.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.
SUPREME COURT, NEW YORK, COUNTY OF NEW YORK.
In the matter of the General Assignments for the benefit of the Creditors of **GER & KEST, INC.** Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, **ASSIGNEE**, will hold a public auction, through Charles Shengou Auctioneer, on **Friday, the 6th day of November, 1936, at 10:30 A. M.**, at 400 Broadway at Manhattan, City of New York, in the premises of the bankrupt, consisting of ladies' coats and suits, overcoats, dresses, fixtures, etc.

MAURICE L. SHAWNE, Assignee.
MAURICE L. SHAWNE, Attorney for Assignee, 850 Broadway, New York.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES

U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK—CHARLES KATZ, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that Charles K. Katz, bankrupt, has filed his petition, dated October 31st, 1916, praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before the United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, November 2nd, 1916, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause why he should not be granted a discharge.

If any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and attended the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

22 EMB B. OLNEY,
Referee in Bankruptcy
New York, October 23d, 1915.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
Southern District of New York.—No. 225
—MORRIS L. EDMAN, Alleged Bankrupt.
Take notice that on October 19, 1915,
the following proceedings were referred to me
for consideration:

Referee to pass upon a proposed order
composition prior to adjudication.

A special meeting of creditors will be held
at my office, No. 67 Wall Street, New York
City, on November 10, 1915, at 11 o'clock
a.m.

time creditors may attend, act upon the time posed offer of composition, prove the claim, examine the alleged bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

WILLIAM AILEN,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
New York, October 22, 1915.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
Southern District of New York—No. 219
In Bankruptcy—CHARLES S. RAIZEN
vs. EMIL RAIZEN, individually and trading
copartners under the name of RAIZEN
BROS., Bankrupts.

The above named bankrupts were duly
adjudged bankrupt on September 4, 1915.

first meeting of creditors will be held at the
office, 67 Wall Street, City of New York,
November 3, 1915, at 2:30 P. M. Creditors
may prove and appoint a Trustee to
administer the bankrupt's estate, and
business as may come before said meeting
at such time and place.
WILLIAM ALLEN,
Referee in Bankruptcy
New York, October 21, 1915.

233 Broadway, City of New York, on 1
member 3rd, 1914, at 1 P. M. Creditors may
attend, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee
to examine the bankrupt and transact a business
of other business as may properly come before
said meeting. An offer of composition
also be made by the bankrupt.

MAGORIAN COKE,
Referee in Bankruptcy

Oct. 22, 1915.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
Southern District of New York - In Bankruptcy
No. 22,334.-EDWARD J. HEASLEY
vs. also known as Edward J. Heasley
Bankrupt.
Edward J. Heasley, Sr., also known as

ward J. Beasley, was duly adjudicated bankrupt on October 19, 1915. The first meeting of creditors will be held at Cedar Street, City of New York, on November 4, 1915, at 2:30 P. M. Creditors may prove claims, appoint a Trustee, examine the bankrupt and his books and business records as may come before said meeting.

JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT,
Dist. N. Y.—No. 22,327.—In Bankruptcy.
HARRY FANAU, Debtor.
Creditors of said Harry Fana, are hereby given notice that on October 18th, 1915, was duly adjudicated bankrupt. The

meeting of creditors will be held at my chambers, No. 83 William Street, New York City, on November 4th, 1915, at 10 A. M. Creditors are requested to appear, to verify and, if necessary, to prove claims, appoint a Trustee, examine the books and records of the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

ATTEST:
J. NEVILL
Referee in Bankruptcy

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT,
Dist. of N. Y.—No. 22,337.—In-Bankruptcy.
—CHARLES A. SOTELDO, Bankrupt.
Creditors of said Charles A. Soteldo are hereby given notice that on October 21st, 1915, he was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at my chambers, No. 83 Beaver Street, New York City, on November 4th, 1915, at 10 A. M.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT,
District N. Y.—No. 22,731.—In Bankruptcy
—VANOSCOPE COMPANY, Bankrupt.
Creditors of said Vanoscope Company
hereby give notice that on October 8th, 1916,
it was duly adjudicated bankrupt under
Chapter XI of the Federal Bankruptcy
Act of 1906, and that the next general
meeting of creditors will be held at my
office, No. 2 Rector Street, N. Y. City, Novem-
ber 4th, 1916, at 12:45 P. M. Creditors

SEAMAN MILLER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT,
District of N. Y., No. 2, 808 N. 1st St.,
JAMES McBRIDE, Co. Inc., Bankrupt.
Creditors of said James McBride Co., Inc.,
are hereby given notice that on October 3,
1915, it was duly adjudicated bankrupt.
First meeting of creditors will be held at
No. 2, 808 N. 1st St., New York City, on
Friday, November 4th, 1915, at 12:30 P. M. Creditors
may prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine
the bankrupt, and transact such other busi-

SEAMAN MILLER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT,
DISTRICT N. Y., No. 22,283, in Bank-
ruptcy.—WILLIAM R. D'ASCOLLI, Bank-
rupt, vs. SEAMAN MILLER, Referee in Bank-
ruptcy. Notice is hereby given that on October 11,
1915, he was duly adjudicated bankrupt.
The first meeting of creditors will be held at
office, No. 2 Rector Street, N. Y. City, on
Monday 4th, 1915, at 2 P. M. Creditors to
prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine
bankrupt, and transact such other business
as may come before the meeting.

SEAMAN MILLER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT,
District N. Y., No. 22,005.—In Bankruptcy.
—HENRY F. FLOEGER, Bankrupt.

Creditors of said Henry F. Floeger hereby given notice that on September 3, 1915, he was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office, No. 2 Rector Street, N. Y. City, on September 4th, 1915, at 11:15 A. M. Creditors may prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and file objections to his discharge as may come before the meeting.

SEAMAN MILLER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
Southern District of New York—In Bankruptcy
—NATHAN KRAVITZ, Bankrupt.
Creditors of said Nathan Kravitz are hereby
given notice that on October 6th, 1915, the
was duly adjudicated bankrupt. The first
meetings of creditors will be held at my
office, No. 3 Rector Street, N. Y. City,
November 4th, 1915, at 11:45 A. M. Creditors
may prove claims, appoint a trustee, exam-
ine the bankrupt, and transact such other
business as may come before the court.
SEAMAN MILLER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

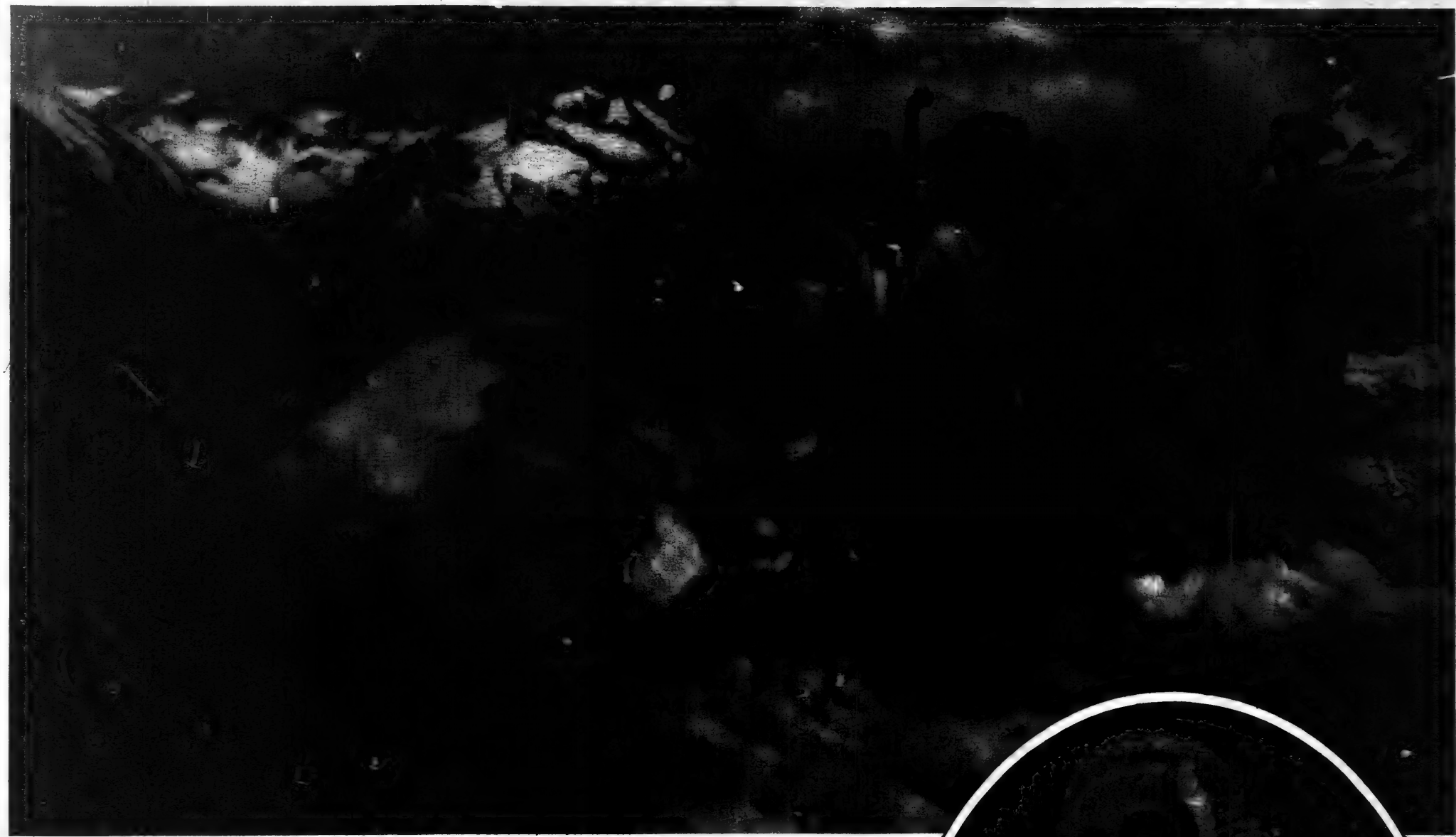
LEONARDO DITANO was duly adjudged bankrupt on September 10, 1935. The first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, 45 Cedar Street, City of New York, on Wednesday, September 11, 1935, at 10 o'clock. Creditors may prove claims, appoint a Trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may come before said meeting.

JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT,
District of N. Y., No. 2375.—In Bankruptcy.
—ARON SCHLITTEN, Bankrupt.
Creditors of said Aron Schlitten are hereby

given notice that on October 7th, 1915, was duly adjudicated bankrupt. The meeting of creditors will be held at my office, No. 2 Rector Street, N. Y. City, November 4th, 1915, at 11:30 A. M. Creditors to prove claims, appoint a Trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

SEAMAN MILLER,
Referee in Bankruptcy

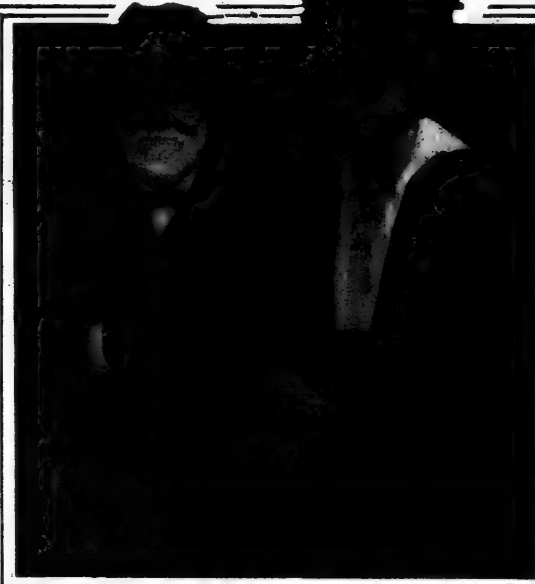


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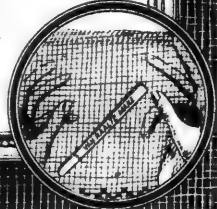
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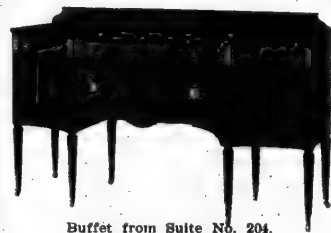
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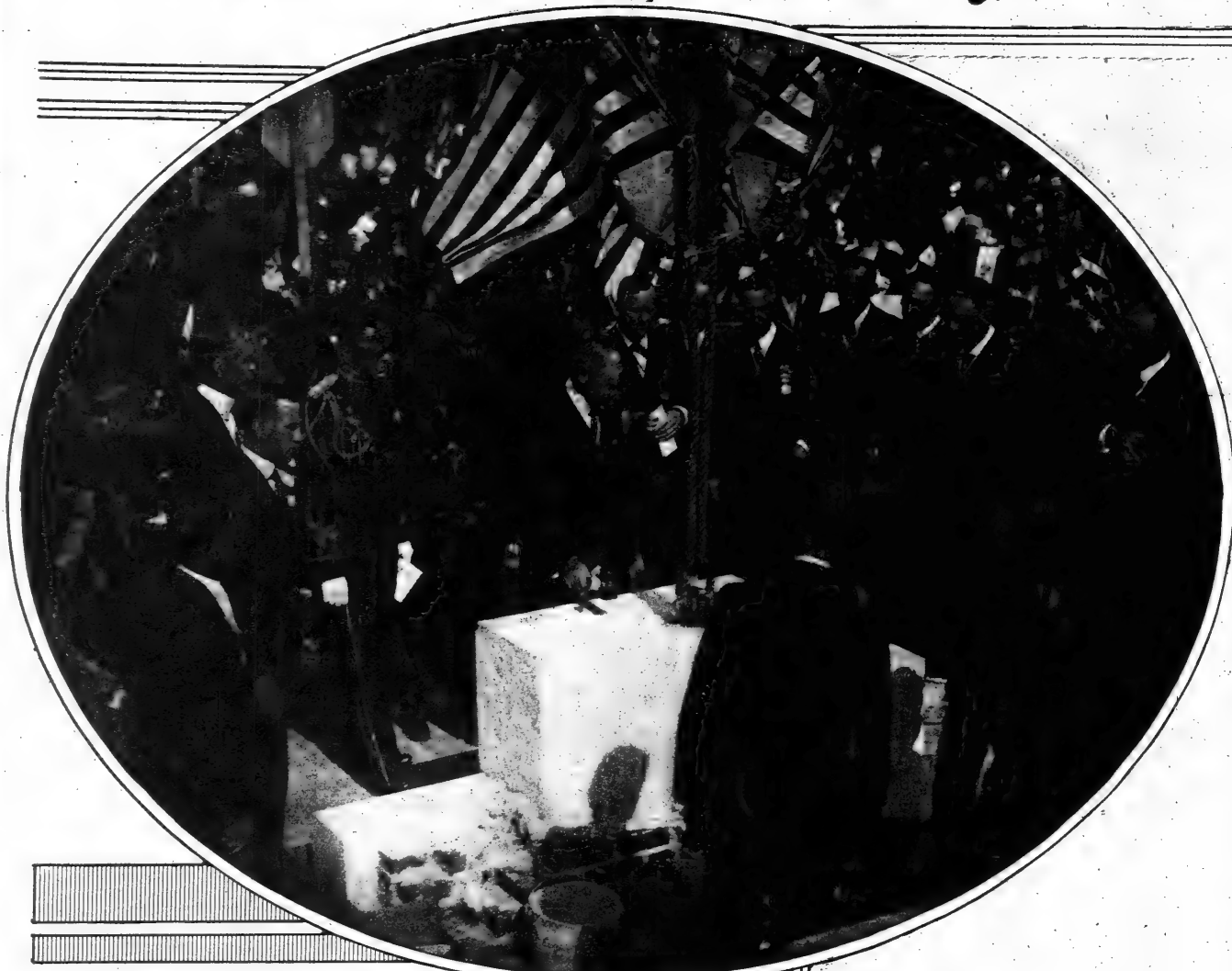
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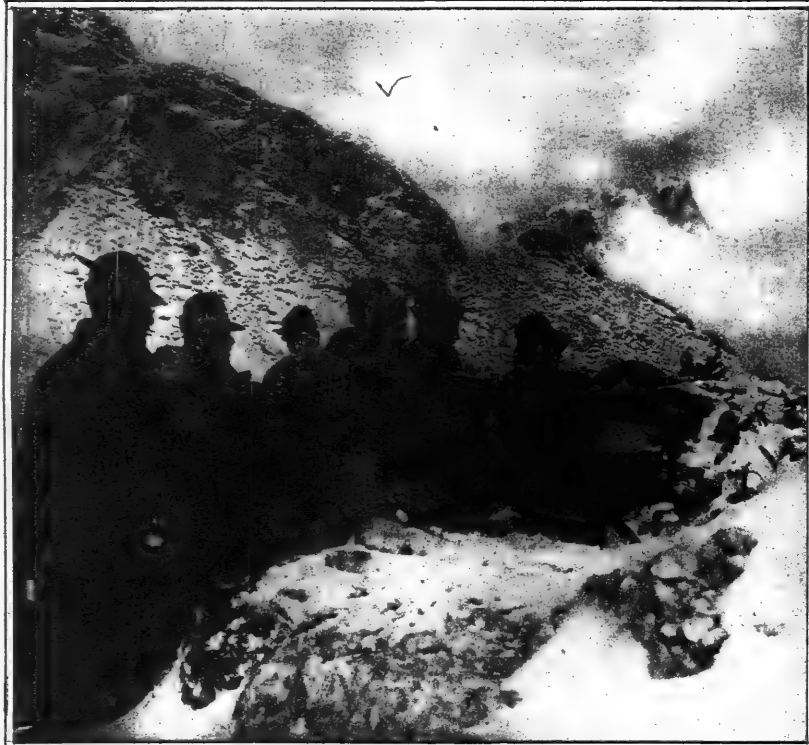
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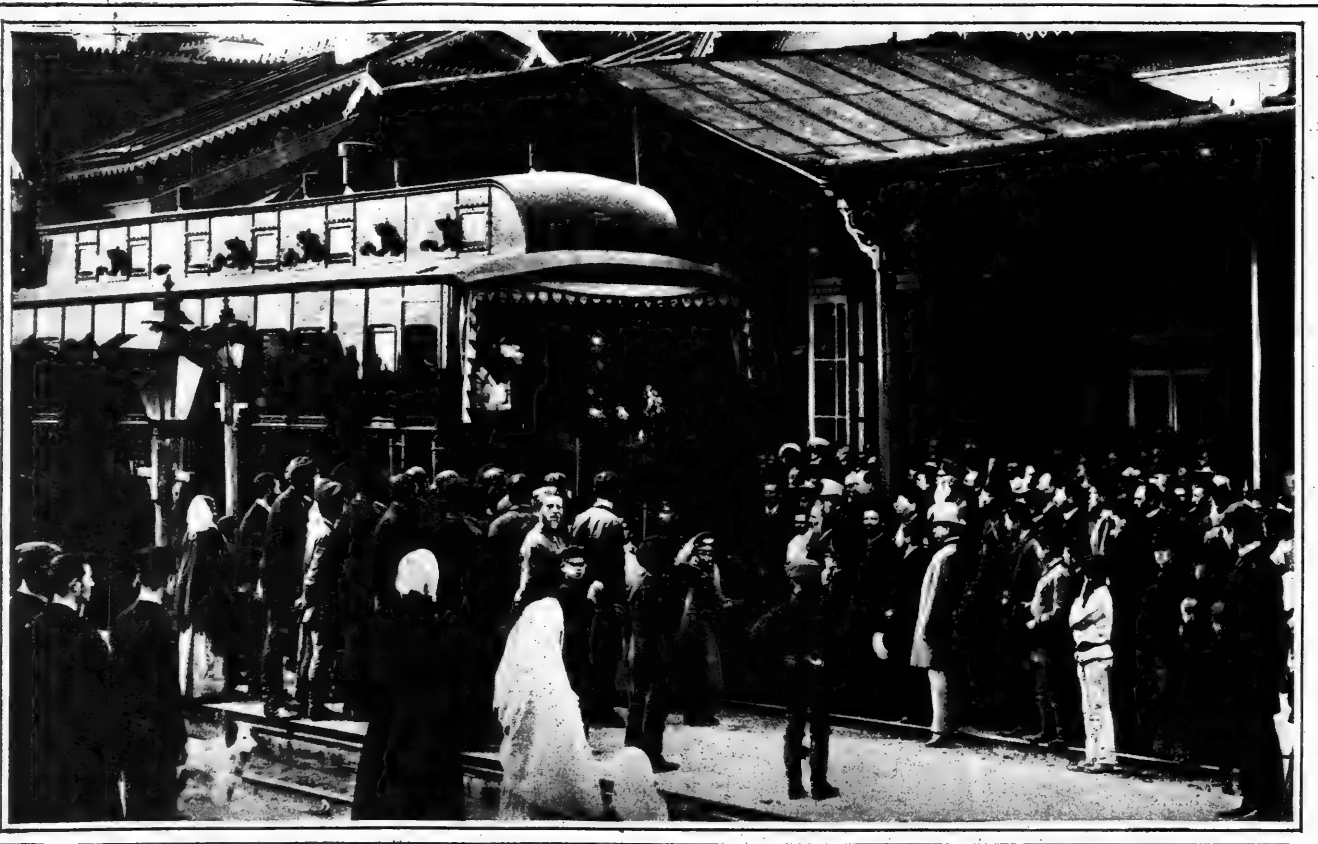
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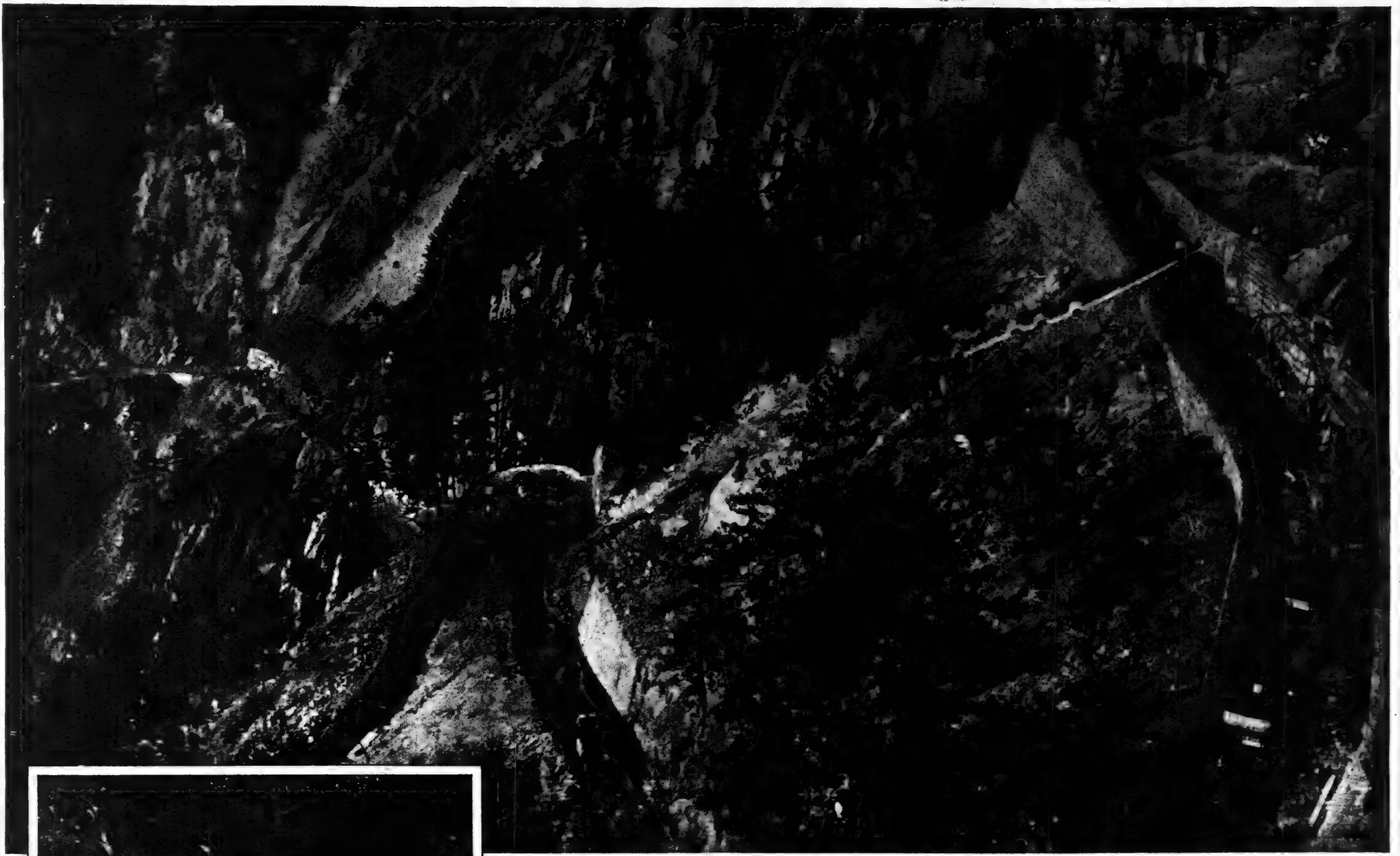
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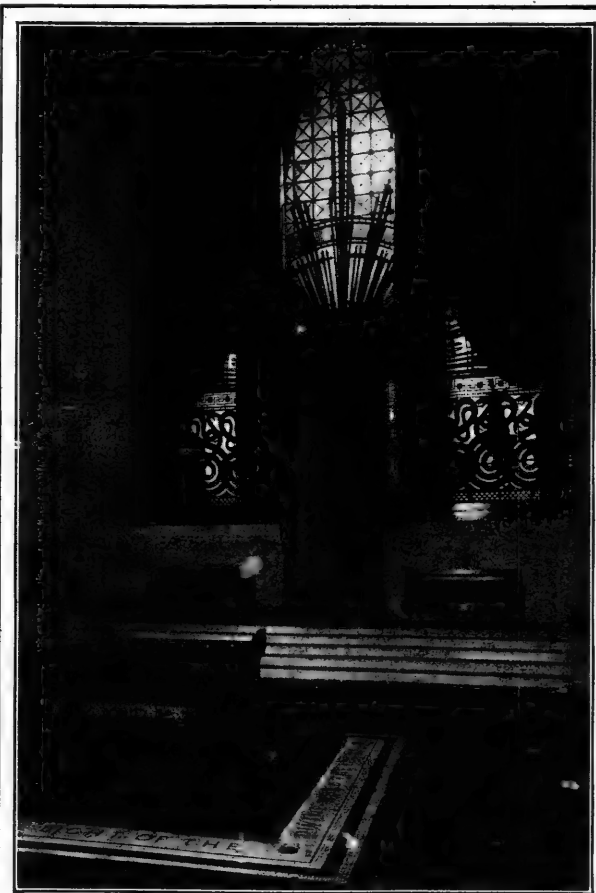


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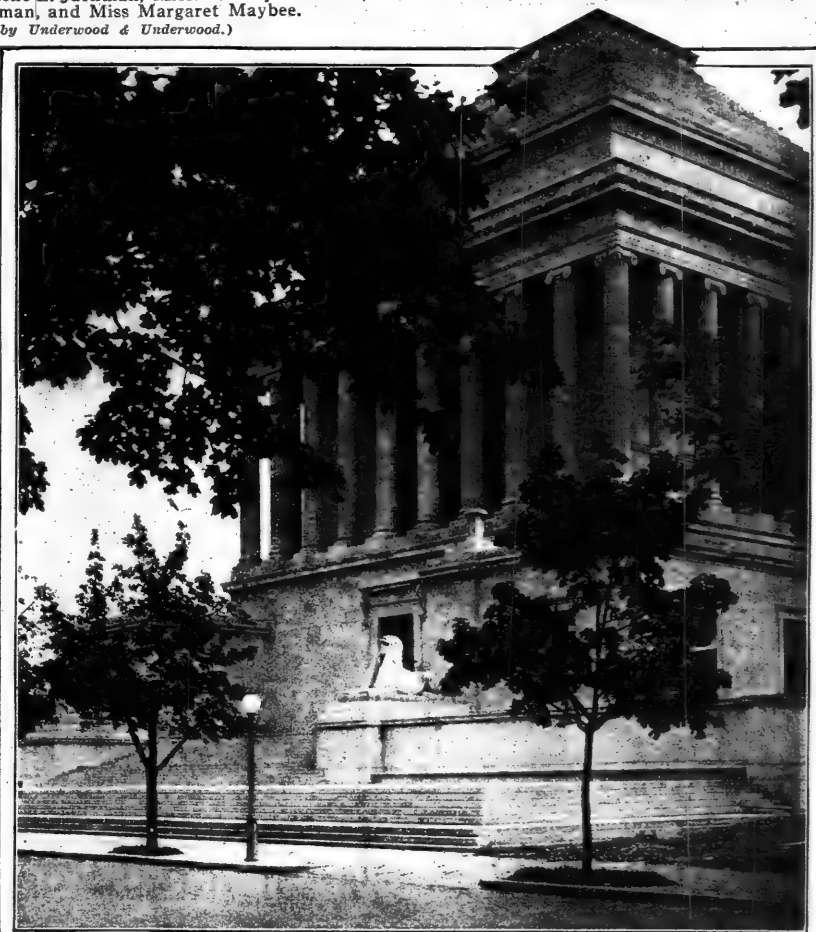


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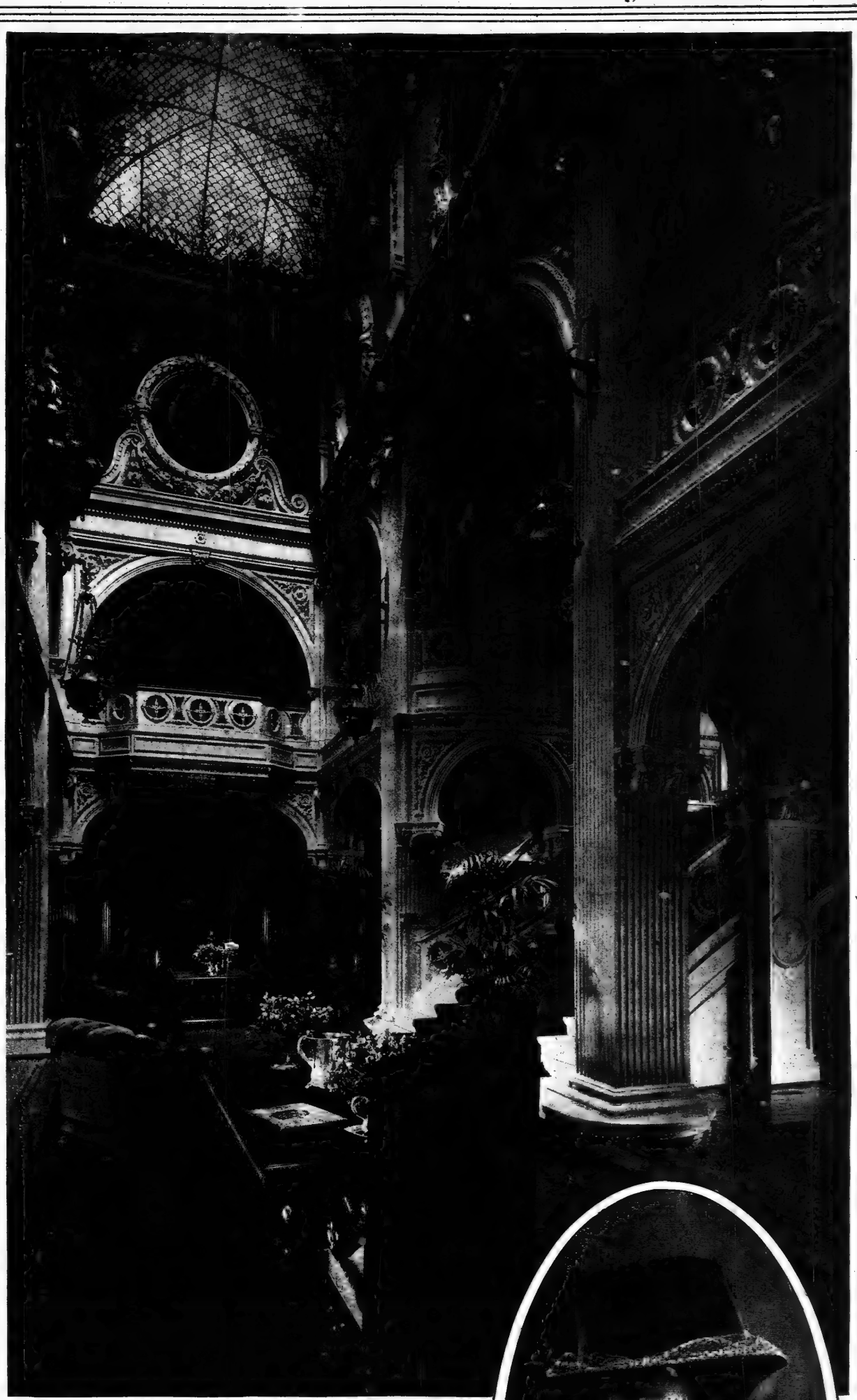
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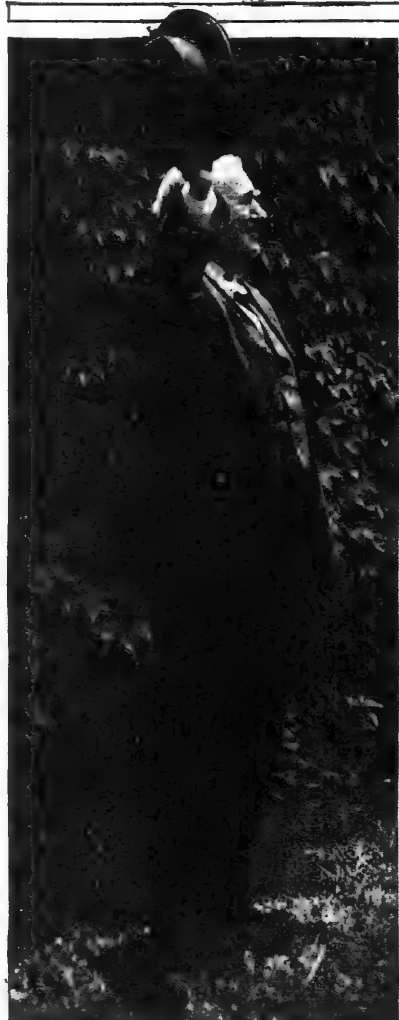
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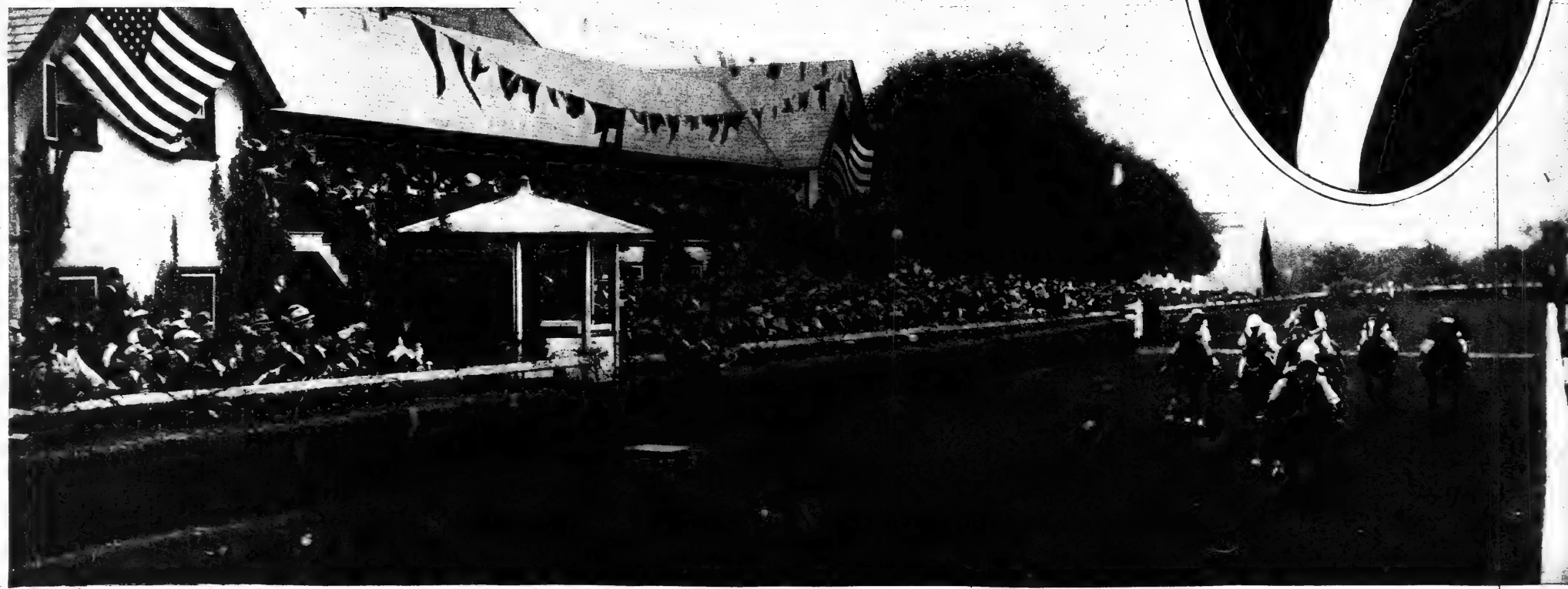
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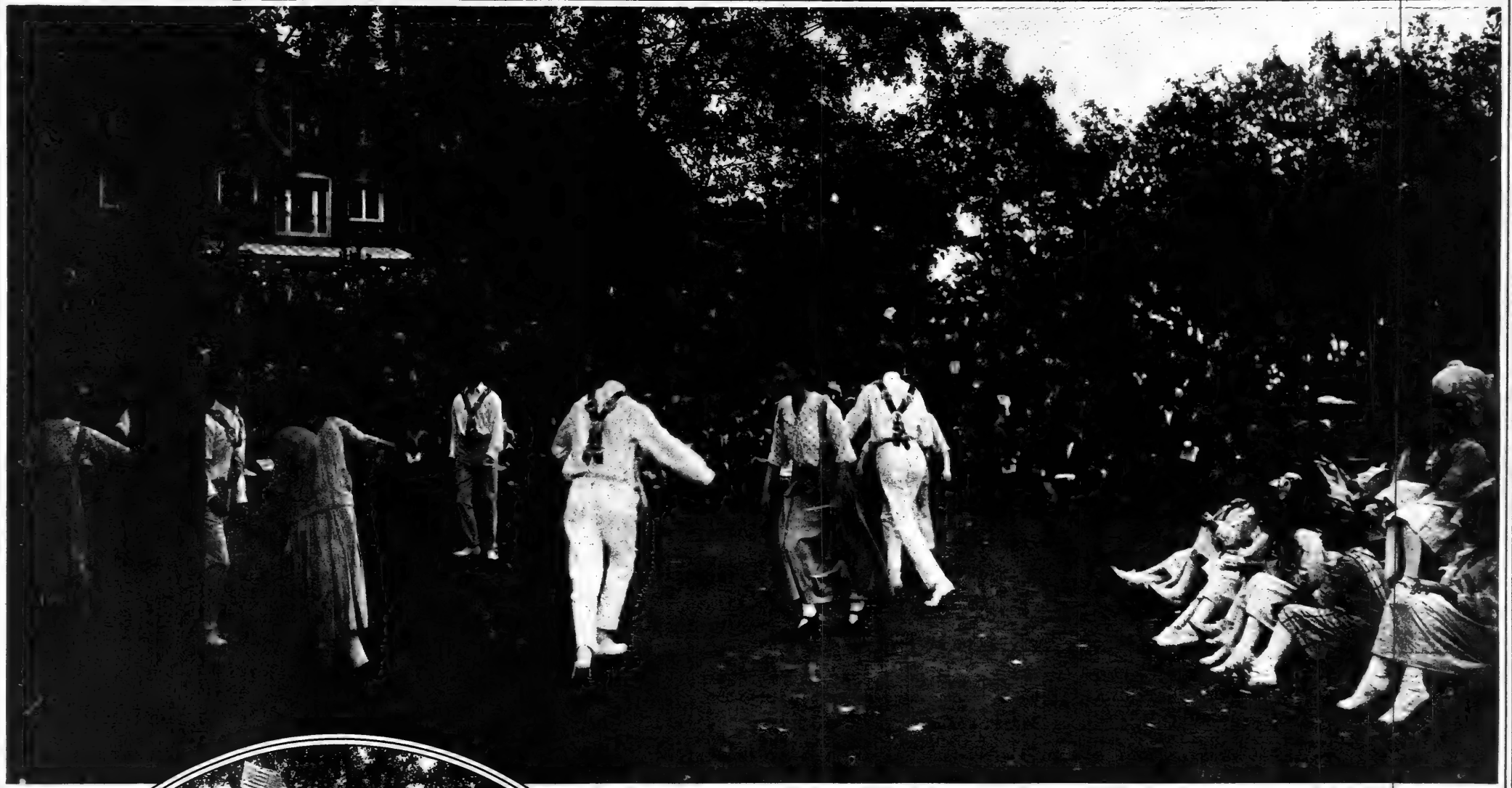
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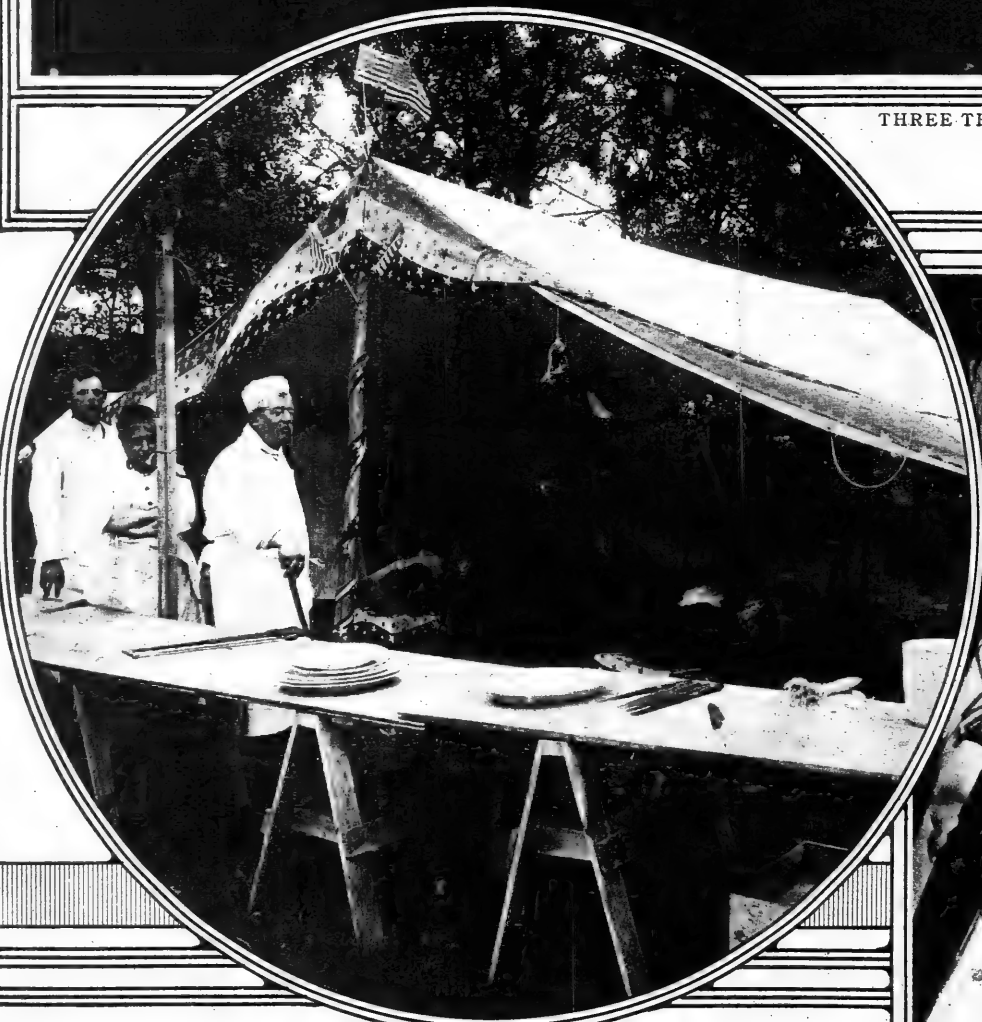
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The text of a manifesto disseminated in 20,000 copies by the Bulgarian Ministry of M. Radoslawoff, to explain why Bulgaria joined Germany, Austria-Hungary, and Turkey in the war, was published in the Frankfurter Zeitung of Oct. 8, a copy of which was received by THE TIMES yesterday. The manifesto, brief parts of which alone have been cabled here previously, contains a full and frank statement of why considerations of pure self-interest dictated the Bulgarian Government's decision to cast its lot finally with the Central Powers and against the Quadruple Entente.

The wording of some paragraphs of the manifesto seems to indicate that it was written anonymously. It laments the fact that there were still in Bulgaria Russian politicians who regretted that Bulgaria had not earlier "joined in the bloody circular dance, and that the Bulgarian people has not offered thousands of sacrifices for the establishment of a 'Greater Serbia.'" These persons alone, it says, do not know what a war really is; that it is a struggle for political supremacy or territorial expansion. Russia, it says, is fighting for Constantinople, France for Alsace-Lorraine, England for commercial supremacy over Germany, and Italy, Serbia, and Montenegro simply for loot. On the other hand, it asserts, since at least no one has ever heard of the Bulgarian people announcing how they were going to divide up foreign territories, as their foes were doing.

Races Not Fighting for Ideals. The manifesto points out economic and political reasons why Bulgaria must side with the Central Powers and Turkey instead of with the Quadruple Entente.

Today we see races that are fighting not indeed for ideals, but solely for their material interests," it says. "The more, therefore, we are bound to a country in a material way, the greater that country's interest in our maintenance and increase, since thereby that one will profit who helps us and is tied to us by economic relations."

"If, therefore, we are to change our previous policy for indefinite, unsafe, and to us even unknown advantages, that means the ruin of our agriculture and trade, and indeed everything that we have built up in thirty years, the reconstruction of our entire business as a people, and the seeking of new export markets for our goods."

In this connection the manifesto cites statistics of Bulgaria's import and export trade with the various belligerent countries of the present war for the years 1907, 1908, and 1911, showing that in those years the central powers and Turkey enjoyed ever increasing import and export trade with Bulgaria, as compared with the amount of its export and import trade with the Entente countries.

The figures show that Bulgaria's interests, and our economic life are inseparably linked with Turkey, Germany, and Austria-Hungary," says the manifesto. It drives home this argument by pointing out the vast proportions of its foreign trade with these countries, and dairy products, saying that for the export of this it is dependent solely upon Turkey, while its exports of grain can go to any country in the world with equal advantage. It refers to the great hardships imposed on Serbia when Austria-Hungary, resenting the Serbian pro-Russian policy, placed obstacles in the way of the Serbian live stock exports, and it adds:

"What would become of Bulgaria if Constantinople, Russia, and the Balkan market? We have seen that almost our entire export trade in live stock, cheese, kashkaval, flour, etc., goes to Turkey—that is to say, to Constantinople. If, now, Constantinople is conquered by Russia, it will introduce there its autonomous protective tariff, and will make impossible the present export of Bulgarian products to Constantinople."

But as Bulgaria cannot export anything to Russia, so it will be unable to export anything to the Russian Constantinople. The Russian export markets for these products at present, and such cannot be easily found."

But if we go against Germany, it would for sanitary and veterinary (sic) reasons immediately cut off the imports of Bulgarian eggs and make more difficult our tobacco imports. All this would cause an economic crisis in Bulgaria such as we have never before witnessed and of which we can scarcely form a conception. Our live-stock industry, as well as all other mills that have been set up in Varna and Burgas to grind flour for Constantinople will be ruined. Our finest and most beautiful industry will be destroyed, and the millions invested in the live stock industry will be lost."

France Refused a Loan.

The manifesto calls attention to the German loan recently made to Bulgaria, adding that after the Balkan war, when "humbled, but not destroyed," Bulgaria asked France for a loan, the request was refused categorically, unless Bulgaria would recognize the Bucharest treaty and agree "not to carry on an independent policy, and to throw ourselves completely into the arms of the then Triple Entente, which would dispose of us as it pleased."

"Our Russophiles were at that time raging," it continues, and demanded the unqualified acceptance of the terms. Now we can see and realize how diabolical were those plans and suggestions and how Bulgaria would have become a plaything in the hands of Russia and France, and how it would have disappeared from the face of the earth. In those heavy days for Bulgaria Germany came to its assistance and gave the required loan without any political conditions whatsoever. Every impartial Bulgarian is in the debt of Germany for this loan. It is the only loan that has saved us from bankruptcy, as well as from political subjugation. The world knows how mighty Germany, and even Austria-Hungary, is in an economic sense. If these States, therefore, are to suppose that they will not support us also in the future. On the contrary, from the assurances in German newspapers and statements of German statesmen, we can with full confidence count upon German financial help."

These lines we are informed that Germany has again granted us a loan of 125,000,000 levas (\$25,000,000) for the defraying of current debts, without any political conditions.

lation suitable for military service has been sent into the field to die for the creation of a 'Greater Serbia.' One need only profess to be a Bulgar in Macedonia to be beaten down like a dog, so great is the hatred of Serbia toward Bulgaria. After the wars the Serbs so hated so arrogant the transit of a Bulgar through Serbia—no matter who he was—was absolutely dangerous to his life, because in that State, which, according to our Government organ, Narodni Prava, is ruled by laws that exist but laws for Bulgars. If we do not more quickly deliver our brothers in Macedonia from the unbearable and bloody yoke, not a Bulgar will be left in this purely Bulgarian land. Things are, moreover, already in such a condition that Bulgaria cannot possibly exist next to a 'Greater Serbia,' inasmuch as the latter, which lays claim to our country up to the Jambou, will continually challenge us until it destroys us."

What the Allies Offered.

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ITALIAN ATTACKS GAINING GROUND

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strong bodies of the enemy have been attacked, defeated and routed, abandoning many dead.

Victories Along the Isonzo.

All along the Isonzo, from Caporetto to the sea, (about fifty miles), after an intense artillery preparation the troops, on the morning of the 21st, began an attack on the enemy positions, which were protected by several lines of trenches strongly held. Under a violent and concentrated artillery, machine gun, rifle and bomb fire, our infantry dashed forward constantly and took, at the point of the bayonet, important positions. First, in the Monte Nero zone, the very strongly defended Trinceone, below the summit of Mrzli; second, in the Tolmino section, numerous positions, well guarded by trenches, on the height of Santa Lucia; third, north of Gorizia, a solid redoubt on the slopes of Monte Sabotz and sent them wherever it seems advisable."

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annihilated or dispersed, and twenty-five officers and 1,184 men made prisoners.

UDINE, Italy, Oct. 23, (via Paris).—The Italian Army is making a general attack along the whole line from Switzerland to the Adriatic.

In the preceding five months of the Austro-Italian war the efforts of the Austro-Italian army have been directed at the penetration of Austrian territory and capture of strategic points for the purpose of securing Italy against the possibility of an invasion. In the opinion of the Italian General Staff, this has been accomplished, and the war is now entering its second phase.

It is estimated here that the Italians have taken 25,000 prisoners during the war and have put out of action upward of 100,000 men in all. Italian losses, including killed, wounded, and prisoners, amount to about 45,000, according to official figures, which is the lowest percentage shown by any of the belligerent nations.

King Climbs a Captured Peak.

VERONA, Oct. 23, (via Paris).—King Victor Emmanuel, accompanied by General Brusati, climbed to the snow-covered crest of Rauchkofel Mountain yesterday. The snow was deep and the temperature below zero.

The King's trip was made to congratulate the Alpine troops who had just captured several Austrian positions. The ascent was difficult, and hitherto has been undertaken only by hardy and experienced mountaineers.

FRENCH TAKE TRENCH; BLOCK GERMAN RUSHES

Win at Close Quarters in Lorraine, Repulse Soches and Tahure Attacks.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—French forces yesterday seized a German trench in Lorraine after a hand-to-hand fight, and frustrated two German attempts to carry positions at other points in their lines—one in the Soches district and the other in Champagne, near Tahure.

The text of the French afternoon communication follows:

Yesterday evening troops of the enemy endeavored to come out from their trenches in the southern part of Bois en Hache, and near the fort at Givency. They were immediately and easily repulsed, and the firing of the shells, which irritate the eyes and

produce suffocation, endeavored to take possession of our positions in the vicinity of the Butte de Tahure. These parties were everywhere repulsed, and virtually destroyed by the first fire of our infantry and machine guns.

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KING GEORGE'S APPEAL WINS MANY RECRUITS

Has Marked Effect on Enlistments in England and May Settle Conscription Question.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—The King's appeal for recruits has had a marked effect on today's enlistments, according to the London papers.

Its ultimate effect, with a fair trial of the Earl of Derby's plan, may decide the mooted question of conscription.

Horatio V. Bottomley, Liberal Member of Parliament, speaking at Hackney, said that he had discussed the new recruiting scheme with the Earl of Derby, who told him that his experience already had convinced him that the voluntary system would be saved.

The Earl of Derby added, according to the speaker, that this was something to be proud of and that he confidently anticipated that by the end of November he would have sufficient recruits to meet all requisitions.

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BRITAIN NAMES SUSPECTED SHIPS

Ten American Vessels Among
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ers Are Warned.

ALL BOUGHT BY A. JENSEN

He Failed to Obtain American Reg-
istry for Them Last June, but
It Was Granted Later.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—There was posted at the Admiralty today a list of forty-seven neutral vessels, ten of which fly the American flag, and a warning to British shippers to be careful in chartering these ships, which are suspected by the authorities of being either controlled by German capital or engaged in an unneutral service.

Any ship on the list which provides evidence to the contrary will be immediately removed from the list, say the Admiralty officials. It is difficult for the ordinary charterer to procure evidence that he is using a ship which might bring him into conflict with the law against trading with the enemy, so the Admiralty is endeavoring to safeguard him; but, recognizing that the presence of the name of the ship on such a list works a real hardship, every effort will be made to include only those which cannot show there is no reason to include them in the list. Vessels on the list promising to trade only with the Entente Allies or in an unneutral neutral trade, will be eliminated from the list.

The ten American ships on the list belong to A. Jensen or to the American Transatlantic Company. Their names are: Allagash, Ausab, Genesle, Hocking, Kankakee, Maumee, Seneca, Spyros, Vallance, Winnebago, and Winneconne. The following nations are represented on the tabular list: Denmark, eight ships belonging to the same company as do the above-named American vessels; Norway, eighteen ships; Sweden, two; Spain, one; Holland, four, and Brazil, four.

A deal for putting ten to twelve Danish, German, Norwegian, and Greek steamers of various sizes under American registry was made by Jensen and his associates last June at Washington and was frustrated for a time by the refusal of the United States Government to permit it. It was asserted by Mr. Jensen that he had purchased the vessels to form a fleet for the newly formed American Transatlantic Company, with offices at 17 Battery Place, of which he was the President.

It was understood in Washington that not one dollar of American money had been invested in the company, and that the sum, alleged to have been more than \$1,000,000, had been provided by Hugo Stinnes, who is well known at Ham-

burg and Mulheim as the owner of a fleet of freight steamers. Mr. Jensen said that the steamers had been renamed Golland, Lapland, Nyland, Finland, Dursland, Cleveland, Sydland, and Laura. He told the Federal authorities in Washington that when he visited Denmark last January an opportunity was offered to him to obtain an interest in several steamers which, after investigation, he decided to take up. He said the idea was to transfer the steamers to American registry and trade under the Stars and Stripes with South America and other neutral countries where freights could be obtained.

There was some trouble in Copenhagen between the vendors and the Danish Government, Mr. Jensen said, and he afterward purchased the steamers through Albert Jensen, whom he met in Germany.

The American Transatlantic Company was incorporated last March in Delaware with a capital of \$2,000,000, and Mr. Jensen said that every dollar subscribed was American money. Eugene Chamberlain, United States Commissioner of Navigation, objected to the transfer of the steamers purchased by Mr. Jensen from Jensen because they were not entered in the official Danish registry of merchant vessels or in Lloyd's. Investigation showed that they had flown the Danish flag only a short while from Jensen's purchase by Jensen from other countries.

It was also discovered that Hugo Stinnes had placed considerable capital at Jensen's disposal in January, when Jensen was a coal merchant in Copenhagen. The funds provided by Stinnes for smuggling copper from Norway into Germany. The funds provided by Stinnes were handled by Theodor Lehr of Rotterdam.

One transfer of the steamers purchased by the American Transatlantic Company through Richard Wagner, its President, was held up until July 31, when Acting Secretary of Commerce Sweet notified him that certificates would be granted to the eleven steamships that had been bought in Europe to engage in transatlantic freighting.

CLAIM BIGGER SHIP HARVEST.

Germans Insist They Have Destroyed 564 British Vessels.

BERLIN, Oct. 23. (By Wireless to Sayville, L. I.)—"Competent German authorities deny the official announcement made in London on Oct. 20 that only 183 British merchant vessels and 176 British fishing vessels had been sunk by submarines up to Oct. 14," says the Overseas News Agency. "These authorities state that up to the middle of October, 239 English trading ships had been sunk, and that up to Sept. 14, 275 fishing vessels had been destroyed, as shown by statements published from time to time in English newspapers."

GERMAN WARSHIPS IN BALIC.

Will Convoys Steamers with Cargoes from Swedish Ports.

STOCKHOLM, Oct. 23.—The newspaper Dagens Nyheter expects to arrive in the North Baltic immediately to escort German steamers on their home journey from Swedish ports. At least thirty steamers are believed to have been held up at these ports.

GERMAN RAIDERS OR FILIBUSTERS?

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States are being met at sea and armed with guns of medium calibre for raiding purposes. The latter theory originated when a British tank steamer arriving in a South American port reported that on her way from Tuxpan, Mex., she was fired upon at sea by a small boat. The belief exists in some quarters here that a base of operations has been established on an island near the coast of Haiti, where guns have been accumulated for use on small boats that have brought there from the United States.

Great Britain and France have maintained a patrol of cruisers in the Caribbean, and the seas are being scoured for suspicious craft.

Seek a Wireless Interloper.

Special to The New York Times. BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 23.—On the theory that a wireless message flashed from Baltimore was connected with the flight of the six interned German naval officers from Norfolk, the Department of Justice is seeking William Russell, who said he was Chief of the Wireless Division, Seventh Regiment, National Guard of New York. Russell made use of the radio of the American Building. This was a few days before the Germans aboard to sea in a small yacht, and, according to one theory, were picked up by a wireless equipped steamer standing off along the Atlantic seaboard.

CUTTER SEEKING ZEALANDIA.

Escaped Officers, if Raiding Commerce, Liable to Execution as Pirates.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—The United States revenue cutter Miami, assigned to the Gulf of Mexico, has been instructed to find the American steamer Zealandia, which, according to E. W. Streeter, a New York ship broker, has been fitted out as a German raider to prey on British commerce in the Gulf of Mexico and the Caribbean Sea. Agents of the Department of Justice in Florida have been instructed to look out for the vessel. If the charges are true, those aboard the ship could be punished for violation of the neutrality laws.

No information has been received in Washington to confirm the report that the officers of the interned German auxiliary cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm, who left Norfolk in a motor yacht and are supposed to be bound for a tropical country, were taken on board the

Zealandia. If these escaped men or others should engage in the business of destroying commerce, they might be subject to trial for piracy, the extreme penalty of which is death.

SUSPECTS A GERMAN PLOT.

Norfolk Selected for Internment as Base for Spying, Says Official.

Norfolk was selected with a purpose for the internment of the German converted cruisers Prinz Eitel Friedrich and Kronprinz Wilhelm last March, according to the view of an unnamed Government official interviewed in this city yesterday.

Officers of the two German cruisers have treated us like children," he said, "and have pulled over our eyes. Some of these German officers, who took a delight in telling how they sunk the American clipper ship Frye, have been entertained at dinner aboard American men-of-war at Norfolk. The German ships, it is safe to assume that during these social events the Germans were alive in picking up the Kaiser."

The Germans realized that Norfolk was a most valuable port to intern at, for there, and within a few miles of the city, the officers and men have had the free run of one of the most important sections of the United States, of which they have undoubtedly gained a thorough knowledge for a possible future emergency. There is the Norfolk Navy Yard, the Washington Gun Foundry, the powder plants, the ship building plants, the Government proving grounds, the naval stores, and, in addition, important railroads and other industries of great importance which an enemy would wish to destroy in war time. Months of study of all this by German military men on the spot might afford a very fruitful field.

"Chesapeake Bay is just as easy to get into as it was a hundred years ago, so far as coast fortifications go, and our German friends have not been slow, it is safe to say, in making themselves acquainted with this part of the vulnerable coast. New York, Philadelphia, and other ports and their vicinities, undoubtedly have been visited in the interest of the Fatherland. "I believe a part of the scheme in having the six interned German naval officers at Indian Head, Fort Monroe, to provide crews and officers for steamers that might be secured at Swedish or other neutral ports, and with concealed guns under the coal cargo, be met near the American coast by officers and men from the interned cruisers. You may yet hear of a surprise attack on a British or French steamer by these fifty Germans. It is likely that quite a number of men from the interned cruisers have been allowed to get away to await developments, their places aboard being taken by loyal German sailors from among landsmen. Besides, there are a number of Germans at different ports on German ships waiting for the war to end, who might be used to man any auxiliary cruisers that might manage to take the high seas for a time."

GREEK GOVERNMENT DEFENDS ITS STAND

Says to Enter the War Now
Would Ruin the Country and
Not Save Serbia.

PARIS, Oct. 23.—The Athens correspondent of the Havas Agency sends the following dispatch, under Friday's date, relative to the attitude of Greece concerning the war:

All the evening papers published an identical note, said to be an exact representation of the Government's viewpoint in the situation. The note expresses surprise at the intervention of the powers in the relations between Greece and Serbia, the facility of interpretation of the treaty of alliance of those countries belonging exclusively to the contracting parties, the accord having been freely concluded without the intervention or guarantee of a third party.

It must not be forgotten, says the note, that Greece is an independent nation that disposes of its fate in full sovereignty. The note goes on to say that the Austro-German attack on Serbia releases Greece at least from the obligation of armed intervention, and that independent of that attack it is materially impossible for Serbia to give Greece the support of 150,000 men stipulated in the treaty in case of war with Bulgaria, and that the Entente powers have not furnished a contingent equivalent. The note adds that the specialists best qualified consider that the Balkan expedition would require at least 400,000 men, and that under these conditions Greece would run herself without even the consolation of saving Serbia.

"On the other hand," says the note, "Greece offers all the service she can render in allowing the free passage over its territory of the Allies' troops going to the Serbian front, and in maintaining her army on a war footing. The note expresses the gratitude of Greece for the offers made, though not yet concrete, and thanks England for the offer of Cyprus. It recalls the Greek sympathy for the Entente and the benevolence of the neutrals maintained thus far. It ends by saying that Greece does not forget that a State, no

matter how small, has the absolute right to regulate its own fortunes."

ATHENS, Oct. 22. (Via Paris, Oct. 23.)—The Foreign Office denies both the reported Serbo-Bulgarian understanding and the existence of pourparlers for such an understanding. The Nea Hellas, an Opposition organ, notwithstanding this denial, insists that negotiations are proceeding.

In discussing Great Britain's offer to cede the island of Cyprus to Greece, the newspaper Patris, a supporter of the Venizelos party, says that the refusal of Premier Delmas is not of a definite nature, and expresses the belief that the Venizelos party will approach the Greek Government. The Nea Hellas says that it is evident the Greek Government will not accept and has decided to remain absolutely neutral.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—Commenting upon Greece's continued unresponsiveness to the Entente Allies' proposals and the possibility of the Allies' cause being again circumvented, as it was in Bulgaria, The Fall Mail Gazette today says:

"If Greece's sovereign remains convinced that Germany and her allies have the upper hand, what is there in his past conduct to insure that he will not make a treacherous attack on our forces at the first sign of their sustaining a check elsewhere? There is every need for the Allies to place their relations with Greece on a footing which will prevent further surprises."

DEATH TOLL IN ALLIES' DRIVE

Four-fifths of One Command Fell in a Single Day.

Some idea of the intensity of the recent drive of the Allies may be gathered from extracts from a private letter from London. Describing injuries received by his son, the writer says:

"He had four bullet wounds from machine guns and another from a splinter of shell. They had a pretty bad time; he went into action at 4:30 A. M. with 1,700 men and thirty-five officers, and at roll call at night 210 men and five officers were left. "We have our successes; the submarines have been sunk. They caught and sank three in one day the week before last. Why they don't publish them I don't know. They have sunk fifty-four, certainly, and possibly seven more."

ALL OF GERMANY'S FOOD IN GOVERNMENT HANDS

Federal Authorities Take Control of Prices and Supplies
Throughout Empire.

BERLIN, Oct. 23. (By Wireless to Sayville, L. I.)—The German Federal Government today decided to assume control of the price and supply of victuals throughout Germany. Up to the present time the State provincial authorities had been considered competent to handle the food situation.

The German Government now considers it necessary, the Overseas News Agency says, to equalize the position of the various sections of the empire as to the distribution and the price of victuals, which are abundant, but under different conditions in the various States and provinces of Germany.

New regulations will be made in order to avoid differences and to distribute in an equal manner food throughout Germany, thereby assuring for the coming months full supplies at reasonable prices in all districts.

Conferences are being held by the Government authorities, and it is expected that the decision regarding the measures to be taken will be announced in the near future.

WOMAN ATTACKS PRINCE.

Leopold of Coburg Reported Shot and Burned with Acid.

ROME, Oct. 23.—Prince Leopold of Coburg, a nephew of King Ferdinand of Bulgaria, was burned with acid and wounded with a revolver by a woman friend, the daughter of a Viennese police Captain, according to a dispatch from Vienna.

It is stated that the woman committed suicide by shooting. The condition of the Prince is most grave, and he is likely to lose his sight, it is said.

FINDS ONLY INTRIGUE IN HOUSE OF COMMONS

J. H. Thomas Wants a Declaration from Asquith That He'll Stay in Office.

DERBY, Oct. 23.—"I appeal to the Prime Minister to take an early opportunity of stating plainly in the House of Commons that he is not going to be hurried from his high position by any intrigue, whether started at Carmelite House or elsewhere," said James H. Thomas, Labor Member of Parliament for Derby in addressing a labor recruiting meeting this afternoon.

Premier Asquith was necessary to the country in the present crisis, Mr. Thomas said, and he told his hearers that King George's message was a rebuke to those who had done their best to belittle the voluntary system, which, he predicted, would enable the country to win the war.

Mr. Thomas said he found a keen desire among the workers to get on with the war, while "in the House of Commons there is nothing but gossip, slander, and intrigue."

It was James Henry Thomas, M. P., Assistant General Secretary of the Amalgamated Society of Railway Servants, who declared in the House of Commons on Sept. 15 that the lodge of the railway union had informed the Executive Committee that on the introduction of conscription the men would stop work.

If the conscriptionists want an industrial revolution," he said, "let them proceed with their agitation."

The speech caused a great sensation in England. Mr. Thomas later defended it in an interview, calling the conscription agitation a "wicked attempt to embarrass the Government."

Luxemburg Cabinet Resigns.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 23 (via London).—A dispatch from Luxembourg in the Cologne Gazette says that the Ministry of the Grand Duchy has resigned, owing to the difference of opinion with Grand Duchess Marie.

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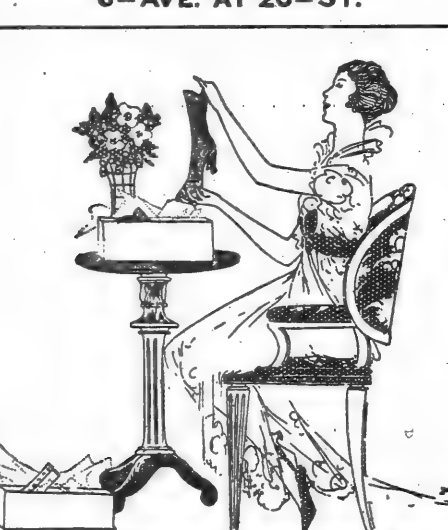
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colors with self

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plete line of sizes

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sisting of fine White

Lisle Thread with

black hand clock-

ing, all sizes. Odd

sizes of Plain

Lisles, mixed two

tones of Silk and

Cashmere, all Cash-

meres and other

lots of fine hose. Box 3 Pairs, Reg. \$1.50

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in navy, taupe and

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included. A fine

strongly knitted

hose with a full

fashioned rein-

forced lisle sole. Box 3 Pairs, Reg. \$1.50

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and smart in ap-

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gray and light

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mended for excel-

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Naval Attache Sayles, on Eiffel
Tower, Hears Wireless Tel-
ephone Messages.

TEST CONFIRMED BY FRANCE

Chief of Her Military Radio System
Reports Officially That Experi-
ment Is a Success.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
PARIS, Oct. 23.—Captain Sayles,
naval attaché, watched all night at
the Eiffel Tower in the wireless tele-
phone test. The military authorities
permitted the exclusive use of the
tower from 5:30 to 3:50 this morn-
ing. These communications were heard
by Captain Sayles and Engineer H.
E. Shreeve.
"How are you getting along over
there? How is the weather? How are
you, Shreeve?"
The experiment will be continued.

Dr. P. R. Jewett, Assistant Chief En-
gineer of the Western Electric Company,
who in the absence of the city of
Paris, J. C. Curly, Chief Engineer of the
American Telephone and Telegraph
Company, is superintending the wire-
less telephone experiments, said early
this morning that it was very prob-
able that a wireless telephonic conver-
sation had again been heard from Arling-
ton. As plans had been made to re-
peat the tests so successful on the first
occasion, the arrangements were for
the operators at Arlington to talk from
shortly after midnight until shortly be-
fore 1 o'clock.

At 1 o'clock this morning a cablegram
was sent to Paris notifying the opera-
tors there that Arlington had talked
and inquiring whether the conversation
had been heard. The answer to this
message, it is determined, the success of
the test. Dr. Jewett said that these
tests would be repeated between mid-
night and 1 o'clock for an indefinite
number of successive nights.

Report to French Government.
The following statement was given
out yesterday by the Chief Engineer of
the American Telephone and Telegraph
Company:

"The success of the wireless tele-
phone experiments conducted by the
engineers of the Bell system was pub-
licly announced in Paris on Friday by
Lieut. Col. of Engineers Ferrie, the
technical director of military radio tel-
egraph for the French Government.
The announcement was made in
French and the following translation
sent by Lieut. Commander Sayles, the
United States naval attaché, was re-
ceived today by John J. Curly, Chief
Engineer of the American Telephone and
Telegraph Company, under whose
direction the experiments were car-
ried on:

Paris, Oct. 22, 1915.
Official statement summarizing the
wireless telephonic experiments carried out
between Arlington and the Eiffel Tower.
The American station at Arlington was pro-
vided with a special device generator de-
vised by the American Telephone and Tel-
egraph Company and the Western Electric
Company, and arranged in such a manner as
to permit the making of wireless telephonic
connections. The French company, being
accredited with the Department of War by
the United States Embassy in Paris, ap-
pointed one of its engineers, Mr. Shreeve,
to attempt to hear these telephonic emis-
sions at the radio telegraph station at
the Eiffel Tower by means of a receiver
which is equal to their invention.

Words Heard Repeatedly.

All the experiments made have been
conducted in every detail by the under-
signed and by Captains Brenot and Pin-
el and Lieutenant Vaubresse, all officers
of the French Army. The results of the
experiments carried out in June, 1915, gave no
results, probably by reason of the elec-
trical perturbations naturally very intense
at this season of the year. The second
series, in October, 1915, has achieved
greater success. It has been possible to
hear and understand very distinctly
repeatedly words such as "one," "two,"
"three," "good-bye," etc. Depending
upon the intensity of the electrical per-
turbations which are prevalent, and the
condition of the atmosphere at this time,
these words were heard more or less dis-
tinctly and more or less loudly. These
results, although imperfect, are extremely
interesting and there is every reason to
believe that they will be improved upon.
Lieut. Col. of Engineers FERRIE,
Technical Director of Military Radio Tel-
egraphy.

In the absence of Chief Engineer
Curly from New York, Dr. P. R. Jewett,
Assistant Chief Engineer of the
Western Electric Company, who has
been intimately associated with all the
work leading up to the successful demon-
strations of long distance wireless
telephony, said that the official state-
ment of the French Government, issued
by Colonel Ferrie, was in accordance
with the arrangements made at the time
the experiments were started.
When the experiments in Paris were
first undertaken, as a result of the
courtesy of the French Government in
placing the Eiffel Tower station at the
disposition of the American Telephone
and Telegraph engineers for a limited
period each day, Colonel Ferrie was
fully apprised of the nature of the de-
velopment work that had been under-
taken. Both he and his assistants, Cap-
tains Brenot and Pinel, were very
much interested in the new developments
and have been in constant attendance
throughout all of the work. Before the
experiments were undertaken it was ar-
ranged with the French officials that
the work would be carried on until they

were thoroughly satisfied as to its suc-
cessful outcome. The official statement
which Colonel Ferrie has made for the
French Government is, therefore, con-
clusive evidence that this has now been
accomplished.
Mr. Jewett said that the tests between
Arlington and Paris were being contin-
ued regularly, and that since the first
announcement of successful transmis-
sion Mr. Shreeve had reported further
satisfactory reception of speech from Ar-
lington.
Mr. Espenschied, the company's en-
gineer in Honolulu, who is listening each
night at the time of the tests to Paris,
reported yesterday that he, together
with Rear Admiral Boush and Lieuten-
ants Lando, Zane, and Green, United
States Navy, were able on Friday
night's test to hear all of the messages
from Arlington clearly and distinctly
three feet away from the telephone re-
ceiver.

Congratulations from Edison.

Mr. Jewett also mentioned a fact
which is of extreme interest to engineers
conversant with wireless transmission;
namely, that owing to wireless condi-
tions at Eiffel Tower all of the trans-
mission between Arlington and Paris,
and the later transmissions to Honolulu
were on a wave length about half that
normally employed for long distance
wireless telephony. The fact that suc-
cessful transmission, such as has been
reported from Paris and in the last
night's test from Honolulu, was accom-
plished with this short wave length, empha-
sized the remarkable character of the
achievement.
Thomas A. Edison sent the following
message to Mr. Jewett:
"Accept my hearty congratulations on
your wonderful success in connecting
New York and San Francisco by wire-
less telephone and my thanks for the privi-
lege of talking across the continent. I heard
both the voice and music perfectly."

LATEST WIRELESS FEAT PLEASES MARCONI MEN

Codrey Isaacs Gratified That U.
S. Navy Is Pushing Trans-
oceanic Talks.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Tel-
egraph to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONG BEACH, Oct. 23.—The linking up of
the Arlington station with the Eiffel
Tower by wireless telephone, the news
of which was conveyed here by cable,
caused the Marconi wireless officials to
express the opinion today that the day
was not distant when the wireless tele-
phone would be in wireless telephone
touch with all America.
Godfrey Isaacs, General Manager of the
Marconi Company, said to THE
NEW YORK TIMES correspondent:
"It is an extremely interesting de-
velopment of wireless telephony, but
no more than was to be expected. If
the war were not on, Mr. Marconi
would now be in telephone touch with
the chief points on both continents.
The American Navy alone is able to
conduct these experiments now between
America and Europe, because of war
restrictions on private concerns, and
it is a satisfaction to know that it is go-
ing ahead so that no time may be lost
in perfecting the system that the Mar-
coni Company knew would eventually
be established."

The early stages of wireless
telephony it is to be expected that
the talking can be done only spasmodically;
but in time it will be perfected so that
there will be only a slight delay.
Mr. Marconi intends to work on a
wireless telephone system across the
Atlantic after the war so that it will
be as serviceable as the wireless tele-
graph is now. In time to come there
is no doubt whatever that the wireless
telephone between the continents will
be a practical means of communica-
tion."

EXPERTS DISAGREE ON CHARLTON'S SANITY

His Deposition Made in New
York Militates Against His
Present Defense.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
COMO, Oct. 23.—A long time was spent
today in written and oral discussions
between the alienists in the Charlton
murder case. The experts for the prose-
cution contended that Charlton had
always been in best of health and had
possessed perfect mental equilibrium,
and had never, before, during or after
his crime, evinced any mental aberration
such as to diminish his respon-
sibility. The best proof, it was held,
was that since he had been imprisoned
at Como nobody had ever detected the
least alteration in him, but, on the
contrary, he had always appeared a
normal, tranquil, and thoughtful man.
The experts for the defense, basing
their opinion largely on the statements
of American physicians as to the
epilepsy suffered by Charlton's younger
brother, wrote voluminously and spoke
at length to prove that when he struck
Mary, and for hours after after-
ward, Charlton was under the influence
of an epileptic fit, and therefore wholly
irresponsible. To meet the objection
that there had been no recurrence of
epilepsy while Charlton had been con-
fined here, they said that the prison
served as a sort of sanatorium, where
the accused experienced no mental or
physical exhaustion and had no op-
portunity for indulgence in liquor or
other excitants.

COMO, Oct. 23.—Baron Sciacca, the
judge presiding at the Charlton case,
read a deposition made by Charlton in
New York soon after his arrest there.
This deposition was regarded as im-
portance because, although it contained
the admission that Charlton killed his
wife, it did not mention the epileptic
coma into which, according to a later
deposition, he passed after committing
the deed.

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(Department on Third Floor)

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may be seen beautiful combinations of laces with furs, or delicate
crepe Georgette with hand-drawn effects, or the semi-tailored blouses
introducing novel plaitings; also lingerie or voile models, with baby
tucks, or of filmy laces combined with hand embroideries. The latest
fashion suggestions are expressed in complete price assortments.

(Department on Second Floor)

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include many rich Metallic Brocades,
Satin Suitings, French Failles,
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ing quality)

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The New Mode in Silk Petticoats

is now well defined in the late Au-
tumn and early Winter styles and
conforms to the wide and shorter
models decreed by Fashion. To this
dictate a number of beautiful styles
have been developed in effective
plaids, in Dresden effects, in plain or
fur-trimmed taffeta, while in the
extremely dainty models are those
fashioned of lace and be-ruffled

satins, crepe de Chine, or Georgette crepe, designed for wear in the
evening, or with negligees. The prices cover a wide range and will
be found to meet individual requirements. These charming styles may
be seen in the Department on the Second Floor.

B. Altman & Co.

by special arrangement with the Commission for Relief
in Belgium will hold, to-morrow and
throughout the week

An Exhibition and Sale of RARE BELGIAN "WAR LACES"

These exceedingly beautiful specimens of the lace industry of
Belgium will be shown on the Fifth Floor, and a cordial invitation
to call and inspect them is extended to all who may be interested.

Included in this collection are examples of Flandre, Rosaline,
Mechlin, Venetian Point, Droochel, Duchess, Bruges, Point de
Paris, and other varieties of old laces, which from now on will
be very difficult to duplicate. A great many pieces have been
completed since the beginning of the war.

Continually augment a distinctive collection of Undergarments. Included
are several of the Season's Novelties, among which are now being shown
the loveliest of Bridal Sets, fashioned of the sheerest Linen Cambric, and
enriched with hand embroidery and real Valenciennes laces.

TIMELY OFFERINGS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

10,000 Pairs Women's & Children's Imported Glace Gloves

will be on sale Monday on the First Floor.

This Interesting Offering will afford an op-
portunity to obtain gloves of excellent quality
at extraordinary price concessions.

Women's Short Glace, pique-sewn, in black,
tan, or white per pair 85c.

Women's Glace Kidskin Mousquetaire, six-
teen-button, in black or white, per pair \$2.00

Children's Glace, one-clasp, pique sewn, in
tan per pair 85c.

In addition to the above

Men's One-clasp Castor Gloves

p x m-sewn, in gray, will be on sale at the
special price of per pair \$1.25

A Remarkable Sale of Reversible Velour Portieres

A timely Offering for to-morrow (Monday)
will consist of Reversible Velour Portieres,
fine quality, in novelty two-toned colorings,
producing an attractive striped effect, at the
unusually low price of per pair \$17.50

These Draperies are custom-made (with
French edge) in B. Altman & Co.'s own work-
rooms and the color combinations express
the present note in interior furnishings.

(Department on Fourth Floor)

Styles of Distinction in Negligees and House Gowns

will be presented in an interesting Special
Offering which has been arranged for to-
morrow and comprising selections of smart
individual models fashioned on the newest
lines. Included are:

Tea Gowns of Crepe Meteor, with Coat of
Chiffon; trimmed with lace and swansdown,
at \$32.00

Crepe de Chine Tea Gowns, with lace coat,
at \$24.00

Robes of Zenana cloth, with hand-embroid-
ered collar and cuffs; silk-lined throughout,
at \$20.00

Negligees of Crepe de Chine, lined with alba-
tross and trimmed with swansdown and
lace \$12.75

An Exceptional Sale of Men's and Women's Hosiery

has been arranged for Monday in the Depart-
ment on the First Floor. In exceedingly
interesting assortments the following offer-
ings in commendable qualities may be secured
at prices much lower than those usually
obtaining:

Women's Silk Hose, with cotton tops and
soles, in black or white, special per pair 75c.

Women's Silk Hose, in black or white,
special per pair \$1.45

MEN'S HALF-HOSE

Men's Black Cotton Half-hose
special per pair 25c.

In the Velvet Department

may be seen a splendid assortment of Im-
ported Dress Velvets, Velvetens and Cordu-
roys, especially fashionable for Gowns and
Tailored Suits, also a complete range of

MILLINERY VELVETS

The prices are very moderate.

A Special Offering for to-morrow (Monday)
will consist of

2,500 Yds. of All-silk Velour Raye
(42 inches wide)

in plain colors which include the latest
shades, at the special price of per yard \$4.65

(Department on First Floor)

A Sale of Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats

will be held Monday in the Millinery Depart-
ment on the First Floor. Here will be found
the newest and most authoritative shapes
from the small close-fitting hat to the larger
styles, the entire collection expressing smart-
ness.

Trimmed Hats of distinction, \$7.50 & 10.00

Untrimmed Hats in modish shapes
at \$2.00 & 3.50

SPORTS HATS

in Velour, Felt or Beaver expressive of the
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AGED ENGLISH BARK SAILS HERE FOR OIL

War Drives Port Jackson from
33-Year London-Australia
Route.

TRAINING SHIP; NO CADETS

Youngsters All Gone to Fight Ger-
mans, Captain Mail-
land Says.

After ploughing the seas for thirty-three years between London and Australia by way of the Cape of Good Hope and homeward round Cape Horn, the four-masted iron bark Port Jackson has been driven by the war to come to New York to load case oil for Adelaide, South Australia. She is under the command of Captain Charles Mailland, a grand-nephew of the commander of the British frigate Bellerophon, which conveyed Napoleon to St. Helena after the battle of Waterloo.

Captain Mailland has spent all his life in clipper ships, and is making his last voyage to sea. Five years ago he fitted out his ship at Pier 11, East River, foot of Gouverneur Lane.

The Port Jackson is a fine type of the old iron sailing vessel of the early eighties, with plenty of deck space, lofty spars and painted ports on both sides. A relic from the old frigate built ships, which were painted that way to deceive pirates into the belief they carried guns. She has double topgallant yards and royals above her topmasts, and carries a spanker and a gaff topsail on the jiggermast. Five years ago the Port Jackson had a large house built on the deck amidships to accommodate thirty-five cadets to be trained as officers under the Lord Brassey scheme for the upkeep of the mercantile marine. Captain Mailland said yesterday that the war took all the cadets he had on the ship, but there are six youngsters who will arrive next week from Liverpool on the Adriatic to join her.

The captain and the steward are each over 70 years old, and have sailed with the Port Jackson for many years. There are four mates and twenty-two able seamen on the Port Jackson, and six boys from the training ship Warspite, which is anchored in the Thames at London.

The captain said that with all canvas set and a good breeze on the quarter the ship can make about 13 knots through the water, and he expects to make the run by way of the Cape of Good Hope to Adelaide in 90 to 100 days. One of the articles in his cabin of which he is very proud is a silver loving cup won in January, 1911, in Sydney, New South Wales, by his cadets in a lifeboat race on the Parramatta River against the North German Lloyd cadet ship Herseon Cecilia.

"It was a three-mile course," he added, "and my boys beat the Germans by half a mile."

The captain said that when he first went to sea there was nothing to eat but salt beef and salt pork and hard biscuits. Now, sailors get fresh bread, vegetables, milk, pickles, butter, and even jam.

On the Port Jackson's deck houses there are four big coops which will be filled with poultry, and twenty sheep, well as sheep, will be carried in the pens when the ship sails for Adelaide about Nov. 15. She usually carries two or three passengers in the cabin who go for their health, and Captain Mailland hopes to have one of them who will play whist or chess with and to keep him company.

CHICAGO BROKER MURDERED

P. R. Voorhees of Chicago Is Shot
Dead in His Home.

CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—Franklin R. Voorhees, head of a prominent brokerage firm by the same name, was shot and killed by one of two men whom he surprised tonight in his home on the Hyde Park Boulevard.

At first it was thought the intruders were robbers, but later the police were inclined to doubt this. Ralph Voorhees, 21 years old, son of the broker, told the police late tonight that his father acted as agent for the French and British Governments. Voorhees, his son said, supplied glycerine and other stock-yard products, used in the making of high explosives.

BRINGS BIGGEST BEEF CARGO

Also Reefs Snakes, Which Tie
Captured Men in Armchairs.

The Lamport & Holt steamer Vauban arrived yesterday from Buenos Aires with 39,522 quarters of frozen beef. This represents 10,000 head of cattle, and it was said by the agents to be the biggest shipment of beef ever brought by one steamer to this port.

The Vauban also brought a variegated consignment of snakes from the island of Trinidad, including the reefer snake. This reptile was given its name by sailors on account of its fondness for wrapping itself around objects and tying a reef knot with its head and tail. In the interior of the boat where it was frequently been tied in their armchairs and kept prisoners for hours by reefer snakes which came out of the bins when a strong breeze is expected. Rum and coconut milk are the only things that will charm the reefer snake, and make them loosen their deadly grip and cast themselves adrift, so to speak.

THOROLD AVERY HOME.

English Boy, Detained, Leaves Ellis
Island with Parents.

Thorold Avery, the 9-year-old English boy, who arrived on Friday from Liverpool, unaccompanied by his parents on the Baltic and was taken to Ellis Island, has been released by the immigration authorities after a brief detention. His father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Avery, who live in Brooklyn, met him at the pier and went to Ellis Island with him. A board of inquiry was convened and passed upon the case. The law demands that all aliens under 16, unaccompanied by their parents or legal guardians, must go to Ellis Island.

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DEIRA hand embroidered. The illustration cannot even indicate how fine the eyelets are worked, how handsome the blind embroidery and how carefully the Rose Point scalloped edges are made. This cloth was ordered made to bring Fifteen Dollars; it turned out so exquisitely that the maker made a Twenty Dollars worth, and even the well-posted will judge it worth around that price. It will make an ideal Wedding Present, Birthday or Christmas Gift should you have no immediate use for it yourself. It will cost you only \$9.00 at this Special Sale, because we bought it at a low price for a spot cash at an 11m. position time-out.

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A special collection of Fur Hats features many smart novelties. Hats of

Sealine Mole Moline
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and combinations of these furs in exclusive models.

Sealine Hats—close fitting turban shapes, lined with black satin. \$8.75

Fur Tricornes—the brim of soft gray chinchilla squirrel, the crown of sealine. \$11.00

Moline Turban—with bow of the fur smartly posed at the back. \$12.00

Fur Combination Hats—Hudson seal with chipmunk, ermine or kolinsky. \$25.00

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At \$10.00**

Recently added to our superb showing of \$10.00 millinery are Hats of fine Lyons Velvet, French edged or bound with gros-grain ribbon. Smartly trimmed with gour or Paradise feathers, these include small or large

Turbans, Tricornes and Sailors
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Models in Taffeta, Messaline, Silk Jersey, cut to give the new silhouette, with deep flounces, frilled, ruffled and pleated in any number of effective ways. Tops fitted and on elastic waist bands.

Black and all the new Autumn colors.
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Blouses of Georgette Crepe—with novel overblouse effect in washable satin. Flesh and white; the "battlement" collar and cuffs hand-embroidered in navy or black. Special. \$7.95

Blouses of Crepe de Chine—in white, navy, brown and green with inset vestee, collar, epaulets and cuffs of silk mousseline. \$8.75

Blouses of Meteor—in lustrous navy, green and white; featuring a new shoulder effect; low collar and cuffs are hand-embroidered. \$9.75

Blouses of Crepe de Chine—a corded overblouse model with the new wing sleeves of chiffon cloth; square collar and flaring cuffs are of ecrû fillet net lace embroidered in white. In blue, brown or green. \$10.75
2nd Floor.

Specials on Ground Floor

Crepe de Chine Blouses—in white and flesh, tailored, box pleated model, hand-embroidered. \$3.95

Striped Crepe de Chine—in flesh, peach and white, smartly hair striped with black. Convertible collar and cuffs of white radium silk. \$3.95

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Charmeuse Silks—genuine pebble back weave of exceptionally good quality; evening and street shades. Special, a yard. \$1.95

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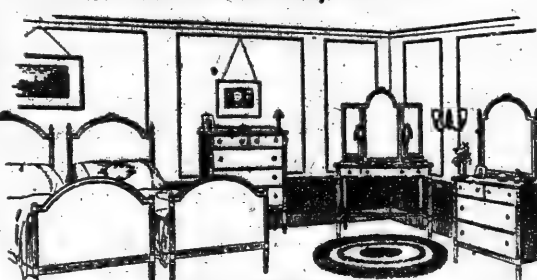
Black Taffeta Silk—fine, firm and lustrous; width 40 inches. Usually \$1.50 a yard. \$98c

Satin Sublime—a soft lustrous dress silk in seventy-five colorings. Width 35 inches; a yard. \$85c

Chiffons, Chiffon Cloths and Crepes in over a thousand shades; at popular prices.
Ground Floor.

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William Morris tells us to "Have nothing in our houses that we do not know to be useful and believe to be beautiful." We might add, and that which will endure, and the Lord & Taylor Furniture would be accurately described.



First Showing
Exclusive Adam Mahogany 4 piece Bed Room Suites. \$295.00
With twin bedsteads as illustrated. \$365.00
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Many Savings In This Furniture Clearaway

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Ivory Enamel (5 pieces), usually \$325.00. \$245.00
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Adam Mahogany (4 pieces), usually \$625.00. \$495.00
Inlaid Mahogany Suite (10 pieces), usually \$1650.00. \$1275.00

Dining Room Suites
Oxford Oak (4 pieces), usually \$465.00. \$232.50
Jacobean Oak (10 pieces), usually \$364.00. \$280.00
Adam Mahogany (10 pieces), usually \$365.00. \$275.00
Jacobean Oak (10 pieces), usually \$807.50. \$585.00
Queen Anne Mahogany (10 pieces), usually \$809.00. \$725.00

Library Suites
Velour—(2 pieces), usually \$305.00. \$225.00
Velour—(2 pieces), usually \$315.00. \$245.00
Velour—(2 pieces), usually \$400.00. \$335.00
Jacobean, covered in velour (4 pieces), usually \$555.00. \$395.00

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\$39.50**

Delightfully picturesque Dancing Frocks of Gros de Londres in lovely shades. Bodice of silver lace is veiled with black tulle and the puff sleeves are caught with pink roses. Below a girle of silver gauze falls the bouffant skirt, draped in pannier fashion and with the new apron effect, so quaint and pretty.

**Afternoon
Gowns
\$19.50**

A conservative model of satin striped Regaline silk, rather tailored in its effect and on very smart lines. The bodice is box pleated, corded and button trimmed and has a military collar and vestee of soft white satin. The skirt features a wing draped tunic in an extremely new and graceful effect.

Misses' Dresses—Specially Priced

Dancing Frocks

Taffetas, chiffons, satin charmeuse and nets, in lovely girlish models with quaint bodice effects of silver lace, of tulle, of delicate creamy laces, adorned with tiny roses, ruffles and frills, gleaming ornaments of crystal and pearl. Skirts of the most graceful and picturesque draped effects.

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Models in which velveteen and silk are smartly combined. Bands of fur effectively finish the cuffs, collar and skirt of a model with blouse and flounce of velvet, and a deep sailor collar of white satin. Plaid silk in green and blue is used with velveteen, with silver braiding adding to its style.

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Fur trimmed and cut on the smartest of new lines, with contrasting peau de cygne linings. \$39.50

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Two distinctive models with large fur collars; richly lined coats of unusually good style. \$50.00

Every Suit and Coat is warmly interlined and finely lined.
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At Very Special Prices

To pay \$135.00 for a Fur Coat and to know that its quality, style and workmanship entitle it to rank with Coats at \$175.00, makes the purchase intensely interesting. The woman who wants a handsome Fur Coat will find it here and at a saving of \$40.00.

Hudson Seal Coats

(dyed muskrat)

**Skunk Trimmed—at the Special Price
\$135.00**

The model will appeal to every woman who knows style. Flaring in its lines, fashioned of full fur, lustrous, perfectly matched pelts, with deep muffler collar, wide cuffs and broad bands of dark skunk fur edging the wide skirt. Richly lined.

Black Lynx

Muffs \$24.50
Scarfs \$24.50

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Muffs \$27.50
Scarfs \$12.50

Blue Fox

(dyed)
Muffs \$47.50
Scarfs \$47.50

Hudson Seal

(dyed muskrat)
Muffs \$17.50
Scarfs \$9.00

Fur trimmings in every fashionable pelt and width.
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HOSIERY FOR WOMEN

Who Demand the Best

Hosiery standard elsewhere may vary, but Lord & Taylor stockings are always of the same excellent quality and give the same thoroughly satisfactory service. Featured for tomorrow.

Exceptional Values

Silk Lisle Hose—fine gauge, sheer, yet durable; black or tan. The usual 50c grade, a pair. 35c
Three pairs for \$1.00.
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Black Silk Hose—extra fine gauge all silk with gold stripe, heel and toe; very special; a pair. \$1.65
Ground Floor.

Fur Trims The NEWEST NEGLIGEEES

And the fur is soft, white, fluffy and so becoming! To the heavy lustrous crepe de chine, it lends added elegance, emphasizing the grace of line which these new models possess in so marked a degree.

Crepe de Chine Negligee—simple but singularly charming in style; has wide wing sleeves, draped to give the new silhouette. Bands of white Thibet form an effective finish. \$10.75

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Lace Trimmed Negligees—of crepe de chine, in a dear little draped coat model, frilled with shadow lace; the flaring skirt is attached to a net bodice. \$10.75

Hand Embroidered Negligees—of crepe de chine, in a quaint Empire model with full shirred skirt; hemstitched collar and cuffs. \$6.95

Albatross Negligees—soft, warm and in simple charming styles. Empire model, hand-embroidered bodice and accordion pleated skirt. \$5.95

Empire model, hand-embroidered bodice with lingerie collar and cuffs; accordion pleated skirt. \$3.95
Second Floor.

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HIGH CUT BOOTS

\$7.00 and \$8.00

Choose from more than 30 styles with the assurance that each is a model of marked distinction. The high tops, the slender lines, give the foot unusual grace. All finishing details are faultless.

Laced and buttoned styles in Patent Leather, Black Glace Kid, Gun Metal, Tan Russia Calf, Glace Blue or Grey Kid.

**Special for Monday
WOMEN'S \$5.00 BOOTS
\$3.95**

Patent or dull calf button boots with black cloth or kid tops. Cuban heels. This season's high top boots in four styles.
Second Floor.

BIG SLIDE MEANS A BETTER CANAL

Gen. Hodges, Former Engineer
on Great Ditch, Sees Dan-
ger Prevention.

CHANNEL WILL BE WIDER

Final Security Is Only a Matter
of Digging Hills Back
Far Enough.

TROUBLE LONG FORESEEN

Details Given of General Goethals's
Great Task in Making
Galliard Cut Safe.

The great slide in Galliard Cut of the Panama Canal which has choked that part of the great isthmian waterway with millions of cubic yards of rock and dirt, until the channel is only about twenty-five feet in width, while the depth has been reduced from forty-five feet to varying depths of from three to fifteen feet, was clearly foreseen as long ago as October of last year. For months before the sudden plung of the great mass into the canal General Goethals, Governor of the Canal Zone, and his associates worked day and night keeping the channel clear, their calculations being such that had the slide continued it was slowly the engineering staff would have been able to free the threatened part of the cut as fast as the dirt and rock came into it.

This statement was made to THE NEW YORK TIMES yesterday by Brig. Gen. H. F. Hodges, U. S. A., who until his promotion to his present rank last year, was Assistant Chief Engineer of the Canal, and who knows every foot of the waterway from the Atlantic to the Pacific terminals. General Hodges, who has kept in close touch with the situation caused as a result of the great slide, talked of the problem confronting General Goethals. For the benefit of the pessimistic, it can be stated that instead of irreparably damaging the canal the great slide will in the end make the canal a safer water course, and when it is removed the danger of a recurrence will, to a great extent, have been eliminated.

General Hodges, who now commands the North Atlantic Coast Artillery District, which embraces all of the fortifications from Fort Totten north to Maine, with headquarters at Fort Totten, talked at his headquarters yesterday with a representative of THE TIMES, while before him were copies of the reports made to the Government by the Panama Canal officials concerning the Galliard Cut slide.

Foreseen Last October.
"What has happened," said General Hodges, "was clearly foreseen as far back as October of last year. That is, we saw that the mass was slowly moving into the prism. It was, of course, impossible to foresee that it would be so suddenly dislodged and plunge in its entirety into the cut, blocking it to traffic and causing the great tie-up that has followed."

"When it was discovered that the rock and earth involved in the slide was moving, the most powerful of dredges were put to work removing the rock and other material as fast as it came into the threatened part of the cut. All went well and the dredges were able to keep the channel comparatively free until in the early part of September, the mass of sliding material suddenly began to move so fast that the block followed. Unfortunately it came with a rush and the dredges were entirely unable to cope with the situation. The result is what the world has since learned and the problem now is to get it out. You may rest assured the problem will be successfully worked out and the Canal, when it is again

clear, will be a better canal than it ever was before.

About 10,000,000 cubic yards of matter were involved in the slide. The fact that it was in motion was, as I have stated, known to the Canal engineers since October of last year. For months, until the sudden rush of September, the movement was very slow. That it was moving could be detected by the dropping particles. The east side of the slide is north of what is known as Gold Hill and north of Contractors' Hill on the west, a part of the western area being the site of the old village of Culebra, now occupied by a part of the Panama Canal garrison, and known as Camp Gaillard.

General Goethals's Big Problem.

"Since Sept. 20 until the present time the slide has been in continuous motion, the length of the channel obstructed being about 1,300 feet. The width at the worst point has been reduced to about 25 feet and the depth to between 3 and 15 feet. The finished width of the channel at the point where the trouble is will be 200 feet, and the depth 45 feet. These figures indicate the size of the problem confronting General Goethals and his men.

"The canal force is now working day and night to free the channel and make possible the reopening of the canal to traffic. The most powerful units in the dredging fleet are being used, among them the powerful fifteen-yard dipper dredges Gamboa and Paraiso, while a third dredge of similar capacity, the Cascadas, which is Philadelphia built, is undoubtedly also at work now. These dredges should be able to take out an average of from 12,000 to 15,000 cubic yards of earth a day each. The dredging work of these powerful vessels, it should be pointed out, is supplemented by smaller dredges, and with all the units at work, the monthly output should be in excess of 1,200,000 cubic yards of material.

"Of course the space is contracted, and it is sometimes difficult to find good positions for all the units of the dredging fleet. The material, as fast as it is dredged out, is loaded into scows and towed about ten miles to the dumping grounds in Gatun Lake. The material is almost entirely of rock. The rock is of a formation which crumbles after a period of exposure to the air. In places this rock is quite hard and blasting is necessary for its removal. Not infrequently the buckets take up masses of rock that are so heavy that in order to remove them from the bucket surface blasting has to be resorted to before the buckets can be freed.

Report on the Great Slide.

At this point General Hodges read portions of a report, the accuracy of which he said he subscribed to and which indicated clearly the tremendous job that now confronts General Goethals. In part this report read:

"This suspension of traffic was the most serious which has occurred since the Canal was blocked in October of last year by Cucaracha slide. In fact, this and the suspension in August have been the only occasions since October, 1914, on which there was complete stoppage of navigation. At other times large vessels have been delayed for several days, but at the same time the vessels of medium draft were sent through without delay. After the elimination of immediate danger at the base of Cucaracha slide the latter dredges were stationed at the base of the east and west Culebra slides, which,

moving toward each other, has made continuous operations on the channel since the opening of the canal to traffic. The dredges were able to keep pace with the encroachment at the time, and even slightly to increase the channel in spite of it; but under occasional accelerations of momentum to the moving masses the material slid into the channel more rapidly than the dredges could excavate it.

The width between the outer limits of the break on opposite sides of the cut is greatest at Station 1,787, where it amounts to 2,975 feet. On the east side the break extends back 1,535 feet from the center line of the channel, and the surface at the outer limit of present breaking is 300 feet above the sea level. The greater part of the movement occurred during the last four hours of the day. On July 1 it was estimated that 5,000,000 cubic yards were in motion on the west bank in this section and 4,000,000 cubic yards on the east bank. From reports in the morning of Sept. 13 the total excavation from the Culebra slides was 2,910,882 cubic yards, and from the cut, 308,127.

An idea of what this quantity means is afforded by comparison with one of the chambers of the canal locks. To fill one of the chambers 1,000 feet long by 110 feet wide to a depth of 12 feet would require 226,323 cubic yards. The 15-yard dipper dredges set a new high record for dredging in hard material in the twenty-four hours ended at 6 A. M. Sept. 22, turning out 15,140 cubic yards. The Panama Canal, made of the same material, has a record of 16,000 cubic yards in the twenty-four hours ended at 6 A. M. Sept. 27.

Situation on Oct. 6.
Another report dated Oct. 6, among other things, says:
"The vigorous work of the men of the dredging division continues. In the twenty-four hours ended at 6 A. M. Oct. 6 the dredges have excavated 17,155 cubic yards, this was an average of 5,728 cubic yards by each of the three shifts, and at the rate of 710 cubic yards an hour.

From reports in the morning of Oct. 6 the period in which navigation has been interrupted by the slide is estimated to have been 17,155 cubic yards, this was an average of 5,728 cubic yards by each of the three shifts, and at the rate of 710 cubic yards an hour.

On Sept. 6 the Gamboa made a run of 12,540 cubic yards, which surpassed anything done on the isthmus before that time in hard material. In the month of September the dredging fleet excavated 1,022,189 cubic yards from the cut, setting a new high record for its work in that section. In addition, 84,098 cubic yards were handled.

Will Be a Better Canal.
"You may rest assured," he replied, "that they will get the best of it, and when they do the excavation will be a prism much larger than the originally proposed canal prism."

"Will it be a better canal after the cut is cleared of the present slide?" was another question asked General Hodges. "Yes, I am sure it will," was his answer.

"And I want to say," General Hodges added, "that what has happened in the Canal Zone proves how absolutely foolish it would have been to have built a sea level canal. A sea level canal would have been eighty-five feet deeper, and that meant a cut that much deeper, and with the creation of a problem the seriousness and extent of which can now be easily appreciated."

"When will the canal be open to navigation again?" was asked.

"I am not ready to answer that question," he said.

The latest report from the canal shows that 83 vessels are tied up awaiting passage. Of these 42 are on the Atlantic and 41 on the Pacific side. The cargo held up on the Atlantic side is 167,000 tons, and on the Pacific side about 189,000 tons.

SUITS WILL FOLLOW LAST PANAMA SLIDE

Shippers' Claims Likely to be
Blocked by Limitation
of Liability.

CANAL TO BE OPEN JAN. 1

Dredges Doing Fast Work in Galliard Cut—Small Vessels May Go Through Before 1916.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PANAMA, Oct. 23.—Shipping agents here said today that their clients in the United States were preparing to make claims for many thousands of dollars against the Panama Canal for losses due to delays and other causes following the recent slide near Galliard (Culebra) Cut. The steamship companies are now gathering information on which to base their claims, which will undoubtedly be very large, although it is impossible now to estimate the total. The officials of the Panama Canal admit that they have received recently many letters regarding the payment of such claims. The answer has been that the United States Government is not responsible for any losses except those that are due to actual damage to ships while in the canal locks, under an act of Congress specifically limiting the nature of claims that may be allowed.

PANAMA, Oct. 23.—Although an official statement is lacking, it has become known that the Panama Canal will again be ready for traffic not later than Jan. 1 next. Major Gen. George W. Goethals, Governor of the Canal Zone, continues to maintain an attitude of reticence, declining to commit himself on any definite date for reopening the canal, in view of the uncertainty of slide conditions in the Galliard Cut. General Goethals expressed gratification today at the progress being made by the dredging fleet, which is coping with a tremendous task, in view of the vast quantity of earth set in motion by the last slide. Although General Goethals would not set a date on which he thought the canal might be reopened, other canal engineers expressed the conviction that a sufficient channel would be obtained considerably before the first of the year which would permit the passage of light draught vessels.

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—At the Panama Canal office here it was said tonight that the various shipping agents reported as intending to bring suit against the Government for losses caused by the closing of the canal by the slides at Galliard Cut would have no ground for action.

The Government, it was said, had never guaranteed that the canal would be continuously open for use and had assumed no obligations that would make it liable for delays in making the passage. All regulations have from the first given full and fair notice of this. There were also many instances of vessels tied up at Gatun and Balboa when the emergency freight rate was made to relieve the situation. Several vessels went back out of the canal and have sailed through the Straits of Magellan or around the Horn. No tolls were required for locking these vessels back out of the canal, and all tolls that were paid by vessels caught by the slide were refunded.

AUTO MAY BETRAY BANDITS.

Disabled Car Resembles That Used in Holdup of Erie Train.

An automobile, resembling that used by the bandits who held up an Erie train at Glen Rock, N. J., Wednesday night, was found yesterday at the Park garage in East Boulevard, Weehawken. The car has a dark green body, and appears to have seen hard usage. It was towed to the garage Friday in a disabled condition by parties unknown to the proprietor, George Cox, or his employees. Cox was absent from the garage, according to his statement, when the car arrived. Repairs were ordered on the car, so employees of the garage told the Weehawken police, and it was to be called for. The only difference between the car and the one reported to have been used by the bandits is in the license number. The bandit car was reported to have had New York license No. 17,600. The car at the Park garage has a New Jersey license of the same number. It is believed that the "N. Y." on the license plate was probably taken for "N. J." through error by those who saw the bandit's car. A patrolman was put on guard at the garage and the police of the men who left the automobile show up and cannot give a satisfactory statement they will be arrested.

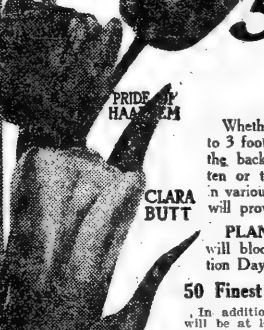
EDITOR FALLS TO DEATH.

Losses, Balance and Drops 14 Feet in Elevator Shaft.

A fall of fourteen feet down an elevator shaft in Hoboken yesterday morning injured Nathaniel S. Phelan, city editor of The Hudson Observer, so badly that he died in St. Mary's Hospital two hours later. Phelan went to The Observer building early and reached for the cable to bring the car to the first floor. He lost his balance and fell to the basement, where the janitor found him unconscious. Phelan lived at 253 Union Street, Jersey City, with his wife and one child. He was 35 years old and well known in newspaper circles throughout New Jersey. He was born and educated in Pawtucket, R. I.

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This name is a sign on 66 separate grocery stores—61 of which are on Manhattan Island and 5 in New Jersey.

The name is also a sign on a big warehouse at 451 to 455 West 125th Street, near Amsterdam Avenue, which is the supply depot for the 66 stores.

What meaning has the name to you?

1. It means quality and purity in everything that is sold to you.
2. It means very fair prices on every standard food article that can be bought in any honest grocery store or that any honest manufacturer makes.
3. It means one price to all and that price spot cash to everybody.
4. It means equal service to all by polite salesmen who take pride in their work and in keeping themselves scrupulously clean.
5. It means a clean store where articles are kept clean all of the time and delivered to customers in a clean manner.

No individual grocery store—no chain of grocery stores—can possibly give a greater variety of pure food articles to the public than the DANIEL REEVES, INC., STORES.

No individual grocery store—no chain of grocery stores—can buy better or sell better than the DANIEL REEVES, INC., STORES.

DANIEL REEVES, INC., keeps pace with what the food manufacturers are doing and with the public's desires in the matter of pure foods.

DANIEL REEVES, INC., is going ahead as fast as possible trying to keep up with the growth of this community.

Fifteen years ago there was only one store at 141st St. and 8th Av. During eleven years the number grew to 35 stores. During the last four years 31 more stores started. Other stores are now in process of being leased.

We guess we will catch up to the growth hereabouts in a year or so, because our stores are prospering and people in neighborhoods want our kind of grocery store. We believe in the neighborhood store—going to the people instead of having them come to us.

As evidence of the fairness of our prices, we mention:

Kirkman's, Gold, or Babbitt's Soap,
7 cakes for 25c.

You know the high standard of these makes of soap.

Hecker's or Gold Medal Flour,
24½ lb. bag, 80c.

We sell no flour privately labeled. It must be a well known and good brand before we will sell it.

Coffee—a Special Blend of South American Coffee, per lb., 19c.

We can recommend this coffee as being good enough for anybody to drink. Roasted and blended in our own warehouse.

Blue Label Catsup 11c
Curry Jams, all flavors 14c
Cream of Wheat 12c
Shredded Wheat Biscuits 10c
Force 10c

All trade-marked articles, you will notice. All standard quality. All sold at an unusually low price. Only great volume of business permits such prices.

Run your eye down the list of the following articles, each one of which will be sold to you at

8 Cents

Beardsley's Shredded Codfish.	Baker's Cocoa (small can).
Cox's or Cooper's Gelatine.	Davis Baking Powder, ½-lb. can.
Domino Pure Cane Syrup.	Electro Silicon.
Dromedary Cocoanut.	Huyler's Cocoa (small can).
Franco-American Readymaid Soups.	Kellogg's Toasted Corn Flakes.
Javelle Water or Washing Fluid.	Muller's Macaroni or Spaghetti.
Log Cabin Syrup.	Olives, plain or stuffed.
Old Dutch Cleanser.	Parson's Ammonia.
Peterman's Roach Food.	Quaker Puffed Wheat.
Quaker Yellow Meal.	Red Seal Lye.
Sunshine 10c Crackers.	Whole Head Rice.
Bon Ami.	20-Mule Team Borax.
Babbitt's Lye.	2 in 1 Shoe Polish.
Durycor Cornstarch.	Pure White or Cider Vinegar (large bottles).

And Here Follows a List of Articles at

4 Cents

Bird Gravel.	Enamel Stove Polish.
Elastic Starch.	Goodman's Noodles.
Lee's No-rub.	Soap Powders (all kinds).
Reckitt's Blue.	Soapine, large package.
Large Bag Salt.	Vulcanol Stove Polish.

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YES SIR! POINT 1 IS—CROWDED WITH FLAVOR



AND POINT 2 IS—VELVETY BODY—NO GRIT



AND ——— POINT 3 IS—CRUMBLE PROOF



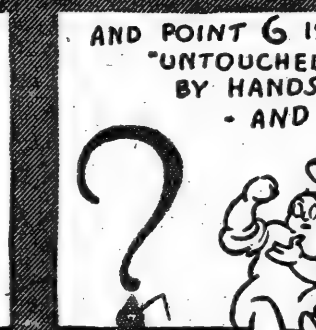
— AND POINT 4 IS—STERLING PURITY



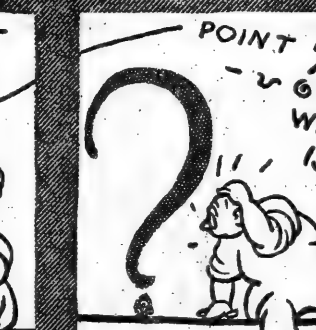
NOW, ——— POINT 5 IS—FROM A DAYLIGHT FACTORY



AND POINT 6 IS—UNTOUCHED BY HANDS—AND



POINT 7 IS—WHAT IS IT?



DO you want to know how good a chewing gum can be when made in the Sterling way?

One package of Sterling Gum will show you. And while you are enjoying its delicious flavor and velvety body you may want to see if you can find that mysterious Point 7.

If so, read points 1 to 6 now:

Point 1—Crowded with flavor
Point 2—Velvety body—NO GRIT
Point 3—Crumble-proof

Point ⑦ What?

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Black and all fashionable
Shades.

10 AMERICAN SHIPS MAY QUIT THE FLAG

Luckenbach Company Says the
Panama Railroad May Force It
to Sell or Change Registry.

VESSELS WORTH \$7,000,000

Charge Made That Freight Rates
on Isthmus Have Been Raised
to a Prohibitive Level.

Announcement was made yesterday by
H. F. Hamilton, traffic manager of the
Luckenbach Steamship Company at 44
Whitehall Street, that the rates made
by the Panama Railroad Company for the
transshipment of freight across the
Isthmus since the closing of the canal
were so prohibitive that unless they
were modified the company would have
to go out of business. The present time
ten steamers of 6,500 tons, each carrying a
crew of fifty all told, said Mr. Hamilton,
and have four new steamers of
11,000 gross tonnage under construction,
which are to be completed next
year. Until the canal was closed, they
were operating a steamer from New
York to San Francisco every seven days,
and starting back eight days after
reaching San Francisco. Since the closing
of the canal it has taken twenty-
five days to land the freight in San
Francisco, which is an additional seven-
teen days at \$1,000 a day, or a total of
\$17,000 for the extra time.

In the first circular issued by the
Panama Railroad Company on Oct. 1,
it was stated that the freight would be
carried across the Isthmus from Pan-
ama to Colon or vice versa at \$3 a ton
inclusive of all charges.

On Oct. 19 a new circular was sent
out by the railroad canceling the pre-
vious rate and giving a classified scale
of rates for transfer without wharfage,
stevedoring, or any of the charges that
had been included in the former \$3 a
ton rate. This meant that our total ex-
penses per ton, including all charges for
loading and unloading, amounted to \$9
a ton, which makes it prohibitive.

"The rates will not be so hard on
foreign vessels because, before the
canal closed, they had to pay for weight
and measurement, and now they they
pay on weight only. Under the new
La Follette Seamen's bill the operation
of an American steamer of 6,500 tons
costs \$2,000 more a month than a foreign
owned ship of the same tonnage."

"We have written to E. A. Drake, the
Vice President of the Panama Railroad,
protesting against the increase in the
railroad tolls, and telegrams have also
been sent to him by the Italian-Swiss
Company of San Francisco, the Guagen-
heimer Company of San Francisco, the
San Francisco Chamber of Commerce,
and many other important commercial
bodies."

All the fruit canning companies
make their contracts including freight
charges in the summer, and we have
been obliged to inform them that we
cannot operate the service and pay the
heavy charges demanded by the rail-
road. If our steamers are taken off it
will mean a loss of millions of dollars
to these companies."

"Edward F. Luckenbach is going to
Washington on Monday to make a final
appeal to Secretary of War Garrison,
and if this does not have any result,
I expect that he will sell the ten steamers
belonging to the Luckenbach Line and go
out of business, or put them under a
foreign flag. These vessels are worth

now about \$7,000,000. It looks as if the
Administration was trying to drive all
American-owned vessels off the sea in
order to demonstrate the necessity for
Government-owned ships to carry the
trade of the United States.

Mr. Hamilton added that the Tehuan-
tepec Ship Railroad was out of commis-
sion and there were 4,800 carloads of
freight waiting at Galveston, which had
been sent from New York for California
on the Mallory steamers, so that the
only way open now was the Straits of
Magellan.

The four new steamers under con-
struction at Fore River and Camden
ship yards, Mr. Hamilton said, are to
be twin screw, oil burning, electric tur-
bine, freight-carrying vessels built on
the latest plans with a speed of fourteen
and a half knots, to make the voyage
to San Francisco (via the Canal) in
nineteen days.

**FIND HARVEY J. HERMAN
DEAD IN PHILADELPHIA**

New Haven Man, Who Was Soon
to Have Married, Commits
Suicide in a Hotel.

Special to The New York Times.
PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 23.—Harvey
J. Herman, adopted son of George M.
Griswold, a wealthy New Haven man-
ufacturer, who vanished last Sunday on
the eve of his wedding, committed sui-
cide today by inhaling gas in a room
at the Hotel Jameson, Broad and Filbert
Streets.

He registered at the hotel on Sunday
as "J. H. Husted, Trenton." He re-
mained in his room almost constantly,
leaving only occasionally to take a walk
around the hotel grounds. The windows
around the doors had been stopped, and
gas was flowing from a jet. When the
clothing was searched only 5 cents in
cash was found.

The body was identified by a wallet
bearing the name "Harvey J. Herman."
Mr. Griswold said that he had been told
of the discovery of the body.

On the day he vanished, Mr. Herman,
who was 34 years old, was supposed to
be going to visit his fiancée, Miss Edith
T. Todd of Waterbury, Conn. When he
failed to arrive at the expected time
a general search for him was begun.
He was Financial Secretary of the
Edgewood Lodge of Knights of Pythias
at New Haven, and the tens of thou-
sands of Knights throughout the coun-
try were asked to aid in the search. His
accounts with the Griswold Company and
the Knights of Pythias were found to
be in excellent shape.

Special to The New York Times.
NEW HAVEN, Oct. 23.—The family of
George M. Griswold of Westville have
accepted the theory that the man who
committed suicide in Philadelphia today
was their foster son, Harvey J. Herman.
Mrs. Griswold said tonight that she felt
confident of that fact. Mr. Griswold is
believed to have gone to Philadelphia.
The Griswolds have believed for sev-
eral days that Mr. Herman did not mean
to go to meet his intended bride in New
York Sunday when he left here. His
conduct made them suspicious, although
they said that they knew of no reason
why he should not have kept his en-
gagement to be married. Mrs. Todd, his
fiancée left the Griswold home here on
Wednesday and has since been at her
home in Waterbury. She has been em-
ployed in an office in Brooklyn for
several months.

Special to The New York Times.
WATERBURY, Conn., Oct. 23.—Miss
Edith Todd, the fiancée of Harvey J.
Herman, is thought to be on her way
to Philadelphia to identify his body.

Her father, J. Eugene Todd, said to-
day:

"We know of no reason why Mr. Her-
man should have committed suicide, nor
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Blouses in Black and White combina-
tions; over chiffon lining. 2.95, 5.00, 6.95 and 8.95

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For Women and Children

Perrin's Two-clasp Gance Gloves,—pique
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White, Tan and Mode. pair 1.50

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wrist; braided embroidery. pair 1.50

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Special, yd. 85c, 95c and 1.15

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STEFANSSON LIVES WELL IN THE ARCTIC

Explorer Writes to Artist Friend That There Is No Dearth of Game.

FOOD FOR MEN AND DOGS

Karluk's Loss Not Irreparable—Intrepid Scientist Hopes to Accomplish Much.

Vilhjalmur Stefansson, explorer, unfolds the secrets of living on the country in the arctic in a letter just received by his intimate friend, E. W. Deming, the artist, who was among those who believed that the intrepid scientist would survive.

Mr. Deming is an ardent sportsman, and the letter to him written with the idea of describing the chance of getting game in the arctic regions also demonstrates the theory which the two men had often discussed, that one who could

shoot and fish could make his way without extensive supplies.

THE NEW YORK TIMES last Friday printed letters from Stefansson which dealt upon the purely scientific aspects of his expedition since the party was left to shift for itself by the drifting away of the Karluk. This one deals with life in the open and tells of the struggle of man against the elements.

Lives "On the Country."

The message written on a leaf torn from the explorer's diary is as follows: West coast of Melville Island, near 75 degrees 30 minutes north.

Dear Mr. Deming: We are here on the way home from an ice trip that has already taken 134 days and will probably run to 170 before we reach again our base at Kellett. So far as the length of the trip in time is concerned it is a pretty good one, thanks to our rifles. We have had today some rather tough muskox meat, and there is a big bull a quarter of a mile away from camp whose feeding and sleeping is undisturbed. The meat and the fat used on the other trip came up to 10,000 pounds. Much of the fat was used for fuel, for we have burnt nothing but blubber for two months now.

There are few who consider themselves sportsmen who are not better shots than I, but there are not many who have made the rifle more useful. But, seal, caribou, muskoxen, have contributed, each in their appropriate environment. We have not yet been on sea nor land where run and dogs cannot live indefinitely "on the country." As for me, I am writing short notes to my friends on spare pages of the back of my diary, for I expect that we will be a winter touching at Kellett's Point about the time we are due to arrive there, about Aug. 10. The time will be too short for letters then. My diary is not rich in blank pages, and I have not much time. These short notes are written merely to show I am remembering my friends. For most of those who gather at your house this one note will have to serve.

Please remember me to them and say that luck has not been entirely unkind.

Karluk's Program Carried Out.

We seem to be in a fair way to accomplish a considerable part of the Karluk's program and most of what I hoped since she went adrift. Of her men, I know yet nothing beyond Bartlett's safe return and the supposed safety of the others on Wrangell Island. We still have a year's work ahead, and then I hope to come south and see you at the lodge and sit in the empty chair. I shall write to Mrs. Deming at least, and to one of those at the Museum. With best regards,

V. STEFANSSON.

Herschel Island, via Edmonton, Alberta, care of the N. W. M. Police.

A portion of the letter was read at a meeting of the Explorers' Club last Friday night as part of a celebration of the news of the safety of a fellow member and it was much discussed by the members.

Mr. Deming said yesterday that he and Mrs. Deming expected to go up to Alaska next summer and be at Nome in the autumn to meet Mr. Stefansson and welcome him back from the wilds of snow. Mr. Deming meanwhile would devote his waiting time to painting among the Indian tribes, he said.

Letter to General Hubbard.

John Hubbard, son of the late General Thomas H. Hubbard, has given Times permission to publish the following letter to his father from the explorer, who, because of the lack of communication, had not heard of General Hubbard's death.

West Coast of Banks Island, Near Lat. 73° 45' N.

Dear General Hubbard: I have heard that in dropping 100 feet to their death men review the size of a lifetime.

I landed here a week ago from a ninety-six-

day trip across the ice from Alaska, on which (because of accidents near the start) our food and fuel gave out over forty days before we eventually made land. You will guess that there were times of uncertainty and discomfort, especially when water lanes impeded and contrary currents and winds carried us faster away from land than we could travel toward it, but I hope you will be glad to know that the pleasant memory of your kindness to me in New York when I came home the Fall of 1912 was among the most cheering of the mental resources I had to draw upon, and that—like the winner falling to his death—I kept thinking that I had failed perhaps in telling you clearly how much I valued the "note of confidence" you gave me. Heaven knows when I will get a chance to send it to you some time, but I hope it will get to you some time to tell you that I at least remember your kindness.

We have had much hard luck, but we have finished a trip more difficult than I had and shall continue to fight misfortune with what courage we have.

VILHJALMUR STEFANSSON.

CASUALTY ACTUARIES MEET.

Elect Officers and Hear Papers Read at Second Annual Session.

The Casualty Actuarial and Statistical Society of America ended its second annual two days' meeting at the Hotel Astor yesterday. The officers elected were:

President, I. M. Rubinow; Vice Presidents, A. H. Mowbray and B. D. Flynn; Secretary-Treasurer, C. E. Scattergood; Librarian-Editor, Richard Pondell; Members of Council, H. D. Ryan and J. H. Woodward.

Papers were read by E. E. Conmack, Aetna Life Insurance Company; Dr. B. H. Downey, statistician, Industrial Commission of Wisconsin; Arno Fisher, Equitable Life Insurance Company; Dr.

Charles S. Forbes, Casualty Company of America; Fred S. Garrison, Travelers' Indemnity Company; G. F. Mohlhauser, Workmen's Compensation Service Bureau; A. H. Mowbray, Massachusetts Employers' Insurance Association; Herbert M. Wilson, Director of Department of Inspection and Safety, Associated Companies; Buckner Speed of the Western Electric Company, and Walter I. King, Columbian National Life Insurance Company.

The society endeavors to do in the casualty insurance world what the Actuarial Society does for the life insurance world. Its membership includes 140 Fellows and 13 Associate Members.

RAILROAD STRIKE SPREADS.

Freight Handlers of N. Y., N. H. & H. and B. & A. Join B. & M. Men.

BOSTON, Oct. 23.—Freight handlers of the New York, New Haven & Hartford and the Boston & Albany Railroads joined the Boston & Maine Railroad employees in a strike here today for an increase in wages, and pay for holidays.

Union leaders claimed that 3,000 men employed by the three roads were out. The New Haven and the Boston & Albany forces went out at noon, after Mayor Curley had made an unsuccessful effort to bring about an agreement at a conference of the representatives of both sides.

The Boston & Maine declined to take part in the conference on the ground that it could not submit to the methods adopted by the men. The company also claimed that it had 250 new handlers at work, and that it expected to have its freight terminals in normal working condition before the middle of next week.

DROWNED WOMAN IDENTIFIED Was Divorced Wife of F. P. Wilcox of International Silver Company.

The woman's body taken from the Christopher Street ferry slip at the Lackawanna Station in Hoboken on Thursday morning was identified yesterday as that of Mrs. Katherine Wilcox, the divorced wife of Frederick P. Wilcox, a Director of the International Silver Company of Meriden, Conn., and General Manager of the company's New York store. The identification was made by James North, President of the American Silver Company, of New Britain, Conn., and an uncle of Mrs. Wilcox. He was summoned by telegram from New Britain when a slip of paper bearing his name and address was found on Mrs. Wilcox's body.

Neither Mr. North nor any one at Mr. Wilcox's home, 69 West Eighty-fifth Street, knew yesterday where Mrs. Wilcox had lived recently, how long she had been missing from her home. It was determined by the tragedy and body had been in the water a week, but whether her death was accidental or

Mrs. Wilcox, who was a Miss North, was married fifteen years ago to Mr. Wilcox, who is a cousin of George H. Wilcox of Meriden, Conn., President of the International Silver Company, a \$20,000,000 corporation. She left her husband after eighteen months and brought a suit for divorce a year and a half later.

Mrs. Wilcox was at his estate in Bangall, Dutchess County, yesterday when she was found. She had said that he had not seen his wife since the divorce. Mrs. Wilcox was about 40 years old and had one son, Mr. North, who was well-to-do in her own name.

DENY GIRL WAS A SUICIDE. Anna Lamey's Tragical Death Has Made Mother Critically Ill.

The funeral of Miss Anna Lamey, 25 years old, formerly telephone operator in the Maxim Restaurant, who was killed by falling or jumping from a window on the tenth floor of the Paterno Apartments, 440 Riverside Drive, Manhattan, on Thursday morning, will be held from the dead girl's home, 14 West Twentieth Street, Elmhurst, at 2 o'clock this afternoon and burial will be in Calvary Cemetery. Members of the Lamey family said yesterday that the girl did not commit suicide as reported by the police, but that death was due to heart failure from which she suffered frequent attacks.

They said, also, that the Manhattan apartment was hired by Mrs. Lamey and that the family intended to move there for the winter owing to the irregular hours Miss Lamey was compelled to keep owing to her position. They also said that the girl's mother was so overcome by the tragedy and the stories circulated concerning her dead daughter that she was critically ill.

MRS. MAGEE GETS DIVORCE. May Settle Her \$50,000 Suit Against Her Husband's Parents.

A final decree of divorce for Mrs. Florence D. Magee from Belmont E. Magee of Great Neck has been signed by Justice Callaghan in the Brooklyn Supreme Court. Mrs. Magee is living with her father, Frank D. Deems, in Madison Avenue, Flushing. She charged her husband with unfaithfulness, and obtained an interlocutory decree of divorce from Justice Blackmar in the Queens County Supreme Court three months ago, and Justice Callaghan's order now makes this decree final.

The decree separates the children, giving the son Aubrey, 5 years old, to the custody of his father, while Dorothy, 2 years old, is given to the mother.

To Mrs. Magee is also given \$30 a month for the support of her child. It is said that a suit for \$50,000 damages which Mrs. Magee instituted against her husband's parents, charging them with alienating her husband's affections, will probably be settled out of court. Magee's father is a wealthy builder in Great Neck.

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Skunk trimmed Hudson Seal Coats, 45 inches long, full flared Skirt, at \$125.00

Choker collar, cuffs and border around entire bottom of coat of fine skunk.

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NEW INDUSTRIAL ERA ROCKEFELLER'S AIM

Hopes to See Stockholders, Directors, Officers, and Men
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THEIR INTERESTS IDENTICAL

Call Corporation a Four-Sided
Table Which Must Be Square
and Must Stand Level.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., seeing in perspective his new plan for the cooperation of labor and capital, believes that it will be workable and efficient. He consented yesterday for the first time since his return from the Colorado mines to discuss at the invitation of THE NEW YORK TIMES in detail why he went and what he had accomplished. He said frankly that he did not consider this industrial representation project to be perfect, but that if it were taken up by both labor and capital in the proper spirit, he believed it would help to solve one of the vexed questions of the day.

Mr. Rockefeller, it will be remembered, spent three weeks among the mining camps of the Colorado Fuel & Iron Company, of which he is a Director, and in which his father, John D. Rockefeller, and he are largely interested. He went into the mines, met the miners as man to man, learned of their work, their grievances, and their life in general. On Oct. 2 he presided at a joint meeting of officers and employees held at Pueblo, Colo., that now memorable "memorandum of agreement" respecting employment and living and working conditions in which some economists see the rise of a new public of labor and capital.

Many inquiries have been received at Mr. Rockefeller's office in the Standard Oil Building, 26 Broadway, concerning the plan, and numerous requests have been made by other corporations for copies of the pamphlet in which it is described.

Every corporation, according to the view of Mr. Rockefeller, is like a square table, with its four sides—its stockholders, its directors, its officers, and its men—must be square and on the level. The four parties to the agreement, who put up the money which provides the plant; the Directors who see that the chief officers of the company are men of good character; the officers who conduct the current operations; and last, although by no means least, the employees who contribute their skill and labor.

"The interest of these four parties," he said, "is common. An effort to advance one interest at the expense of another means loss to all, and sooner or later disaster must follow."

The plan provides that at each of the mining camps of the company, employees shall select from their number representatives to act for them with respect to employment, working and living conditions, the adjustment of differences, and such other matters as the mutual interests within the industry may determine. The employees under this plan, which they have already accepted by a large majority vote, will hold an annual meeting called at the direction of the President of the company. The corporation has already agreed, no matter what fluctuations there may be in the price of coal and no matter what reductions others may make, not to reduce the scale of wages during the life of the agreement which runs until Jan. 1, 1918, and in the event of an increase in wages in any competitive field to make a like increase. The right to hire and discharge, the management of the properties, the direction of the working forces, is vested entirely in the company, except as expressly restricted. Employees shall not be discharged without warning, and a copy of that warning is to be sent to them and to the President of the company at the same time, thus providing ample opportunity for discussion and review.

Must Visit the Camps.

Under the plan, the President has an industrial representative who shall respond promptly to any request from the representatives of the employees for his presence, and shall visit each camp at least once every three months. There is a regular course in which complaints are to be made, and a system of appeals through which any worker, if he wishes, may reach the highest officer of the company. A special arrangement is made to protect representatives of the employees against discrimination. The plan provides that the employees shall choose their representatives by a secret ballot. The cost of administering the plan is to be borne entirely by the corporation. The agreement also provides for an eight-hour day for all men working in the mines, and rent, light, water, the price of powder, the removal of garbage, fencing of employees' yards, bath houses, social centers, the payment of wages, are all considered in the agreement.

Such in brief, is the method which is the result of several years of study on the part of Mr. Rockefeller. It was considered before the strike was called off and its details were worked out by him with the co-operation of his associates, the officials of the company, and the best obtainable expert. Even before the strike the germ of this plan had begun to develop, and it is Mr. Rockefeller's hope that the fundamental principle of fair play and mutual consideration which underlies the plan, may find acceptance in every industry throughout the country. It is his determination with it, and it is the people of the State, to see that there is no further strike in the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company.

Corporation a Family.

"The Industrial Representation Plan," said Mr. Rockefeller yesterday, "is based on the idea that the corporation is a family. The interests of stockholders, of directors, of officials, and of workers are identical. The members of a family cannot be at war. They cannot be in hostile camps considering what they may do separately. It has been said of this plan that it does not provide for the interests of the employees. Why should it specifically contemplate such a necessity? Are not all who are connected with a corporation partners in the enterprise? Are not their interests common interests? Yet there is nothing which prohibits the meeting when they may desire to talk over their affairs. As a matter of fact they can have all the meetings they like. The success of the plan will depend entirely upon the spirit in which it is operated. It is labor and capital take it up from the point of view of their common good and adapt it to the varying conditions there seems to be every reason why it should succeed."

The reason before the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company is so to interrelate the different elements in the company that the best interests of all will be constantly conserved. The wage earners, seeing the situation as it is, must say and will say only what is a square deal, we only want what is our fair proportion of return from this corporation. We will do our best to make it a success because we know that our success is dependent upon the success of all our partners. Our interest is to have every man who works for us realize that we are his friends, not his enemies, that there is no reasonable thing that he may want to talk about which we will not gladly discuss with him, explain, and do. The Directors, on their part, must give their best energies and efforts to devising policies for the interest of all.

Not a Panacea.

"The plan," continued Mr. Rockefeller, "is not a panacea, and it has never been recommended as a cure for all ills. It is far from perfect, and yet I believe that it is a step in the right direction. As labor and capital come to understand

each other better, as officers and men know each other, and work in a friendly spirit, the plan should constantly develop. It is sufficiently elastic to meet changes in conditions. Although it guarantees the men a definite wage until 1918, no matter what changes there may be in the market, it gives freedom of action in the meantime for natural development in practically every direction.

How will it affect the unions? "There is nothing in it," Mr. Rockefeller said, "which is in any way hostile to labor organizations. There is no discrimination whatever against the unions, and a man is free to join them or not as he likes. There is nothing to prevent a union man from holding office as a representative of the men if he is duly elected to that position. The number of union men varies at the different camps. At one camp they may predominate; at another there will be comparatively few. This is to be a sort of republic of labor in which every citizen is to be free and independent. There is no discrimination against any man by reason of his affiliations. It is the duty of the company to be fair to all. It is quite possible that the unions would gain greater influence in the camps of the company than they now have."

Asked how he had been impressed by the labor leaders he had met, he replied:

Found Union Leaders Earnest.

"At first, before I had met any of them, I admit that I was somewhat prejudiced against them because of what I had heard and accounts I had read in the newspapers concerning labor troubles and deeds of violence. In strikes it often happens that both sides in the excitement of controversy do things which they afterward regret. As I have come more in contact with labor leaders, and I have talked with many of them in recent months, they have made me change my opinion. I have learned that they are earnest men having the interests of their constituents at heart. After all, there is between some of them and those who see as I do merely a difference of opinion as to method. The labor leaders believe that they can solve problems of the industry through their organization, while we have here evolved a plan which we believe will be of service to all classes. And yet we are not so committed to the details of this plan but that changes can be made at any time."

What did you think of the Colorado workers themselves as you came in contact with them? "I am glad of the opportunity of meeting them," he replied. "The majority of the workers in the mines are alert, intelligent, and are ready to understand the industrial developments of the day. I talked with them, visited them in their homes, and I feel that I came to know them. The conditions under which they live are not what I had expected to find. In some of the camps they are doing exceptionally well. I sat at dinner one day with a negro on one side of me and a Slav on the other. The negro was in a happy frame of mind for the day that he was making \$150 a month in the mines, and was able to support his family in good style, and that he was thoroughly enjoying life. In some of the camps I found that miners, not foremen, but the workers themselves, had automobiles of their own, and community centers have been built to house their machines. I noticed in one of the papers that it was stated that I had spent the night in the 'lean to' of one of the miners with his family."

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At the office of the State Superintendent of Elections, 47 West Forty-second Street, yesterday afternoon it was said that Maher's arrest was only one step in a campaign that is to be waged vigorously against election frauds this year. Already there have been several arrests of persons whom the inspectors at the State Superintendent's office classed as "tools." Arrests among the "men higher up" may be expected, it was said.

In a statement given out yesterday at the State Superintendent's office after Maher's arrest the following assertion was made:

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Assumes Responsibility for Life and Property Everywhere in Mexico.

EVEN IN VILLA TERRITORY

Washington Does Not Credit Story of Felix Diaz Leading 40,000 Zapatistas.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Announcement today that the de facto Government of Mexico, General Carranza, is the executive head of the Government, and that he assumes responsibility for the lives and property of foreigners in all parts of Mexico.

There are sections of Sonora and Chihuahua which the Carranzas do not control, but which are controlled by the Villistas. Carranza has indicated that it may be difficult to grant protection to foreigners in the territory not under his control, but he is nevertheless giving guarantees that he will hold himself responsible for the lives and property of all foreigners.

Pending the extension of Carranza's control over Mexico the de facto Government is arranging for municipal elections, in anticipation of general elections to be held later. An official announcement by the State Department dealing with these phases of the Mexican situation was issued by Secretary Lansing as follows:

"The State Department is informed that General Carranza has stated that responsibility for property and lives of foreigners will be assumed throughout the Republic, but that this will be somewhat difficult for the time being in those districts not yet under his control. It is stated that during the fighting in the North he will not endeavor to call general elections. Municipal elections will be called first, in order that the official election may later supervise the general elections in adopting decrees and reforms already promulgated. After that time will come elections for Governors of States. It is stated that the so-called pre-constitutional period will last a year, more or less."

A report from Torreon says the Carranzas have taken Guaymas, with 250 prisoners, from the Villista forces.

The State Department is informed that the forces of the de facto Government of Mexico have evacuated Naco, and that the town has been occupied by Urvaitejo, with a force of eight hundred men.

Reports from the Sonora border indicate that Villa troops are entering into the Bavispe district. The department is advised that General Menendez of the Villa forces, who is in command of the district in which there mine is located, is reported to be protecting the lives of Americans. The Villa mine is mine, but permitting his forces to seize all provisions, horses, and mules.

Before leaving Washington to fight for Saltillo, Mexico, to confer with General Carranza, his Washington special agent, Señor Gilio Arredondo, said: "Reactionary elements in Mexico have put in circulation rumors and statements, bearing a certain air of verisimilitude, that more or less onerous stipulations would be imposed by the United States and the Latin-American powers. At no time during the negotiations was an attempt made to state any burdensome objections on the new Government which might have hindered the carrying out of its program of reforms."

General Carranza, through Arredondo, addressed a note today to the United States and the other American republics which have recognized his Government, expressing his appreciation of their action and announcing that diplomatic representatives soon would be accredited to the various countries. General Carranza declared it was the purpose of his Government to establish cordial relations with all countries.

State Department officials today admitted hearing a rumor from Juarez attributed to Villa officials that Felix Diaz had been taken to El Tigre, a town in New York three days ago.

Messages also were received from Mexico City by the Carranza agency stating that the Zapatistas have disintegrated into small bands.

TO CONNECT RINTELEN WITH MEXICAN REBELS

Federal Grand Jury Working on Passport Case Hears Evidence Against German.

It became known yesterday that the Federal Grand Jury, which recently found an indictment against Andrew D. Meloy on a charge of attempting to get fraudulently a passport for Franz Rintelen, was still at work on the matter, and that evidence had been produced tending to show that Rintelen was connected with the Mexican counter-revolutionaries. For some time the Government has been acting on the supposition that German money was used to keep

the Mexican trouble alive and that Rintelen knew a good deal about it. From the fact that one of the witnesses in the case had been a member of the Federal Grand Jury, it is an employee of the Rock Island passenger department. It was learned that the Government has reason to suspect that there was some connection between Rintelen and General Victoriano Huerta, who was arrested in El Paso on suspicion of being a traitor, but who more trouble in Mexico. The railroad man admitted knowing Rintelen and Meloy as mining men of Mexico.

As one of the many rumors flying about identified Rintelen, with as many as eight of the Mexican factions, and as Mexicans in this city have asserted that he had been entrusted with very large sums to keep them supplied with arms and munitions, and that if his plans worked out they might involve an expenditure of as much as \$200,000, the Federal authorities investigated the office that Rintelen occupied as Fred Hansen at 67 William Street. It was learned by them that certain of his papers had been deposited with the Transatlantic Trust Company and an official of that concern has been one of the witnesses examined.

The German with Huerta seemed to come from the fact that the Government had several times seen him in the office of the Grand Jury General Mondragon, a member of the Transatlantic Trust Company, with his secretary at the Mexican boarding house, 104 West Sixty-fourth Street, but when he was sought there yesterday it appeared that he had left hurriedly for Spain, as he had learned by cable that his wife was ill. His secretary said that the General had never himself come into contact with Rintelen, but that all negotiations had been carried on with him through a third party.

The agents of the Department of Justice who have been working on the Mexican matter, were surprised yesterday when they heard the General was gone, but his friends were certain that the Washington officials were notified of his leaving.

Other witnesses before the Federal Grand Jury have been J. C. Hammond and Dr. Carl Schimmel of the Ballard Advertising Company at the Marbridge Building, at Broadway and Thirty-fourth Street. They are supposed to have been associated with the pro-German propaganda in this country, and Dr. Schimmel has been mentioned in the efforts to purchase from the Government its stock of discarded Krag-Jorgensen rifles.

Reports that Rintelen was one of the spies shot in the Tower of London have been denied, and it is believed that he is safe under guard in a detention camp in England.

TEXANS ASK PROTECTION. Otherwise They Threaten to Cross Rio Grande After Stolen Cattle.

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, Oct. 23.—Ranchmen living along the Rio Grande near McAllen, fifty miles west of here, today appealed to Governor Ferguson for protection for their lives and property. If this cannot be had, their appeal says, they ask immunity from prosecution in order that they may, at their own risk, cross the Rio Grande and get back property stolen from them and taken to Mexico. They alleged that more than 100 head of cattle had been stolen within a few miles of Hidalgo, Texas, within a week and taken across the Rio Grande.

Lieutenant H. P. Johnson of Troop B, Third Cavalry, this morning, near McAllen, four miles up the river from here, arrested three Mexicans on suspicion. They were held for further investigation in connection with the train wreck and robbery Monday night. Five Mexicans are now held on suspicion, three by military authorities and two by the county.

SUES FOR SAVING SHIP.

Owner of Hesperides Wants Share in Melderkin and Cargo.

The narrow escape of the steamer Melderkin in a hurricane on Sept. 18 is brought up in a suit entered yesterday in the Federal District Court by the British & American Steam Navigation Company, Limited, through its counsel, Converse & Kiriloff, of 27 William Street.

The Navigation Company owns the Hesperides, a British vessel of 3,392 tons register, which, as it was making for this country on Sept. 18 with a general cargo from Montevideo, fell in between Haiti and Porto Rico with the Melderkin, which is a Norwegian ship of 2,961 tons. The Melderkin had lost her propeller ten days before and was in great need of assistance. The Hesperides took her in tow, held on to her while a West Indian hurricane was blowing, and brought her safely to anchor at Tybee Roads, off Savannah. Thence the Norwegian was brought here by tug.

The cargo of the Melderkin consisted of coffee of the value of \$1,600,000. It is claimed, and the suit is brought against her to recover cost of towing her \$20 miles, which took ten days, and a suitable recompense to Captain Edward C. Lee of the Hesperides and his crew for saving her from wreck.

TO ARGUE SCHMIDT APPEAL.

Counsel of Anna Aumuller's Slayer to Ask for New Trial.

A final effort to save the life of Hans Schmidt, the priest who was sentenced to the electric chair in February, 1914, for the murder of Anna Aumuller, a servant, will be made before the Court of Appeals tomorrow, when the defendant's counsel, Alphonse Koehn, will present a motion for a new trial. Assistant District Attorney Taylor will insist on the affirmation of the conviction. Owing to legal obstacles and technicalities the execution of his sentence, which was originally set down for March, 1914, has been put off.

W. H. P. PHYFE LEFT ESTATE OF \$193,679

Authority on Pronunciation Got an Annual Income from His Books.

INVESTED IN REAL ESTATE

Had Railroad Bonds and Contracts for Books as Well as Claims Against Publishers.

William Henry P. Phylle, author of "13,000 Words Often Mispronounced," left an estate of \$193,679 when he died on March 7, according to the ap-

praisal filed in the office of the State Controller yesterday by Transfer Tax Appraiser Campbell.

The author left no will, and accordingly, under the law, his widow, Mrs. Edith B. Phylle, receives \$16,740, while the two children, Henry P. and Churchill B., each receive \$38,470.

The assets are grouped: Realty, \$123,488; stock and bonds, \$42,882; cash, \$5,376; estimated value of contracts for books, \$4,500; and claims against G. P. Putnam, \$1,815.

The realty is itemized as half interest in each of the following: 22 West Seventy-first Street, \$30,000; 145-47 East Fortieth Street, \$20,350; 380-71 Bowers, \$14,850; 191 Fulton Street, \$12,000; 12 East Forty-third Street, \$10,500; and 379 Bowers, and 202 to 208 Fifth Street, \$93,750, making a total of \$220,350. However, the appraisal valuation was reached by subtracting from this total the widower's dower right and certain mortgages against the property.

The securities are itemized at these valuations: 22 bonds of the Gulf & Ship Island Railroad Company, \$19,451; 10 bonds of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, \$10,210; 15 bonds of the Louisville & Arkansas Railway Company, \$13,285.

There are also mentioned in the Putnam's, the publishers of the author's books, to the effect that in one year Mr. Phylle received an in-

come of \$2,000 from his books, but that for five years past the income ranged from \$100 to \$1,000 yearly.

MRS. MOORE LEFT \$793,000.

Asks Heirs to Care for Her Invalid Son as a Sacred Duty.

Mrs. Mary P. Moore, who was the widow of Edward C. Moore, and died Feb. 13, left a net estate of \$793,775, according to the appraisal of the estate, filed in the office of the State Controller yesterday by Transfer Tax Appraiser Campbell.

The sons, Edward C. and John C., receive \$284,593 each, and the granddaughters, Agnes Moore Alaux, Millie Moore Caudery, and Louise and Hilda Moore get \$66,148 each. There is no provision in the will for the third son, Horace, who, the instrument recites, was amply provided for by his father. Horace, the widow says in her will, has been an invalid for years, and she expressed the wish that his relatives will regard it as a sacred duty to see to his welfare.

The assets included 151 West Fifty-second Street, appraised at \$35,000; cash, \$23,165; jewelry, \$8,226; stocks and bonds, \$757,904. The securities included

2,400 shares of preferred stock of the Atchafalaya, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad, appraised at \$231,000; 1,400 shares of preferred stock of the American Tobacco Company, \$148,000; and 2,100 shares of United States Steel preferred, \$220,500.

CHARGE BOY WITH SHOOTING

Guardian Alleges Attempt to Kill—Youth Wants to Go to Sea.

Josquin Orrantia, 17 years old, who says his father is the Colombian Consul at London, was arrested on Friday night at 110 West Sixty-fourth Street by Detective E. T. Morse of Nassau County and is now in the county jail at Mineola, held for examination on Monday on a charge that he fired two shots at Louis G. Guell and his wife of Floral Park in their home on Oct. 6. The youth says he was in New York on that day and will be able to prove it. Orrantia says he was brought to this country a year ago by Guell, into whose care he was intrusted by his father. He was entered in Fordham University, but Greek and Latin were distasteful, and he wanted to quit and follow the sea.

WANTS \$383,000 TAXES BACK

Southern Pacific Says Income Had Been Turned Into Capital.

The Southern Pacific Company brought suit yesterday in the Federal District Court through its counsel, Gordon Buck of 185 Broadway, against John Z. Lowe, Jr., Collector of Internal Revenue in this district, to recover income taxes amounting to \$383,687.76, with interest, which had been assessed on it under the law of March 30, 1914.

It contends that the income on which the tax was levied had by the time the act was passed become capital, and that it would be unconstitutional to impose a direct tax upon it without apportionment among the several States, according to their population.

Dr. Jordan to Speak on Peace.

President David Starr Jordan of Leland Stanford University, who has just arrived in this city from the International Peace Congress, held two weeks ago at San Francisco, will speak today at the Mount Morris Baptist Church, Fifth Avenue and 128th Street, at 10 A. M.

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Poland's paean of defiance—this was its song of despair, and yet of triumph, triumph in the right that might can never trample.

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THE UNRECORDED SHIPPING TRADE.

How sharper than the serpent's
tooth are the resolutions of the ship-
ping trade repudiating the benevo-
lence of the Secretary of the
Treasury! Even while he was elab-
orating in San Francisco, on his swing
"round the circle, the benefits to be
derived from freighters as naval
auxiliaries, the National Association
of Manufacturers was denouncing the
legislation causing the trouble which
the Secretary seeks to remedy with-
out removing the cause. In San
Francisco the Secretary argued that
if the Seamen's Bill made shipping
on the Pacific unprofitable it was all
the more necessary that the Govern-
ment should replace the vessels with-
drawn for that reason. In his own
words,

such service should be provided under
our flag, and if private capital cannot
afford to provide it because it in-
volves a loss, the Government should
provide the service and take the loss
for the general welfare of all the
people and for the protection of our
trade and prosperity, especially when
the vessels for such service have been
part of the naval auxiliaries essential
to the national defense.

The Secretary was not ashamed to
repeat that the Pacific Mail sold its
ships to make a profit, and added that
if the Government shipping proposal
had only been enacted the "Ship-
ping Board undoubtedly would have
bought and kept them in the Pa-
cific trade." In that case the
Atlantic trade, which is the most
urgent trade there is, would have
missed their transfer, and general
trade would have suffered more by
their loss on the Atlantic than it does
by their disappearance from the Pa-
cific. It is regretted that Japanese
steamships are carrying the trade
which used to be carried by American
vessels, but it is being carried, and
conditions on the Pacific are better
than on the Atlantic. If the Shipping
Board had meddled in the Secretary's
manner it would have done more harm
than good to trade.

Along with the Secretary's speech
on the Pacific Coast, where it is not
thought persuasive, appear the resolu-
tions of the Manufacturers' Associa-
tion adopted on the Atlantic Coast,
and denouncing as pernicious the law
which the Secretary defended so
curiously by arguing that the Govern-
ment should make good the dam-
age it does. The resolutions are as
long as an indictment, and bring to-
gether the criticisms with which the
country is too familiar to justify their
repetition. The sum and substance
of the matter is that the "Natio-
nal Association of Manufacturers,"
"speaking for many thousands of
members engaged in foreign com-
merce and peculiarly dependent for
its success upon the existence and
successful operation of American-
owned ships, respectfully urges upon
Congress the careful reconsidera-
tion, with a view to substantial
"amendment or repeal," of the act
which the Secretary seeks to keep
alive by correcting its effects by the
use of tax money.

Washington believes that Congress
at present is disposed to be more re-
sponsive to the Secretary than to the
shipping trade. It is declared by the
prophets that instead of amending or
repealing the Seamen's Bill the Govern-
ment Shipping Bill will be revived
in a form adapted to meet the objec-
tions previously fatal. It is proposed
to limit it to Latin-American trade,
or, perhaps, also the Oriental trade,
to silence objections that Government
shipping is destructive to private
competition. If the objection is at all
serious, it is as serious for the Latin-
American trade as for any other. It
is a curious argument that proposals
which blight other trades would
benefit the Latin-American and
Oriental trades. It is further pro-
posed that the Government shall
withdraw when trade lines are es-
tablished. That is an admission that
Government shipping will prevent
private shipping, and a proposal that
the remedy of withdrawal shall be
administered after the death of the

patent. There is a further proposal
that there shall be a Maritime Com-
mission analogous to the Interstate
Commerce Commission or the Fed-
eral Trade Commission. It is not
an enticing suggestion, considering
the condition of our railways and
the inaction of the Federal Trade
Commission. The country is weary of
commissions. They stand revealed
not as a device for accomplishing
anything, but for concealing the in-
capacity of the Government to con-
ceive of what ought to be done or
how to do it. Congress has not made
a record on the shipping question
entirely to its credit. A shipping com-
mission could do no worse, and might
do nothing. If that is support of the
commission idea, Congress might pro-
ceed with its abdication, and the
country perhaps fare better.

THE SUFFRAGE PARADE.

Is Dame Nature a suffragist? At
any rate, she was kind yesterday. In
golden sunlight and keen air the
great parade went its triumphal way,
to the satisfaction of participants and
spectators. With no disrespect to the
men in it, the female marchers and
riders, as always, showed the hope-
less feminine superiority in grace,
decorative effect, art of representa-
tion. American men seem to be
rather shamefaced, at least self-con-
scious, in political processions. It is
by numbers, and not by distinction of
appearance, that such great parades
of men as those of the campaigns of
1884 and 1896, for example, impress
the crowd. And, in non-political
demonstrations, why does a Govern-
ment's horse insist on proceeding or
halting at right angles to the sidewalk
and his embarrassed rider's will?
How few public men can bestride a
steed with the fine, handsome, easy
air of the late Governor Wolcott of
Massachusetts.

Whereas yesterday every girl or wo-
man on horseback looked a DI Vernon,
and every girl or woman footed it as
feet as Camilla. A comely, digni-
fied show, in which distinguished
middle, and noble old, age were not
wanting. The men, apparently un-
numbered six or eight to one, march-
ed sturdily and bravely. But the
crowd had eyes only for the fairer
part of that bright company. Were
ever so many banners fluttering?
Has there been before—and some
multi-colored splendid suffragist pa-
rades, day and night, have been seen
in this town—such a blaze and bril-
liance of hue, turning Fifth Avenue
into a sort of theatre of enchant-
ments? Green, white, blue, yellow,
purple, and what not. It is not for
man to put his foot in colors, still
less to utter awkwardly the mascu-
line bewildered but honest delight at
the kaleidoscope on foot, on horse, in
automobiles, the simplicities, varie-
ties, and panoramic succession of
frocks, the fine living history of wo-
man suffrage in the world, the fig-
ured States, Victory, Justice, and
Equality made charming actualities,
Freedom "delicately marching" as
she did in Athens, the quarter of a
thousand girls carrying that enormous
Votes for Women flag, the bewitching
squadron of female cavalry, the
happy, smiling children, the yellow
and other cars, aflame with suffrage
blazonry. Yellow, by the way, is
Morning's badge, "the saffron-col-
ored" Morning, isn't it? And so of
Hope.

The spectacle was enjoyed by a
great multitude. Nobody who had
the good fortune to see it is likely to
forget it. It was a well-ordered series
of pictures, of seemingly movement, more
poem than procession. In dwelling
on the aesthetic side of it, we don't
forget the evident earnestness, the
grave sincerity, which seemed to ani-
mate, to be the soul of this spectacle
with a purpose. The parade was an
immense success. The projectors of
and the sharers in it are heartily to
be congratulated and thanked.

IN THE CAUSE OF JUSTICE.

It is far more true of justice than
it is of charity that its value is doubled
when it is given promptly. In the
State of New York justice is slow. In
consequence it is also uncertain and
costly. Its tardy administration gives
rise to wrong and injury and cruel
suffering, and these necessarily fall
heaviest on those who are least able to
bear them. If this state of things
were imposed by an arbitrary and
despotic Government it would justify
rebellion, as our fathers believed in
revolving from the British Crown—
and acted on their belief. Being im-
posed, as it is, by a free, representa-
tive Government, it is a plain and
pressing duty to change the inequi-
table and pernicious system as soon
and as far as may be.

That duty may be performed by
voting for the proposed Constitution,
which, in its judiciary article, provides
a very large measure of reform. That
it will be effective we have every rea-
son to believe. There was a large
number of lawyers of unusual ability
in the convention, who were led by Mr.
Root, who fairly may be called the
leader of the bar. Their plan as pre-
sented—and this is true of the entire
Constitution—was agreed upon by a
large majority of each party among
the delegates. The basis of the plan,
moreover, was worked out by commit-
tees of the several Bar Associations of
the State. It has thus a solid guaran-
tee that it is not only sound in prin-
ciple but practical, that it can be and
will be carried out without confusion
or disturbance, that, in short, it is the

right thing to meet the needs of the
situation.

The main purpose of the new provi-
sion, which is not in the least radical or
theoretical, and is as simple as it is
unperturbed, is to make the rules of
practice clear, intelligible, appropriate,
and sufficiently elastic to be applica-
ble to all the conditions that may
arise. The Legislature is required to
enact at its next session a short and
simple civil practice act. This can
be changed only at intervals of five
years, and then only on the report of
a special commission, unless on the
request of the Judges empowered to
frame civil practice rules. In addi-
tion, the Judges of the Court of Ap-
peals and the Supreme Court receive
the exclusive power to make rules of
court and to regulate the details of
civil practice. The effect of this is to
substitute for a rigid statute of great
complexity, minuteness, and neces-
sary uncertainty the discretion of the
courts in pushing business, clearing
the calendars, and making the ad-
ministration of justice prompt and
certain.

The courts are also strengthened.
Five new members of the Appel-
late Division in the First Department
are provided for and two in the Sec-
ond Department. The number of
Judges of the Court of Appeals is in-
creased to ten. Provision for clearing
up the business of this court—in which
it now takes two years to reach a de-
cision, except in cases entitled to pre-
ference—is made by calling in from
four to six Supreme Court Justices and
holding two courts. The appeals as of
right to the Court of Appeals are also
considerably limited.

Here, then, is the plan submitted
practically by the bar of the State for
simplifying practice, for the avoidance
of vexatious and mischievous tech-
nicities and appeals based upon them,
for increasing the wholesome discre-
tion of the courts, and for adding,
where needed, to the number of the
Judges. It is a plan which all intelli-
gent voters can understand, and which
all those who wish to see justice done
promptly and surely should heartily
support and earnestly advocate.

A DES MOINES PATRIOT.

Is The Des Moines Register trying
to "knife" Senator Cummins? It de-
fends certain Iowa Republican Repre-
sentatives in Congress who won't say
whether they are for or against pre-
paredness. It justifies them on the
ground that they well may hesitate
about espousing the plans of a Demo-
cratic Administration, and that the
program is too extravagant anyway.
The extraordinary notion of patriotism
inculcated by the Iowa Journal must
be given in its naked deformity:

Everybody must see that in the end
the appeal will be to Republicans to
come to the rescue, for not only is
Mr. Bryan likely to be strong enough
to make a break in the Democratic
ranks, but even with Mr. Bryan out
of it there is enough Democratic op-
position to a militarist program to
endanger the small margin of majority
in the new House of Representatives.
Not only is there enough Democratic
opposition to a militarist program to
endanger the small margin of majority
in the new House of Representatives.

Don't think of the country. Think
of the party. A choice heap of ruins
the Republican Party would make of
itself if it followed this cowardly and
dishonorable course, preferring the
narrowest partisanship to an imperi-
ous national need.

ORATORY AND CONVERSATION.

The employment of hyperbole is the
harmless habit of popular orators.
Ex-Senator DREW's assertion at the
opening of the Public Speaking Club
of America, an appanage of the
multitudinously useful Y. M. C. A.,
that "every man in the United States
wants to be a public orator," was
probably an overstatement. We have
knowledge of the existence of a few
men here and there in this country
who would not be public orators if
they could. But it is perfectly true
that a great many men would like to
be able to speak in public and that
the visible supply of men who are
competent to do so, with credit to
themselves and satisfactorily to their
hearers, seems to decrease yearly as
the population increases. Therefore
the institution of a Public Speaking
Club which is to serve as a school for
oratory justifies comment. Mr. De-
witt thinks that most men fancy pub-
lic speaking is easy until they try it.
That may be so, and it may be
equally true of singing and playing
the violin. Many men are naturally
inclined to undervalue the gifts of
others. But, as the veteran after-
dinner speaker says, oratory is diffi-
cult. One who excels in it must
cultivate his voice, which few ever
do in these degenerate days, and
train his mind. He must think quickly
and select quickly the thoughts he
would utter, for half the success of a
popular speaker depends on his com-
prehension of what not to say. We
have heard speakers, and those, too,
of considerable reputation because of their
eloquency skill, who never con-
quered the habit of saying things
which might better have been left
unsaid and were compelled thereby
to waste time in trying to remove the
bad impression they had made by
futile explanations and insincere con-
demnation of the stenographers.

Mr. DREW makes a distinction be-
tween the "gift of gab" and intelli-
gent speech, but the "gift of gab,"
if that signifies ability to
speak readily, is better than nothing
in an inarticulate age. The trouble

nowadays is that so few of us can
talk at all. Our ancestors were not
better informed, they lacked the
means of information the poorest of
us possess in these days, but in their
era people talked, at dinners the con-
versations were not confined to
anecdotes and vaudeville quotations,
most men had belonged to debating
societies in their youth and learned
to muster their thoughts and express
them. They may have been deficient
in original ideas. Most people have
been in all ages. But they did more
than repeat imperfect memories of
newspaper headlines and put forth
random utterances overheard in the
day's work as their own intellectual
product. Conversation as well as
oratory has long been neglected and it
is time to learn again the art of
speech, of intelligent voice produc-
tion, of clear enunciation, and to ac-
quire the good habit of thinking about
what we say before we speak. We
look to the Public Speaking Club as
a developing force to this end. It is
not necessary that all its members
should form the habit of "Trafalgar
Squaring," which was so objection-
able to the late Queen VICTORIA and
PINERO's Duke of St. Oliphants, but
they are putting themselves in the
way to talk properly and in so doing
they will set a good example to
others. We are all more glibly, num-
bers, clippers of syllables, swal-
lowers of words. We have thought
we had no time to talk. But, though
we are so nearly inarticulate, we do
not keep silent, so let us welcome an
agency which will tend to restore the
ability to speak to some purpose.

People generally would excite to
their bestial freedom, and all those
noble souls who have suffered for a
higher level appear simply ridiculous
and useless, and must discover a new
earth where a better species can be
raised. But fortunately you contradict
yourself in saying that the faults of
the American people are on the surface,
and their sound immovable principles
underneath, and that they go their own
way. It seems to me that actions al-
ways grow out of and are dependent
upon principles. How can you separate
your acts from your moral feelings?
And why should the crude opinion of
the masses predominate over higher
ideals?

ENGLAND'S "W. G."

Probably Dr. WILLIAM GILBERT
GRACE, who has died at a time when
cricketing is less prominent in the
British mind than it ever has been,
since the memory of man runneth
not to the contrary, was the best-
known English sportsman. There
have been many famous bowlers and
batsmen; but "W. G." was equally
skillful in both departments, he never
had a superior, and his fame was es-
tablished as long ago as 1884, when
he was only 16 years old. He main-
tained his supremacy for more than a
quarter of a century, and, when he
retired from the cricketing field, or
from his conspicuous place in it, he
wrote books about the English na-
tional game and his way of playing,
which, in a sense, are standard works.

In spite of his renown at the wickets
and the hard and continual physical
training to which he subjected him-
self in order to keep fit, he never
neglected his professional work. He
was a surgeon of some distinction,
practicing in Bristol. Above all, he
was a splendid example of physical
manhood, tall, well formed, graceful,
with perfect co-ordination of mind
and muscle, the kind of Englishman
a nation is looking to for defense and
encouragement in these dark days.
Life in Great Britain could have con-
tained few consolations for W. G.
in his later years; he was long past
his prime and could do nothing to
help. But the remembrance of him
will survive; he typified prowess,
courage, skill of a rare kind, and
mental as well as physical power.

EDUCATING THE BELGIANS.

"We must educate Brussels and the
Belgians," says the Strassburg Post.
SWIFT, in his blackest hour of irony,
could not have beaten that. The
Germans have been educating the
Belgians for almost fifteen months.
The whole kingdom is a Kultur Un-
iversity. By invasion in the teeth of
treaties, by the slaughter of Belgian
armies, by the murder of civilians, by
pitiless savagery against women and
children; priests and nuns, by the
flames of Louvain, by disciplinary
order lessons in massacre; by ruinous
fines, by penal servitude, by famine
succored only by relief from parts
of the world not educated in the German
ideal of efficient brutality, by a thor-
ough and continuous course of bar-
barous repression and oppression, the
holy Germans, the men who "march
with God," have sought and are seek-
ing to teach the benighted Belgians
to cease to be Belgian patriots, to put
up with intolerable wrongs, to bear
the yoke meekly.

Education the Belgians! Why, in
the last two weeks ten Belgians, four
of them women, have been condemned
to death, thirty-two to from ten to
fifteen years imprisonment, for the
crime of being Belgian, not German,
patriots.

And still, unconquerable hate and
hope burn in the hearts of that un-
educated folk. The professors of
arson, mutilation, and murder waste
their talents of instruction. The
42-centimeter guns speak vainly from
their steel pulpits. Burning libraries
cannot illuminate the Belgian mental
darkness. The Belgians have had
every opportunity of education at the
hands of the most educated of
peoples; and they will not profit by
it. At a moment when Kultur stands
so high in the opinion of mankind, the
perversity, the stupidity of the Bel-
gians must be irritating even to their
sympathetic masters.

Stonehenge.

To the Editor of The New York Times:
"Anglo-Saxon" conveys a slight inaccu-
racy of Mr. Ernest P. Horowitz with even
more lack of information. Mr. Horowitz
says Stonehenge is derived from "stan" and
"henge," translating the latter as "stone."
Anglo-Saxon "objects that 'hore' is
"house." Thus, he reasons, "stan" and
"henge" cannot mean stone house. The
fact is that "hengeot," (modern German
"henge") means "stone." Thus Stone-
henge is derived from "stone house."
Mr. Horowitz is quite right in spirit.

A PLEA FOR ARMISTICE.

Germany's Most Eminent Woman
Novelist Replies to Mrs. Atherton.

New York, Oct. 22, 1915.
To the Editor of The New York Times:
I wish to reply to dear, wonderful
Gertrude Atherton and her criticism of
my article on Armistice in The Sunday
Tribune. There is an old fairy tale:
She has hair spun from the moonbeams;
She has eyes blue as the heavens' vault;
She has skin like snow; but her soul is
evil.

A chill ran down my spine when I
read your article in The Times—an ex-
pansion of your brilliant letter to me
which I read and reread, and which I
could not answer because I felt com-
pletely crushed. If your article is the thought
of the American people then mankind's
thoughts are only good for so much as to
devour each other. Personally I prefer
to see them in the fray only barbaric
rather than see them fatten themselves
on the profit of the slaughter.

In the good as well as in the bad
things of this world there is a logical
thing, and that is the law of the jungle.
I think of it for my prosperity, can be-
come in its logical consequences har-
shness. It grieves me to see that you
send this people a people not of yester-
day but of tomorrow—back to un-
civilization. Your article is a statement,
but not an argument. You preach war
as the normal condition, with the simple
explanation that human nature is so. The
greatest men who have existed have
made their spirit concrete in words and
deeds to tame the brutality of man.
And now in the twentieth century
after Christ, when each century has
added through battles and blood its
own share to the knowledge of man, we
quietly endure that this violence of
human progress be destroyed through
battles and blood?

Civilization is an effort—physically
and morally. To send back a people
to the slums of ideas is like a tragic
burial of everything we have cherished.
People generally would excite to
their bestial freedom, and all those
noble souls who have suffered for a
higher level appear simply ridiculous
and useless, and must discover a new
earth where a better species can be
raised. But fortunately you contradict
yourself in saying that the faults of
the American people are on the surface,
and their sound immovable principles
underneath, and that they go their own
way. It seems to me that actions al-
ways grow out of and are dependent
upon principles. How can you separate
your acts from your moral feelings?
And why should the crude opinion of
the masses predominate over higher
ideals?

Policy in its cold calculation has al-
ways been the bad stepmother of warm
hearted humanity. In speaking of hu-
manity I reject the discussion of the
material advantages or disadvantages of
the American people. The business prob-
lem—the question of the stomach!

You are correct on what you say about
the industrial booming of this country
as a result of Europe's war, but this is
an ephemeral condition. Peace will come,
and then America will have lost the
game instead of holding the winning
hand. The American people are on the surface,
and their sound immovable principles
underneath, and that they go their own
way. It seems to me that actions al-
ways grow out of and are dependent
upon principles. How can you separate
your acts from your moral feelings?
And why should the crude opinion of
the masses predominate over higher
ideals?

I believe you, my dear and wonderful
Gertrude Atherton, the most splendid
brave hearted woman of my time, and
I believe you, a little bit of Old
World sentimentality.

BARONESS LEONIE DE RAUCH.

Mr. Yarrow Did Not Say It.

To the Editor of The New York Times:
In your issue of Oct. 18, The Kluge-Zade
Bey, in an article entitled "The Kluge-
Zade Bey," makes use of a quote from
an interview in which I am alleged to have
said: "And during the siege we not only
did not fight the Turks, but almost every
known disease was killed. This statement
was made by me. On the contrary, before
and after the siege, and during it, we
made every effort to maintain the absolute
neutrality of our premises and were suc-
cessful in doing so. Our relations with the
Turks were friendly, and when the first
German unit was turned out of the Red
Cross unit and for many months cared
for sick and wounded soldiers who were sent
to us from the Turkish military hospital,
we were always ready to receive them and
to care for them as best we could."

ERNEST YARROW.

Coveted Islands.

To the Editor of The New York Times:
From today's news we learn that England
will cede Cyprus to Greece in order to bring
the latter to the side of the Allies against
the Turks. This is the latest move in the
Great Britain promised Cyprus to the
Motherland, but never has her promise been
fulfilled.

At last let us hope that the desire of the
Cyprus people to be free will be granted.
The Dodecanese (the Aegean Islands) which
are held by the Italians? Will Italy cede
them to the Hellenic nation and look after
the "Italis predenda," (unredeemed Italy),
and will she keep them as her stepping stone
toward Asia Minor.

CHILDHOOD IN THE STREET.

Playing "Window in and Out"
Through the Deadly Motor Traffic.

To the Editor of The New York Times:
I do not believe "A. T. E." would like
to have the children play in the streets, nor do
I believe that they should be stopped from
roller skating, but for the good of the
children and some old and feeble people, I
think the children should have play streets—
streets closed to vehicular traffic.

When I was a little roller skater, played
tag, one foot off, prisoner's base, and all the
other games, on the street. We did not have as
many autos then, and naturally the streets
were much safer than today. When the
children roller skate today they have to
play "in and out the window" with the
automobiles, and they very often miss the
window and are hurt by the motor car. On
St. Nicholas Avenue, the other day, a dozen
or so of youngsters were roller skating.
Two of them "hitched" on to an auto-
mobile; the chauffeur speeded up a little
and they were sailing along nicely when
the roller skater's roller caught in something
and he fell off the roller skater. Luckily he
was not hurt, but that is one reason why
I am in favor of play streets. I say, let
the children roller skate, but protect them
from their play.

EDWARD L. ROSSELLI.

New York, Oct. 22, 1915.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Having read the complaint of "A. T. E." re-
garding children's roller skating, I wish to
say that "the hoodlum rolling on the
sidewalks" have never yet collided with
me in my daily walks during the last half
century. Generally speaking, an ordinary
roller skater or woman should be able to
escape from a roller skater's path, or else
they should refrain from venturing
alone upon the infested streets. As to the
"feels and afeels," Central Park offers to all
a safe and beautiful retreat. The
"children" do not roller skate in the street
to take care of themselves, or else come
under the protection of that proverbial good
angel who watches over and cares for the
young and helpless.

E. M. F.

New York, Oct. 22, 1915.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The writer heartily indorses the protest of
"E. M. F." in your issue of this date in
regard to roller-skating on the sidewalk. It
has become a downright nuisance, to say
nothing about accidents to elderly people and
the real danger to property. I have seen
live on a block and in a building where
many women reside who are obliged to work
nights and sleep during the day, and the
constant racket and bang over the sidewalk
in front of the building renders peaceful rest
next to impossible.

There is an ordinance against the nuisance,
but it is rarely enforced. Complaints to the
police amount to nothing, and if one
goes before a Magistrate he is told to
ask, "Were you a boy?" and the case ends
and the nuisance continues.

SUPERINTENDENT.

New York, Oct. 20, 1915.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I was glad to read the report of your cor-
respondent, "A. T. E." about the roller-
skating nuisance now so prevalent in parts
of this city. I happen to live in Washington
Square, which at no time is a safe place for
women and children. The Washington
Square is a large public roller-skating
rink, and I have come to see many boys
strung out on the back of a motor truck,
all yelling as it possessed. It is high time
the city authorities stopped this dangerous
nuisance. WASHINGTON SQUARE.

New York, Oct. 20, 1915.

Municipal Court Justice.

To the Editor of The New York Times:
We hear a great deal of indefinite talk
about the delay of the law. Your readers
may be interested to have a concrete ex-
ample of what may be done in the Municipal
Court.

On Oct. 20 three accident cases were tried
before me. In which the accidents had been
occurred in the city of New York. The first
case was for \$1000, another for \$500, and another
for \$500. In each of the cases the accident
occurred in September, a lawyer was re-
tained, the necessary papers were served,
the preliminary proceedings were had, notice
of trial was given, and the case appeared,
was examined, and examined; and
verdict was rendered, and judgment was en-
tered. The first case was that of a little
baby 2 years old, where the window of an
auto was closed, and the child was run
over. The question was whether the catch on the win-
dow was defective, or whether the mother,
who was traveling with the child, had care-
lessly raised the window and let the child
put its hand on the window-sill. The second
case was that of a woman who was run
over by a motor car, and was killed. The
question was whether the car was
knocked down by a neighbor, who looked
from a third-floor window and could not testify
whether the boy ran in front of the automo-
bile or if the automobile driver was negligent.

The third case was a boy 15 years old,
who was run over by a motor car, and was
killed. The question was whether the car
was knocked down by a neighbor, who looked
from a third-floor window and could not testify
whether the boy ran in front of the automo-
bile or if the automobile driver was negligent.

All three cases resulted in a verdict for
the defendant. These three concrete ex-
amples show a ready and quick determina-
tion of the law's delays.

Compare this with the delay of a court
where the legal remedy is reached in the
month following the one in which an accident
happens.

F. DE WITT WELLS,
Justice, Municipal Court of the City of
New York, Ninth District, Manhattan.

New York, Oct. 21, 1915.

One, Three, Two, Four.

To the Editor of The New York Times:
Relative to the pagination of a letter, I
write "one, three, two, and four" because
I have to use a blotter, and I have to use
two, without interfering with the drying of
the bottom of page one. I can write on page
two, (numbered three), parallel to the crease,
and not smear up the opposite page. The
first sheet sent to the printer was filled with
dry white paper, four is being filled. I dis-
like to see the end of each page floated
about the ink by the typewriter. The conspi-
cuous number at the top of each page, each number
inside the line, prevents the reader from
losing time or temper.

M. E. W.

Oyster Bay, L. I., Oct. 15.

OCTOBER 23, 1915.

Things are not as they used to be
When you and I were young;
It is a different world we see,
We hear another tongue.

Now, gentlemen, into your tents.
They come! The ladies come!
And all their typewriting instruments,
Unlike themselves, are dumb.

When they place light are shut,
Nobody home is at.
(You see the difficulty) but
The poodle dog and cat.

The ladies they are on parade,
Their pleading banners fold,
The matron fair, the dainty maid,
Are out to get the vote.

The rub-a-dub, the pillow,
The noise of drum and fife,
The dull mind and make us think

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$\frac{1}{2}$ lb. Pkg.	.33 .40	.50
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$\frac{1}{2}$ lb. Pkg.	.28 .40	.55

VEGETABLES

In cans, American

ASPARAGUS	No. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ cans
Colossal green, California,	doz. each

Del Monte.....	2.35	20
ASPARAGUS TIPS	No. 1 cans	
Green, California, Del Monte	2.10	15
BEANS	No. 2 cans	
Conewago Brand—	doz. each	
Refugee, cut.....	.90	08
Refugee, String, Fine....	1.05	09
Park & Tilford—		
Refugee, String.....	1.30	15
Flag Brand—		
Small Refugee, Stringless..	1.75	15
Extra Small, Stringless...	2.00	15
Allivine Brand—		
Lima, Medium.....	1.10	10

BEETS	No. 3 cans
Rut.	doz. each.
Cut.	.95 .08
Rosebud, Extra Small.....	2.00 .12
CORN	No. 3 cans
Country Gentleman.....	doz. each.
Extra, Little Quaker Brand	.90 .08
Extra Fancy, Maine.....	1.10 .10
	1.35 .17
PEAS	No. 2 cans
Early June, Liberty Brand	doz. each.
Early June, Champion brand	.95 .08
Selected, Early June.....	1.05 .09
Ungraded, Dainty Sweet.....	1.25 .11
Park & Tifford:—	1.40 .12
Extra Sifted, Early June.....	1.75 .15
SPINACH	No. 3 cans
Champion Brand.....	doz. each.
	1.05 .09
TOMATOES	
Extra, Blue Bell Brand.....	1.00 .09
Hand packed, Flag Brand.....	1.50 .13
SOUPS—Concentrated	
Extra American.....	

Ready Made, 3 cans for	.25	.09
Campbell's, 3 cans for	.25	.09
Richardson & Robbins—		
Tomato	.07	
Chicken broth	.07	
CHEESE—Finest quality		
Mild, New York State, whole milk	lb.	.20
Dairy, Old English Style		.22
Gruyere (Swiss)		.38
First Cheese (Swiss), per box		.40
Roquefort		.45
OLIVE OIL, Italian		
Pure Lucca, Park & Tilford	can	
Quart cans		.90
1/2 gal. cans		1.65
1 gal. cans		3.10
SUGAR		

BUCHAN	
H & E Pine Granulated, 10 lb. bags	.53
H & E Pine Granulated, 25 lb. bags	1.30
CEREALS	
Puffed Wheat, Quaker	.09
Rollled Oats, Quaker	.08
Farina, Hecker's	.08
WINES, Imported	
PARK & TILFORD BOTTLING	
MADEIRA	gal. doz. bot.
Stielly (pure juice)	2.33 6.74 .62
Lacocq	6.33 16.99 1.02
Victoria	8.33 22.99 2.08

Sercial.....	13.08	34.99	3.02
Malmsey.....	13.33	34.99	3.02
PORT			
Cooking.....	2.83	7.99	.72

Port	3.33	9.74	87
Burgundy.....	4.33	11.74	1.02
Cockburn's.....	5.33	14.24	1.27
Sandeman's Old.....	6.33	16.74	1.52
London Dock.....	6.83	19.24	1.77
Sandeman's V.V.O.....	10.33	28.24	2.52
Royal Buckingham (Very Old).....		34.24	3.02
SHERRY			
Cooking.....	2.08	6.24	.57
Topaz.....	3.33	9.24	.82
Flemartin Brut.....	3.83	10.74	.92
Brown.....	4.33	11.74	1.02

Garvey.....	4.33	11.74	1.02
Olareoso.....	5.33	14.74	1.27
Vino de Pasto.....	5.33	14.74	1.27
Imperial.....	6.33	16.74	1.52
Amontillado.....	6.33	16.74	1.52
Amontillado, Extra.	10.58	26.74	2.27

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lands Overseas Trust.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Plans for handling the export trade of the United States through a trust company, co-operating with the Federal Government, in order to avoid interference with cargoes, were announced today by Secretary Redfield of the Department of Commerce, after a conference with Assistant Secretary Peters of the Treasury Department, Assistant Secretary Woodruff of the Department of Agriculture, and a number of exporters, Trustees of the company.

The company will be called the American Overseas Corporation, and will handle the American export business along the lines followed by the Netherlands Overseas Trust, with the import business of Holland. Secretary Redfield said that while it would in no sense be a Government organization nor be officially recognized by the Government, it would be "in close touch with various departments of the Government," whose agents would see that its operations were "impartial and neutral." This was regarded as a meaning that the American Overseas Corporation would assure European Governments that no goods exported under its supervision would reach belligerent countries.

"The object of the scheme," Secretary Redfield said, "is to secure the movement of neutral commerce under such authoritative auspices as to assure that it will not be interrupted. That part of the plan to be undertaken by the Department of Commerce, under the arrangements discussed today, would be the ascertaining by commercial attaches, commercial agents, and other officers, that the operations of the plan were strictly impartial and neutral."

"The new company would be open to assist all truly neutral American commerce to all countries with which it is to operate. The machinery would not be officially a part of the Government, and it would not be a money-making scheme. It is the voluntary action of men prominent in business in various cities of the country, seeking to secure relief for American commerce by having neutral trade conducted under the auspices of an organized responsible concern."

The company officials at the conference were heard by the Secretary of the Guarantee Trust Company of New York, and exporters in Philadelphia, Richmond, and Baltimore also were represented. It is understood that tentative arrangements already have been made with the Government of Great Britain, France, and Russia. A representative of the company will go to Europe soon to complete the plan, and that approval of the plan has been given by Government officials here.

Counsel for the company issued this statement tonight:

Subsidiary Companies Approved.

"The American Overseas Corporation has been organized with a view of facilitating commerce between the United States and neutral countries. The need for some such agency is evoked by the almost complete stoppage of commerce between the United States and neutral countries as the result of war conditions."

"The underlying purpose of this corporation is to get goods into the neutral countries for neutral consumption, and, in order to assure this, subsidiary companies are being organized in the neutral countries to act as consignees and distributors for the American Overseas Corporation. No goods will be handled by the American Overseas Corporation except where assurances are given, upon which its representative can rely, that they will be confined to neutral countries, and to this end the American Overseas Corporation has sought the co-operation of the departments of the United States Government which were represented at the conference held today."

"The conference was preliminary to the beginning of operations by the corporation, and the representatives of the departments present gave assurances that they would co-operate in both the United States and neutral countries in the effort to make certain that the trade handled through the American Overseas Corporation would be entirely neutral, and destined to neutral countries, for consumption in neutral countries."

"The American Overseas Corporation will be in substance a forwarding corporation, but its function will be confined exclusively to the shipment of goods to neutral countries, and the assurance of all persons interested that these goods will be absolutely confined to neutral countries will be necessary to secure its services."

"Its services will be open to all bona fide shippers, small or large, in the United States. It is not organized for profit, and, beyond its expenses, no charges will be exacted. It is hoped to prevent detention of shipments, reduce the cost of insurance and help to establish credits which are now in abeyance."

DRILL ENCOURAGED AT WILLIAMS COLLEGE

Faculty Backs Student Battalion,
but Declines to Change
Curriculum.

WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., Oct. 23.—Military training by the students, as long as it is kept apart from the curriculum, is an undergraduate activity that should be encouraged is the view of the Williams College Faculty with regard to the introduction of a course in military drill. This sentiment was brought to light by a canvass made of the individual members of the faculty.

The question was brought forward by the recent formation of an undergraduate battalion of about 250 students. The students petitioned the trustees for the authorization of the battalion as a part of the curriculum, but the trustees, although they favored the encouragement of military drill as an undergraduate activity, did not believe that it had a place in the curriculum and therefore could not approve the petition. Under the direction of Captain A. H. Potter of the Adams (Mass.) militia, the students are nevertheless continuing to hold semi-weekly drills on their own initiative.

President Garfield said with regard to the advisability of introducing military training in the curriculum:

"The Trustees feel that we are not prepared to introduce a regular course in military training in the college. My own personal attitude would be to look with disfavor on such a proposal. All depends upon what the military course might replace. If it were to replace athletics, then it would be a question for the students whether they wanted athletics or military drill. There is hardly room for the two together to any extent. I think that the best way for students to get military drill is to go to Plattsburg and get experience in the manoeuvres."

Francis B. Sayre, assistant to President Garfield, expressed himself as follows: "If military drill is to be a part of the curriculum, I should say no. But if it is to be introduced as a recognized activity, I should say yes. I should not be in favor of military drill either if the students did not want it. I should like to see it take the place of some of our athletics, entered into voluntarily by the students and recognized by the Faculty."

Among the more decided expressions of opinion against the proposal was that of Professor T. C. Smith, head of the history department, who unhesitatingly said, "Certainly not! That is not a fit subject for the curriculum. A course in military science and art might be possible, but drill is preposterous." In direct opposition to the declaration of Professor Smith were those of Professor Leverett Mears, head of the chemistry department; Dr. Walter W. McLaren, professor of economics; and E. H. Boulton, instructor in mathematics and graduate treasurer, all of whom expressed themselves wholeheartedly in favor of the proposal.

Professor C. L. Maxcy, head of the English department, said he approved of military drill but was not prepared to say that he favored its introduction in college. Although Professor J. E. Russell, professor of philosophy, said that he would like to see it recognized as an outside activity, Professor Russell went so far as to suggest the possibility of having an instructor for military drill.

Dr. C. W. Johnson of the German department said that the subject should be so amended so as to enable the colleges to teach up military training. A. H. Buffington said, "I am not in favor of adding such a course to the curriculum. I think that the craze for preparedness is overdone, and that at present the country is in less danger of attack than it has been for some time. I can not see how any country in Europe can be in a position to fight for a generation, whichever side wins."

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Mrs. Marshall McLean Won a Match from Norwegian Girl on a Heavy Court.

MISS WAGNER'S RANK DROPS

Loss of Indoor Championship May Take Third Place from the State Champion.

For the first time since women were ranked as tennis players a foreigner will be named as the first woman tennis player in the United States. Miss Molla Bjurstedt, the sensational Norwegian, holder of the national indoor and outdoor titles and winner of half a dozen State and sectional championships, will hold first place.

The first record of a woman's American national championship was in 1887, when Miss A. F. Hansell won the title. Four years later Miss Mabel E. Cahill of Ireland carried off the honors, and repeated in 1892. For twenty-two years American players were able successfully to oppose the efforts of foreign contestants, and it was not until last February, at the Seventh Regiment Armory, that the new European star won her first big tournament in this country. Since that time she has had an almost unbroken run of success.

Except for a brief season preceding the national tournament for women, Miss Bjurstedt played continually from last April up to the early part of this month, and during that time she sustained but one defeat, when she plainly overtaxed her strength in the final round of the national championship in 1908, was the only woman to score a victory over the Norwegian girl, accomplishing the feat in the final round of the Thousand Islands tournament. Upon that occasion the courts were very heavy from frequent rains, and the foreigner of one of her greatest playing assets—speed—was hampered.

Before losing to Mrs. McLean, Miss Bjurstedt had vanquished her opponent in three previous tournaments. Mrs. George W. Wightman, the former Miss Hazel Hotchkiss of California, lost on two occasions to Mrs. Marshall McLean in the national championship and was in the final round of the Clay Court championship at Pittsburgh. Among the other prominent players who fell before Miss Bjurstedt were Mrs. Barger Wallace, national title holder in 1908; Miss Anne Sherry, the former national champion of Boston; Miss Marie E. Williams, former national indoor champion; Miss Clara Caspell, Miss Martha Guthrie, and many others.

Mrs. Frederick Schmitts, the English player, scored a victory over the Norwegian in the championship (N. J.) tournament early in the season. This was after Miss Bjurstedt had strained a muscle during the match and was compelled to leave the court.

It is an open question as to the ranking of the second player on the list. Mrs. Wightman and Mrs. McLean appear to be even. The Boston player won from the West Side expert in the national championship at Philadelphia in a hard three-set match, but was unable to defeat Miss Bjurstedt, a feat that Mrs. McLean has to her credit. The latter has an enviable tournament record this year, and she defeated nearly all the best players in the East and Middle West. A comparison of the records of the two players would place Mrs. McLean second and Mrs. Wightman third.

It will be a difficult matter to include the Californians in the ranking, while Miss Marie Guthrie of Pittsburgh did not play a sufficient number of tournaments to give the members of the ranking committee an opportunity to gauge her playing strength. Mrs. Thomas C. Bernady, the former May Sutton, who is on the committee with Mrs. Barger Wallace and Mrs. Benjamin F. Briggs, will probably offer some valuable information relative to the Western players and it is probable that two Californians will be included in the first ten. Of these Miss Florence Sutton is a likely selection for the fourth position on the list.

Miss Marie Wagner, the New York State champion, will likely get into the "coveted ten," although she will have a big drop from last year, when she was placed third. She lost her national indoor title to Miss Bjurstedt and was put out of the Metropolitan title play by Mrs. Wallace, but in the smaller tournament in the Metropolitan district she met with greater success and this will help to place her in the ranking list.

DARTMOUTH RUNNERS WIN.

Pennsylvania Man First at "Inish" in Four-Mile Race.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 23.—Dartmouth's cross country team defeated the University of Pennsylvania over a four-mile course in Fairmount Park today 23 points to 32. Although Ralph Colton brought the Red and Blue colors home in front, Dartmouth had three runners trailing him, and this advantage gave the New England team the race. Colton set the pace all the way and finished 190 yards ahead of Captain Tucker, who led the Dartmouth runners. Colton's time was 23 minutes 45 seconds.

DARCY DEFEATS CLABBY.

Australian Middleweight Wins Sydney Bout on Points.

SYDNEY, New South Wales, Oct. 22.—Les Darcy, the Australian middleweight champion pugilist, today beat on points Jimmy Clabby of Hammond, Ind., the world middleweight champion, at the Stadium here.

193 Macy Patrons a Minute

travel from the Main Floor to the floors above or to the basement during the busiest hours of the day.

Three sets of elevators, making in all 280 trips an hour, and an escalator system running to the sixth floor—having altogether a total carrying capacity of 11,600 persons an hour, transport more than a fourth as many people daily as the Pennsylvania Railroad transports from its immense 33d Street Terminal.

There is always a point, however, at which facilities, no matter how great, reach their limit, and the times are increasing in frequency when the hosts of visitors this store attracts overtax parts of the system.

We realize there could be no better proof of the public's high esteem of Macy's than the crowds that flock to our aisles, but when these crowds congregate around the 34th and 35th Street elevators and find these units of our service incapable of expeditiously transporting the over-plus, we suggest the use of the six large elevators at the rear of the store or the escalators at the centre.

You will save time by using either.

Especially is it desirable to use the escalators if you are only going to the Second or Third Floors. The escalators are by far the quickest way of ascending on busy days.

Systematize your traveling at Macy's as you do your shopping, and the added pleasure, the convenience, and the time saved will repay you as amply in comfort as Macy prices do in economy.

Autumn Fashions in Misses' Wear

FUR-TRIMMED Afternoon Frocks in new shades; chic tailored skirts to wear with fancy blouses; the popular Corduroy suit for street wear, and handsome Coats are here in wondrous variety for the Miss of 14 to 18 years, and particularly adapted to the small woman.



AFTERNOON FROCK of Crepe Meteor and Georgette Crepe comes in Copenhagen, rose, gray, brown, blue and black. The bodice of Crepe Meteor is ornamented with hand-embroidered motif, slightly tulleed; a long tunic, in the back only, is of Georgette Crepe, edged with fur; collar is trimmed with fur and a knotted sash crosses the back. *Illustrated at left.* \$24.74

CLEVER SKIRTS for Misses are made of French Serge in navy and black. Shirred at top and finished with fancy silk cord and tassel. Slashed pockets at side have pleating of self material and are button trimmed. \$7.94

MIRROR VELVET SKIRTS for dress occasions are shirred in back, with box pleats on either side, to give the necessary fullness. Two rows of smoked pearl buttons. Adjustable belt. Black, navy and brown. \$12.74

MISSSES' CORDUROY SUITS (Illustrated at right), Full belted model; coat silk lined and interlined, trimmed with bone buttons and high beaver collar. New model skirt with shirred and belted top. Brown, green and navy. Sizes 14, 16 and 18 years. \$32.75

SMART COAT SUITS of Mixture Velour in navy, brown and Copenhagen. Long flare coat, shorter in front, silk, lined throughout; band of beaver around bottom of coat and Chin-chin beaver collar. Smart skirt, \$48.75

Fur-trimmed Black Sealette Coats, \$44.75. Full flare model of lustrous quality sealette, lined throughout with handsome brocade silk. Large collar, cuffs and bottom of coat trimmed with gray fox. 14, 16 and 18 year sizes; also for petite women.



Furs for Fashion

Without a fur coat, or sets of furs, or fur-trimmed garments, one is not, strictly speaking, in fashion this year. From the top of her hat to the edge of her skirt, the fashion is fur. The fur coats were never more fetching in cut than the styles we are showing, with their flaring and slightly defined waist and their Chin-Chin collars.



The fur sets are in all the desirable models, with shaped collars of varying styles, and both pillow muffs and the melon muff, which shape is le derrier ere.

HUDSON SEAL COATS— (dye muskrat), made of good quality skins, real skunk collars, broad lined, \$64.75

HUDSON SEAL COATS— (dye muskrat), seven-eighth length, semi-fitted, with full flared skirt, real skunk collar and border, \$119.00

HUDSON SEAL COATS— (dye muskrat), seven-eighth length, flare model, skunk Chin-Chin collars, \$89.75

CARACUL COATS— (dye muskrat), seven-eighth length, belted model, collar, cuffs and bottom trimmed with wide bands of skunk, \$159.00

BABY CARACUL COATS— three-quarter length; beautifully marked skins; collar and border of real skunk, \$119.00

BLACK FOX SETS— double fur animal scarf and melon-shaped muffs, \$19.74

NATURAL RACCOON SETS— shaped animal or double fur scarf and pillow shaped muffs, \$19.74

NATURAL RED OR BAUM MARTEN FOX SETS— double fur scarfs, with pillow or melon-shaped muffs, \$34.75

REAL SKUNK SETS— double fur scarf and melon-shaped muffs, \$28.75

BLACK OR BLUE WOLF SETS— shaped or double fur straight animal scarfs, with pillow or melon-shaped muffs, \$29.75

SCOTCH MOLE SETS— shaped cravat and pillow muffs, \$29.75

POINTED FOX SETS— smart full-animal scarf and trimmed melon muffs, \$49.75

BEAVER SETS— double fur Chin-Chin collars and smart melon muffs, \$39.75

New—For Misses Wool Jersey Smocks \$5.49

For the Home, for the School and Sports Wear. Fashioned of wool Jersey cloth in navy, Belgium and rose. Hand-smocked back and front panels, white bone buttons and patch pockets. Pointed collar of white satin. Sizes 14 to 20 years.

Just Arrived

Maid's Aprons of Black Taffeta Silk are very smart. Round shape, with hemstitched ruffle and pocket. \$1.69

Nurses' Caps of cool White Linen will find a ready welcome. Regulation shape. 39c

Even Petticoats are a-glitter with silver. One of the new Taffeta Silk Petticoats has a deep sectional flounce with two ruffles edged with silver lace. All the new Autumn shades. \$7.49

For the Library you will find very handsome book ends of dull finished Lacquer on wood, with raised decorations of fruit and leaves; will hold one or a dozen books. On sale in our Furniture Section at \$5.49 pair

Little Girls' Fur Coats for Motoring are among the new. Full length, box model of Lock Squirrel with collar and cuffs of Natural Squirrel; lined throughout with pearl gray satin. Size 6 years is priced at \$39.75

Celery Basket—Square shaped, of Sheffield quality plate, pierced design, graceful handle. Glass lined. \$2.97

High stock of white silk braid with white fur at the top edge. Same style with fagoting of black silk for 79c

Suede bells, fur-trimmed. Two inches wide, in brown, with bands of brown fur at top and bottom. Also gray with fur to match for 79c; others up to \$1.89

French Ceiling Light—An exquisite electric lighting arrangement that diffuses a soft glow. Of silk, it depends by fine brass chains from the ceiling in style of an inverted umbrella. Old rose, old gold, pink, white; one to three electric bulbs; from \$9.49 to \$19.89

Yard-Wide Outing Flannel (yd.) 9c

Do you prefer to make your own nightgowns or pajamas rather than buy them ready made? This outing flannel is an ideal fabric for the purpose—and it is priced exceptionally low.

10,000 yards, finely woven and durable. In the extra width of 36 inches, which cuts to advantage. In many pleasing color combinations, on light or dark grounds, and stripes of pink and white, blue and white, gray and white and black and gray.

Macy's—Flannels, Second Floor.

Little Children's COATS

Mid-Winter Styles, \$6.49

A pleasing selection of the newest models of the season—Chinchillas, Corduroys and Fancy Mixtures—belted and Norfolk effects—with collars and cuffs of Velvet or Black Coney Fur. Sizes from 2 to 6 years.

Hats to Match, in clever styles, at \$2.89

Corduroy and Velvet, in various shapes, daintily trimmed with ribbon bows, rosettes, etc. Colors to harmonize with or match the coats. Sizes 2 to 6 years.

Macy's—Infants' Dept., Third Floor.

Cotton Velour (yd.) 39c.

36 inches wide. Many and varied are the uses to which this specially priced Cotton Velour may be put. A soft and rich-looking material, as well as a durable one, it makes an excellent substitute for Velvet and costs considerably less. An ideal cloth for women's and children's dresses; also for millinery purposes. A particularly good material for draperies of all descriptions. This Cotton Velour is 36 inches wide and may be obtained in the following plain colors:

Corn	Helio	Garnet
Azure	Sand	Brown
Green	White	Gray
Purple	Maize	Cadet
Gold	Pink	Leather
Slate	American Beauty	Navy

Macy's—Wash Goods Dept., Second Floor.

Again Resounds the Call for Silk Petticoats

Hand-smocked, beruffled and befrilled, lace-trimmed and fur-trimmed, of rustling Taffeta or soft Crepe Taffeta, petticoats for Street wear and the Dance; they are here in a gala array of colors, all moderately priced.

At \$5.94—Crisp Taffeta Petticoats in black and colors. Clusters of hand-smocking adorn the sectional flounce, which is finished with a pleated, scalloped ruffle.

At \$3.74—All Silk Jersey Petticoats, full circular flounce with embroidered scalloped edge and knife-pleated ruffle below. Black and new Autumn shades.

At \$3.74—For the Dance, white and flesh color Crepe Taffeta Petticoats, with wide lace insertions; scalloped flounce, edged with lace; satin ribbon and rosebud trimmed.

At \$2.89—Taffeta Silk Petticoats, with fitted tops; deep circular flounce has fine tucks and a wide band, finished with two narrow pleatings. Black, plain colors and changeables.

Macy's—Third Floor, Center.

White Cotton Goods

Novelty Striped and Crossbar White Goods, 10c. Pretty sheer materials for waists, aprons and curtains. In a variety of stripes, checks, crossbars and dotted and figured Swisses. 27 inches wide.

White Underwear Crepe at 10c the Yard In two styles—either 27-inch, plain crinkle of 30-inch plisse. Possess excellent wearing qualities, requiring no ironing.

Macy's—Wash Goods Dept., Second Floor

An Exceptional Showing of Sunfast Draperies

SUNFAST draperies are well-known throughout the country; the claim that sunlight does not fade them is upheld by all who have tried them. This result is obtained by special dyes that are made in Europe and in consequence, many textile manufacturers are at a loss to know how to supply the demand. Foreseeing this market condition, Macy's took care of the supply before the urgent demand came, and the result is a well-selected assortment of Sunfast Draperies—and plenty of them—at prices which cannot be rivaled.

Lightweight, plain sunfast Madras in red, olive, rose, blue, brown and gold—30 inches wide, 39c yd. 45 inches wide, 54c yd. 50 inches wide, 74c yd.

Lightweight, figured sunfast Madras in conventional and foliage patterns. In red, olive, rose, blue, brown and gold. 31 inches wide, 46c yd. 45 inches wide, 74c yd. 50 inches wide, \$1.12 yd.

Plain and figured centre Madras curtains from \$1.98 to \$5.94 the pair.

Heavier weight draperies. In rose, three shades of blue and tan, three shades of green, two shades of brown, red, and gold. 50-in. shiki and armure, 98c yd. 50-in. striped shiki, \$1.39 yd. 50-in. poplin, \$1.19 yd.

Also a 50-inch armure at \$1.49 and \$1.59, in gray, brown, gold, red, three shades of blue and three shades of rose.

Two-tone effects in green-and-gold, blue-and-ecru and rose-and-green, at \$1.24 the yard.

Also red-and-tan, blue-and-tan, black-and-white, gold-and-green, and two-tone green, at \$1.59 the yard.

Macy's—Fourth Floor.

Linen Prices Low—at Macy's

IMPORTED SATIN DAMASK TABLE CLOTHS and Napkins of pure linen. Cloths, 2x2 yd., \$2.69; 2x2 1/2 yd., \$3.39; and 2x3 yd., \$3.96. Napkins, 24x24 in., \$3.96 doz.

PATTERN DAMASK TABLE CLOTHS, extra heavy, pure linen. Round designs, 70x70 in., \$1.84; 70x88 in., \$2.49; 70x106 in., \$2.97.

DAMASK NAPKINS of pure linen. Dinner and breakfast sizes. At \$1.49, \$1.98, \$2.39, \$2.79 and \$3.79 the doz.

TABLE DAMASK, extra heavy, pure linen, snow white, good wearing quality, 79c yd.

CRASH AND GLASS TOWELING—All pure linen, for dish, roller, kitchen or glass towels. 14c yd.

Macy's—Second Floor.

Women's Costumes Tailleur

EVERY woman must have at least one tailor made suit in her wardrobe. It occupies a position which cannot be filled by any other costume. The following four suits are excellently tailored and carry out with faithful accuracy the newest notes in fashion.



THE CHIFFON BROADCLOTH suit illustrated at the left has a Russian blouse coat, the fullness confined at the waist by a heavy double silk cord ending in novelty fur ends. The wide velvet collar can be worn back and open or high and close. It is trimmed with real skunk, which is repeated in the fur-trimmed velvet cuffs. The skirt is a full skirt shirred at the back and sides. In navy, brown and black for \$39.75

A COPY OF A BERNARD MODEL (illustrated at the right) in Broadcloth has a medium length coat with blouse effect gathered into a uniquely shaped coat skirt, plainly tailored in front with full ripple back. The cuffs and high collar are trimmed with double bands of seal, (dye muskrat). Colors: brown, burgundy and black, for \$32.75



ANOTHER MODEL in wool velour has a short jaunty coat with a belt buttoned to the sides confining the loose back and tying in front with long ends finished with fancy fur trimmed points. Two tailored breast pockets. Collar and cuffs trimmed with skunk raccoon. The skirt is full and gathered at the belt in the back. Navy, black and brown. \$26.75

THE FOURTH MODEL is of fine broadcloth especially suitable for large women. The coat has a semiblouse front gathered into a shaped yoke pointed over the hips to give a slim line. The back has a straight line extending to the bottom of the coat skirt edge. The Coat has a high velvet collar fur-trimmed. Cuffs fur-trimmed. Semi-circular skirt. Navy, black, and brown. \$26.75

Macy's—Third Floor.

Three Useful Negligees

PULLMAN KIMONO of albatross trimmed with bands, pipings and buttons of Roman-striped challie. Semi-coat cut with a narrow tailored belt. In black, navy, Copenhagen, rose and wistaria. Our price, \$4.89

IMPORTED QUILTED JAPANESE ROBE, with waistcord and frogging of silk cord. High neck and long sleeves. In rose, navy, black, Copenhagen, and wistaria. \$4.69

CREPE DE CHINE NEGLIGEE. Accordion plaited skirt, elastic waistline, kimono-cut waist, white organdy collar and cuffs. Maize, lavender, pink, rose, light blue, and Copenhagen. \$4.74

Macy's—Third Floor.

North Winds—Amana Blankets

EVERY hour brings nearer those dreadfully cold nights when old Boreas would freeze us, and every hour Macy patrons are providing against that time by buying Amana Blankets—the soft all-wool kind that are real warm-retainers. Buy yours ere the 550 pairs are gone!

Weight	Size	Gray	Tan	White
4 lbs.	64 x 80 in.	\$4.49	\$5.34	\$4.96
5 lbs.	70 x 84 in.	\$5.69	\$6.69	\$6.24
6 lbs.	76 x 86 in.	\$6.74	\$7.89	\$8.94
7 lbs.	76 x 90 in.	...	...	\$10.49

Macy's—Basement.

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R. H. Macy & Co.

ice for this sale. box of 1 dozen, 44c
EXTRA FANCY DELICIOUS AP-
PLES—Large fruit; dozen, 42c

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R. H. Macy & Co.'s Attractions Are Their Low Prices

GRACER

Herald Square, N.Y. E'way, 34th to 35th St. Fifth Floor.

A Special Sale of "Red Star" Coffee—If you enjoy a full-bodied, clear, aromatic Coffee, try our "Red Star" brand; our usual price, 32c a lb.
For this sale, 25-lb. bags (bean only), **\$6.34**; 5-lb. cartons (bean only), **\$1.29**; 1-lb. carton (bean, granulated or pulverized), **27c**.

"Amayrilis" Chop Teas—Mixed, Oolong, English Breakfast, Ceylon, Japan, uncolored Japan and Young Hyson; our usual price, 48c pound; for this sale, 10-lb. caddy, **\$3.64**; 5-lb. caddy, **\$1.89**; pound carton, **39c**.

VANILLA EXTRACT—"Red Star" Brand; made in our own laboratory; in 4-oz. bottles, usual price, 37c; this sale, **32c**; in 2-oz. bottles, usual price, 21c bottle; this sale, each, **17c**.

A SPECIAL SALE OF WHEAT BRAN—Packed in our factory, made of the finest selected wheat, rich in phosphorus, packed in 25-lb. bags; our usual price, 15c; this sale, **18c a bag**; 1-lb. bag, **3c**.

A SPECIAL SALE OF OREGON PRUNES—They run 20 to 30 to the lb.; our usual price, 15c; for this sale, **12c a lb.**

SUCHARD'S COCOA—"This brand" is the finest cocoa imported; 1-lb. cans, **67c**; 5-lb. cans, **44c**; ¼-lb. tin, **54c**; 1-lb. tin, **40c**; No. 1, **40c**; No. 2, **35c**.

"LILY WHITE" BRAND CORN—QUAKER OATS per carton, **8c**; STARCH—1-lb. packages, **6c**.

NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES—"Diamond D" brand, No. 2 ½ can, **84c**; No. 1 can, **89c**; No. 3 can, **85c**.

PURE LARD—A special sale of "Lily White" Brand Pure Onion Kettle Lard, absolutely pure, specially prepared for R. H. Macy & Co., in full 10-lb. pails, 25c per pound; our usual price, 28c per pound.

GLENWOOD BRAND CALIFORNIA RIPE OLIVES—Packed in pint cans; No. 1, medium size, **25c**; No. 2, **24c**.

GLENWOOD BRAND CALIFORNIA RIPE OLIVES—Large size olive; pint cans at **24c a can**.

SALFORD, SINGLE CORN NORWAY FAT SALT—Mackerel packed in 10-lb. tins; perfectly cured; 10-lb. tins; Macy's usual price, **\$1.39**; for this sale, **\$1.14**; 5-lb. tins; Macy's usual price, **74c**; for this sale, **64c**.

CAPE ARAGO BRAND OREGON PRUNES—Added sugar, in No. 1 5-lb. cans, containing about a pound; this sale **69c**.

BEEF STEW—THE FAMOUS CALIFORNIA BRAND—Made of the best ingredients, sanitary cans containing 1½ quarts, at **11c a dozen**; a can, **10c**.

A SPECIAL SALE OF CHICKEN SOUP—Speci-ally prepared for R. H. Macy & Co.; packed in the large 30-called quart cans; our regular price is **18c a can**; for this special sale, **15c a can**.

A special sale of Jelly Powders "Lily White" Brand made in our own laboratory; the materials used in this dairy preparation are pure and wholesome, including raspberry, strawberry, lemon and wild cherry; one package will make a pint of delicious dessert; our regular price is **5c a package**; this sale, **7c each**; a dozen, **75c**.

A Special Sale of New Season's Canned Goods

California Green Asparagus "Mamantia" Brand, in No. 2 ½ square cans, containing 45 to 50 stalks; our reg. price, **15c a can**; each, **18c**.

California Asparagus, White "Mamantia" Brand, in No. 2 ½ square cans, containing 45 to 50 stalks; our reg. price, **15c a can**; each, **18c**.

California Asparagus, "Jessamine" Brand, White or Green, in large No. 2 ½ square cans; large, thick stalks; our reg. price, **25c a can**.

California Asparagus Tips, White, in the No. 1 square can; our "Lily White" Brand; our reg. price **25c a can**; this sale, **22 ½c**; 18c each.

California Asparagus, Green, in the No. 1 square can, "Lily White" Brand; our regular price **21c a can**; this sale, **18c**; 15c each.

A SPECIAL SALE OF TOMATOES—"AMERICAN BEAUTY" Brand; they are hand packed, whole tomatoes, in extra large size cans; Macy's usual price is **15c per can**; for this sale, **12c**; 10c each.

"BETSY" BRAND SWEET PEAS—"Very fine and tender; No. 1 can; dozen, **\$1.04**; each, per can, **9c**.

"CONNOWEG" BRAND EARLY JUNE PEAS—"Very fine and tender; No. 1 can; dozen, **92c**; each, per can, **8c**.

PUT STAINING BEANS, "YARMSIDE" BRAND—In the No. 2 can; our regular price **11c a can**; this sale, **9c**; 8c each.

"CONNOWEG" BRAND CREAM SUGAR CORN—Packed in No. 2 cans; for this special sale, **10c a can**; 8c each.

A SPECIAL SALE OF "LILY WHITE" BRAND GRATED CORN—This is the finest corn packed in Maine; regular size No. 2 cans; for this sale, **10c a can**; 8c each.

PEARS, "WEST SIDE" BRAND—These are selected Jersey pears in syrup, in cans containing 2 pounds; dozen, **\$1.35**; a can, **11c**.

CALIFORNIA BEIVED LEMON GLAZED PEACHES—"The last lot, 10c each; containing about 2 pounds in heavy syrup; dozen, **\$2.19**; a can, **17c**.

A VERY SPECIAL OFFERING OF CALIFORNIA PEARS—"The last lot, 10c each; containing about 2 pounds in heavy syrup; dozen, **\$2.19**; a can, **17c**.

LOW FREE PEARS—"Semi-tropic" Brand; packed in the large No. 2 ½ cans; this special sale, dozen cans, **\$1.18**; a can, **10c**.

EXTRA FANCY CALIFORNIA ORANGES—Large size, juicy, perfect fruit; our price for this sale, box of 1 dozen, **40c**.

EXTRA FANCY GRAPEFRUIT—EXTRA FANCY DECEMBER PEELS—Large fruit; dozen, **45c**.

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GOULDING MAKES WORLD'S RECORD IN 7 MILE WALK AND KOLEHMAINEN WINS 10 MILE RUN

WORLD'S RECORD SET BY GOULDING

Bonsal Canadian Walker Surpasses Records for Four, Five, Six, and Seven Miles.

All great amateur walking performances for more than two years were surpassed by the victory of George Goulding of the Toronto Central Walkers' Club in the seven-mile national championship of the Amateur Athletic Union, under the auspices of the Johnson and Johnson A. A. at New Brunswick, N. J., yesterday, when he created a new world's record for the distance and beat the best American marks for five, six, and seven miles.

The Canadian journeyed the route in 40 minutes 40.4 seconds. This mark set ten seconds off the world's record, made in 1905 by the English policeman, G. E. Lerner, at Brighton, England, and is minutes better than the American record of 41.07, created in 1880 by E. E. Merrill in Boston.

More than three thousand persons, the largest crowd that ever paid to see the seven-mile walk and ten-mile run championships, were dumfounded when Goulding, competing for the first time in the event, made Eddie Rens of the Mohawks last year's champion, look like a novice.

Every weather condition was against the Olympic champion. Most of the way he walked against a gale of wind. At the finish he was fresh and apparently able to go much further than Rens's walking, for he beat the American record, covering the seven miles in 43:38.4-5.

The wonderful exhibition by Goulding overshadowed the triumph of Hannes Kolehmainen of the Finnish American A. C. in the ten-mile championship. Kolehmainen had to run one of his hardest races to defeat Nick Anagnostopoulos of the Milwaukee A. C., who was beaten in the home stretch by less than ten yards. Kolehmainen's time was 53 minutes, 38.4 seconds. The Finn ran the limit at seconds and did not attempt to make a new American record for fifteen miles, as he had planned. The wind on the back stretch took much of his stamina, but did not bother the sturdier Anagnostopoulos, who might have been the victor had he not been so tired.

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Twelve walkers were in the field with Goulding. Even Rens could have accepted a lap start, but he finished at a record and an American record. Goulding did not go to the limit at seconds, but he did not attempt to make a new American record for fifteen miles, as he had planned.

Bill Plant of the Long Island A. C. was most of the surprise of the race. He finished third, only a short distance behind Rens, in the good time of 54:22. At almost every stage he was close to the deposited time holder, E. C. Freeman, Goulding's club mate, was a prominent contender for three miles, but was put out of the going early.

Goulding went out from the gun and at a mile led Rens by twenty-five yards. At this point it was evident that the Mohawk star, easily the best heel and toe artist in the country, was being defeated. With every mile Rens increased his lead. At four miles Plant was a lap behind, and at four and five-eighths miles Rens was passed by the Canadian. From this stage on it was simply a question of whether Goulding would get the world's record.

Goulding won the race by a margin of half a mile. He ran the race with a steady running, saved him from defeat. The Finn, until the last furrows, did not make an endeavor to go into the lead, and therefore at most of the mile posts his colors trailed either the Milwaukee runner, Gaston Strohino of the New York A. C., or Russell Springman of the Mohawks. At the end of the race, Goulding's club mate, was a prominent contender for three miles, but was put out of the going early.

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UNION DEFEATS STEVENS.

Schenectady Boys Score Three Touchdowns and Goals.

Special to The New York Times. SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Oct. 23.—Union College's eleven defeated Stevens Tech here this afternoon by a score of 21 to 0. Three touchdowns by Goff, Girling, and Rosecrans, one in each of the second, third, and fourth periods, and three goals were responsible for the victory.

After Todd of Stevens intercepted a forward pass early in the second period, a fumble gave Union possession of the ball on Stevens's twenty-yard line. Stoller punted through for four yards. Girling carried the pigskin on a wide end run to the three-yard line, and Goff took it over for the first touchdown.

Rosecrans kicked the goal. A consistent display of brilliant running and forward passing in the third quarter brought the ball from Union's twenty-yard line across Stevens's goal. Rosecrans ran Webb's punt back fifteen yards to Union's thirty-five-yard line.

Girling made ten yards on a sweeping end run. Goff received a forward pass from Goff that put the ball on Stevens's thirty-three-yard line, and immediately Girling gathered in another that brought the pigskin to the five-yard line. This was a fine run through a broken field. A moment later he dodged around left end for a touchdown. Rosecrans kicked the goal.

In the final period, with only two minutes more to play, Rosecrans intercepted a forward pass from Todd and ran fifty yards for the third touchdown. Rosecrans picked the ball out of the air far below his head and evaded the entire Stevens team in his swift dash to the goal line. He also kicked the goal. The line-up:

Union.	Position.	Stevens.
Moynihan	Left end	Hopkins
Hay	Left tackle	Quinn
Gardner	Left guard	Oldis
McDonald	Left half back	McDonald
Dubois	Right guard	Moller
Irish	Right tackle	Grymes
Avila	Right end	Holmes
Goff	Quarter back	Rodd
Marshall	Left half back	Marshall
Rosecrans	Right half back	Deague
Stoller	Center	Wood
Todd	Center	Rosecrans
Goals from touchdowns—Rosecrans (3).		
Substitutions—Stevens: Newman, Mack for Holms, Peters for Marshall, Brown for Todd, Goff for Moynihan, Mack for Stoller, Anderson for Goff, Bowman for Hay, O'Rourke for Rosecrans, Dr. Macdonald, Brown, Mr. Draper, Williams; Head Linesman, Mr. Carter. Time of game—12 minutes.		

SCHOOL CONTESTS SOON.

2,500 Boys Expected to Compete at Madison Square Garden.

The banner attraction of scholastic athletic activity will be the thirteenth annual Indoor Elementary Schools Track and Field Championships at Madison Square Garden on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 18. The meet held last year proved to be the greatest athletic event ever conducted by school athletic organizations, and there were 2,060 boys in actual competition in the sixteen events, which were divided into four weight classes.

This year the scholastic athletic authorities are planning for an entry of 2,500 boys. The Elementary Schools Games Committee has decided that each school in the city shall be permitted to enter four relay teams, and two boys in each individual running and field event, making a maximum entry of forty boys from each school. There are 890 schools in the city, and if each school were to send its full quota of athletes there would be an entry of 16,840, but, of course, many of the smaller schools will not send the maximum number.

Most of the elementary schools of the city have already started their young athletes in training for the big meet, and it is expected that strong teams will be entered by each school.

ICE SKATING THIS WEEK.

St. Nicholas Rink Will Open Saturday—Many Innovations.

The St. Nicholas Ice Skating Rink will open Saturday. Owing to the interest which has been aroused in skating, largely due to the sensational success of the foreign skaters imported from Berlin for the Hippodrome spectacle, the St. Nicholas Ice Skating Rink anticipates the biggest season it has ever had.

The Monday Afternoon Skating Club, an organization of society women, under the direction of Mrs. Philip Golden Bartlett, has been formed. The first meeting will be held next Monday. Every Monday afternoon during the ice skating season the rink will be closed to the public. The Monday Afternoon Skating Club will take the place of the exclusive organization which Mrs. Barker Wallace directed four years ago.

Because of the unusual interest in skating, the rink will be open every afternoon, from 2 to 10, and the opportunity it gives for new fashion and the latest in skating costumes. The rink will be open every afternoon, from 2 to 10, and the opportunity it gives for new fashion and the latest in skating costumes.

It will be possible to learn dancing on skates under the expert direction of the rink. The rink will be open every afternoon, from 2 to 10, and the opportunity it gives for new fashion and the latest in skating costumes.

Princeton and Dartmouth Meet in Intercollegiate Shoot. PRINCETON, N. J., Oct. 23.—The intercollegiate trap shooting match held at Princeton today was won by Yale with a score of 306 out of a possible 500. Princeton and Dartmouth followed in 1914 with scores of 210 and 215, respectively. The high scores of Yale were individual high scores, each making 53 out of 100 targets. High wind held the scores down.

MATTHEWS WINS AT BILLIARDS.

Charles H. Matthews easily defeated Charles Worcester last night in the amateur handicap billiard match at the Knickerbocker Billiard Academy in Brooklyn, by the score of 200 to 83. Matthews was in excellent form and, although he made his handicaps at the start of the match, he was able to maintain his lead until the finish. He ran out his string of 200 in thirty-three innings, making high runs of 31 twice, with an average of 6-33. Worcester, who had only to score 215 to win, had high runs of 19, 11, and 10, with an average of 2-20. Tomorrow night Dr. H. Jennings will attempt to score 215 points before Claude R. Lewis can tally 180.

Callahan Wins Central Park Run.

Boys' High School triumphed over the High School of Commerce in the dual run over the Central Park course yesterday afternoon by the score of 22 to 88. R. Green of Boys' and E. Callahan of Commerce were at the front from the start of the race, and there were spirited sprints between the two students for the lead. Callahan held the lead until the finish, and completing the distance in 14:30. Green was second in 14:15.

Union Elects Track Captain.

Philip Mullen, 16, of Chicago, Ill., has been elected captain of the Union College track team for next season. Mullen was the highest point winner on the Union track team last year, winning the 100-yard dash, the 200-yard dash, the 400-yard dash, the 800-yard dash, the 1,600-yard dash, the 3,200-yard dash, the 6,400-yard dash, the 12,800-yard dash, the 25,600-yard dash, the 51,200-yard dash, the 102,400-yard dash, the 204,800-yard dash, the 409,600-yard dash, the 819,200-yard dash, the 1,638,400-yard dash, the 3,276,800-yard dash, the 6,553,600-yard dash, the 13,107,200-yard dash, the 26,214,400-yard dash, the 52,428,800-yard dash, the 104,857,600-yard dash, the 209,715,200-yard dash, the 419,430,400-yard dash, the 838,860,800-yard dash, the 1,677,721,600-yard dash, the 3,355,443,200-yard dash, the 6,710,886,400-yard dash, the 13,421,772,800-yard dash, the 26,843,545,600-yard dash, the 53,687,091,200-yard dash, the 107,374,182,400-yard dash, the 214,748,364,800-yard dash, the 429,496,729,600-yard dash, the 858,993,459,200-yard dash, the 1,717,986,918,400-yard dash, the 3,435,973,836,800-yard 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VARIED PHASES OF THE COUNTRY'S BUSINESS LIFE

THE MERCHANT'S POINT OF VIEW

Taken by itself, there would not be much significance in the fact that for the week ended Oct. 18 the exports footed up the amazing total of \$73,694,000, the greatest in the country's history. But this is only a single circumstance among many showing the prosperous trend of conditions. In many lines of manufacturing, however, connected with the making of war materials orders for goods are declined because producing capacity has been reached. The transportation facilities are being overtaxed in the movement of freight. Wages in many kinds of occupation are being raised, and, in quite a number, the jobs are beginning to seek the men. The abundance of the harvest has been demonstrated, and has led to the enlargement of purchasing to such an extent that hurry orders have come to the central markets from retailers in nearly every section. Those who foresaw the quickening of activity and provided for it in advance will be large gainers because of their foresight.

Time Is of Advantage.

able to make safe calculations for quite a period to come because of the great probability of a fairly long continuance of existing conditions. What has happened during the week affords added corroboration. In the contracts for cloth and munitions that have just been entered into, provision is made as far ahead as the Spring of 1917, the expectation apparently being that the war will be prolonged at least until then. So long a period will give the industries of this country the opportunity to become strongly entrenched in neutral foreign fields, and thus enable them to maintain their advantage after the war is over. Most of the former German dominance in many of the foreign markets has been due to the cheapness of the wares furnished. Hereafter, in all cases where adequate experience has been had with American products, whether of the metals or textiles, goods will be judged by the standard of quality or service—which means ultimate instead of immediate cheapness—and in this direction those from the United States will more than hold their own. A couple of years will give ample time for South American and other peoples to become familiar with the merits of the wares which this country produces, as well as for the arrangement of satisfactory credit or banking arrangements. The longer the war lasts the more difficult will it be for the European Continental nations to recover their foreign trade. Similarly, with each month's prolonging of hostilities and consequent restriction of imports to this country, the newly established industries here will attain a stronger footing and be less likely to be injured by competition when peace comes. Time works to the advantage of this country in both directions.

Cotton and Cotton Goods.

So far as the textiles are concerned, the past week has shown little change. The price of raw cotton has shown no tendency toward reduction, and, in consequence, there is continued firmness in the prices of all kinds of cotton goods. Dealings in gray goods were not as active as they were the week before, but this has no significance beyond showing that the immediate needs of converters and printers have been met. Mills are not disposed to contract far ahead because there are no signs of cheaper raw material in the future, and the chances are good of obtaining higher prices for fabrics later on. Fancy cottons continue to sell well. Colored goods have to be withdrawn because of scarcity of dyes and colors have been put at value. The knit goods makers are having an especially busy season and some of the mills have been obliged to refuse orders because they have not machines enough to turn out the required amount of product. A gratifying feature of this line is the increasing exports of both underwear and hosiery.

Woolen and Woollen Goods.

Wool is getting into a stronger position, it has been discovered that the prices here are comparatively lower than in the foreign countries of production. This would mean that the material cannot be replaced at the prices which have been prevailing. The prices at the Australian sales have been quite high, and in South America advances have been noted. It is not expected that any bargains will be had at the London colonial auctions, which begin on Tuesday, or at the New Zealand sales next month. With the enormous demand for military purposes, price concessions of the article are not likely to occur. The woolen and worsted mills of this country will use up an enormous quantity within the next six months. One recent army order calling for 5,000,000 yards will keep 1,700 looms going until next April. Other foreign orders which are expected will furnish still more work. While some of this kind of business comes at a very opportune time, because it will keep mills busy during certain otherwise dull months, it will also have the effect of making the mills more independent and not so responsive to the beck and call of domestic buyers. It has already caused the withdrawal of certain lines of goods for Spring. Prices of goods have been steadily advancing in the face of an increasing demand due to the general belief among clothing manufacturers that a

brisk business is in sight for next year. For women's wear Fall dress goods are becoming scarcer, some having been placed at value and others altogether withdrawn. The demand for plushes and corduroys has been such as to tax the capacity of the mills.

Carpet Buyers Here.

Carpet and rug buyers from all over the country will be in the city during the present week. Some of them have been here for several days looking over the offerings. The principal factor in the trade will offer 97,500 bales of rugs and over 5,000 rolls of carpets. This is largely in excess of the amount offered by the same concern last Spring. The value of the goods to be disposed of is something of a guess, but it will probably exceed \$3,500,000. Outside of this offering there will be those of the other large carpet and rug making establishments, whose prices will not be made until after something is known of the auction results. Despite the difficulties for a while of obtaining supplies of carpet wool and of the scarcity and high price of dyes, it is not expected that the prices at the sales will show any great advances. The mills are more interested in a larger distribution than in securing the highest profits on smaller quantities. The interest thus far shown indicates that buyers are ready to purchase in quantity if the prices suit.

Imports During August.

and caused the drawing of some erroneous deductions. The increase, which was over \$12,000,000, has led some to believe that there has come a great stimulation of inbound trade. It must be remembered, however, that August, 1914, which was the first month of the war, was the most in which all foreign trade was most interfered with and things were little better in September. No comparisons have much value which are made of periods before the German commerce destroyers were put out of the way. The foreign trade figures for September, made public yesterday, showed that the imports were nearly \$20,000,000 below those of the corresponding month of 1913, although nearly \$12,000,000 above those of the same month last year. The imports for the nine months ended with September were valued at \$1,302,251,991, against \$1,410,071,874 and \$1,327,385,071 for the similar periods in 1914 and 1913, respectively. Exports for the same months this year totaled \$2,529,575,065 compared with \$1,467,401,989 last year and \$1,738,422,158 two years ago. A larger percentage is shown among the imports of factory materials. Among the exports a great increase is shown in manufactured goods, especially in cotton wearing apparel, boots and shoes, commercial automobiles, wire, firearms and explosives, refined sugar, harness and saddles, aeroplanes, and woolen goods.

Some Advantages Here.

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FOREIGN GOODS BY PARCEL POST

Shipments Coming So In Large Quantity from Germany and Austria-Hungary.

One of the marked commercial transformations wrought by the European outbreak was the change in the character of merchandise being brought into this country through the medium of the foreign parcel post service. This service is now effective between the United States and some foreign countries. Up to the time of the outbreak of the war the parcel post was used to a large extent by persons for the exchange of gifts, and, of course, for more or less limited commercial transactions.

During the first few months of the conflict abroad, except for temporary interference with the service, the general character of imports sent here remained unchanged. This situation, however, began to undergo a transformation shortly after the announcement early this year of Great Britain's embargo of the outbreak of the war. The embargo of the United States, which was placed on the German and Austro-Hungarian origin. The kinds of things formerly sent over by the parcel post were largely of the character of their place German and Austro-Hungarian shippers started in to use this service to send their merchandise.

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BRITISH TAILORS TO READY-TO-WEAR

Custom Tailors Lose Ground—Little Probability of the Clothing Coming Here.

The great development of the ready-made clothing trade in England was made the subject of a lecture to the classes in the south of Scotland Technical College, Glasgow, by Dr. Thomas Oliver, the President, and is reported in substance by Consul Rufus Fleming, stationed at Edinburgh.

Manufacturing clothiers in this market who were acquainted with the details of the ready-to-wear industry in England and the progress made, agreed that if the British manufacturers improve their product and set themselves earnestly to the task of supplying this country with the cheaper grades of clothing they might offer serious competition.

The New Conditions in Clothing Manufacture in Scotland.

Described by Dr. Oliver: "Thirty years ago, Glasgow was a very important center of distribution of ready-made clothing for the world, but the market of Glasgow has largely disappeared, owing to so many of the firms taking up the ready-made line. The rise of the ready-to-wear branch of the industry has been a strong temptation to the economical buyer. It can buy a satisfactory suit at \$25 (30 shillings) for \$15 (18 shillings) or \$10 (12 shillings) in a suit. So a tailoring business which was once a very profitable one, is now reduced to a very small margin. Three men, while the clothier is busy making a suit, are making three suits. Some of these are marvelous productions. Last year, for example, one of the Glasgow firms offered suits made to measure at 15s (38 shillings) from cloth on view in the shop. The cloth was of the highest quality, with cotton warp and weft, and consisted of a twist made of woolen and cotton threads in both warp and weft, and was a good imitation of a fancy woolen cloth. "In another city I saw that one tailor was offering a very fair production at 16s 10s (41 shillings), made to measure, with a good lining, and allowing that the price was a special offer during the cheap sale period, I cannot figure out the near future, came in to the various firms concerned. Division of labor is nowhere in greater evidence than in the clothing industry. In the recent boom in army requirements clothing firms have been constrained to sublet part of their contracts. They have allowed subcontractors to do the work, and in return for the work the subcontractors have obtained, for the war, lower prices were obtained. In the provincial towns is for tailors, instead of ordering cloth from the merchants, they are ordering from the manufacturers. 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A Real Conversation Between Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels, Admiral Taylor, and Thomas A. Edison on How to Meet Some of the Great Problems of the Day, Especially Arranged and Stenographically Reported for The New York Times



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By Edward Marshall.

HERE is the detailed record of one of the most remarkable conversations ever occurring anywhere in the world. It was arranged and consummated for THE NEW YORK TIMES.

Those participating were Thomas A. Edison, the world's greatest inventor; Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the United States Navy; Admiral D. W. Taylor, Chief of the United States Navy's Bureau of Construction, and myself.

The Naval Advisory Board, that amazingly original, infinitely able and truly democratic body recently organized, which itself is the outgrowth of one of these interviews (that with Mr. Edison, published May 30th) had just completed one of its early sessions. I had been waiting all the afternoon for its adjournment, sitting, meanwhile, in the historic room which is the office of the Secretary of the Navy.

Mr. Edison came in with the Secre-

First Meeting of the New Naval Advisory Board, Assembled by Secretary Daniels from Among the Most Notable Scientists in the Country.

In the group, photographed in the office of the Secretary of the Navy, are Thomas A. Edison, Chairman; W. R. Whitney, Arthur G. Webster, A. M. Hunt, Alfred Cravan, Spencer Miller, William Le Roy Emmett, Matthew B. Sellers, Hudson Maxim, Peter C. Hewitt, Thomas Robins, Howard E. Coffin, Andrew L. Riker, Henry A. Wise Wood, Elmer A. Sperry, William L. Saunders, Benjamin B. Thayer, J. W. Richards, and Lawrence Addicks.

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tary of the Navy and a dozen others. Soon Admiral Taylor joined them.

Presently the room was clear of every one but us, as had been pre-arranged that morning.

Then we formed a little group near Lincoln's globe, the Secretary, the Admiral and the stenographer, (a good stenographer whose name is Almond,) on three of the old room's historic chairs, Mr. Edison and myself on a settee.

The article which follows is the record of the thought of these three men, expressed at a time when they had just been keenly stimulated to reflection on these especial topics by discussion of

them with the most extraordinary group of scientists that ever gathered for the patriotic purpose of laying at a nation's feet their specialized ability.

Later their expressions were carefully rounded out. I went back to New York that night with Mr. Edison to go over the whole thing, and caught the first returning train to Washington next morning, so that the Secretary and the Admiral might have an opportunity to do the public a like service.

After the whole matter had been written, condensed and pulled together into concentrated form, not too conversational to distract the attention of

the reader from its salient points, it was submitted to each one of its principals for his revision.

So, as it is, it must be as true a statement as in any way could be prepared of what these men, Edison, the greatest of the world's inventors, Daniels, the Secretary of the Navy, and Taylor, the Admiral in charge of our Bureau of Construction, think we ought to do, believe we can do, and propose to try to help us do to preserve this nation from such horrors as have plunged Europe into mourning that is near despair and set back the clock of civilization by decades.

I began the conversation by asking Secretary Daniels what he thought the new Advisory Board was likely to accomplish for the country's good. And from this point I shall use the record exactly as it has been approved by all concerned, presenting it as graphically as possible, in the form of dialogue.

SECRETARY DANIELS—I am sure that it will prove to be a wonderful step forward. The willingness of these

eminent civilians to give their time and energy to the country's welfare at this time is patriotism of the highest order.

MR. EDISON—The welcome which the navy men have given us outsiders is astonishing. It looks like patriotism all around.

ADMIRAL TAYLOR—The United States Navy, as a whole, sir, is glad to see you aboard. Your interest and that of all the other eminent gentlemen who have come from shore to help us ought to give us the most efficient navy in the world. I believe this board is going to make history.

THE HISTORIAN—It has been the general impression—

ADMIRAL TAYLOR—I know. It always has been the belief, outside, that the civilian inventor has not been given even a square deal by the navy, let alone welcomed here. This has not been warranted by facts, and the appointment of this board and the eagerness with which the whole navy greets the promise of its co-operation must forever set aside even the suspicion that it can in the future.

THE HISTORIAN (directly to the Secretary of the Navy)—Has the European war developed any great new naval problems which it is especially important that we, as a nation, should solve?

SECRETARY DANIELS—At least it has emphasized the importance of several.

ADMIRAL TAYLOR—The submarine is a purely naval problem and it is not clear that any of the warring powers have fully solved it. The matter of aerial navigation is as much a naval problem as it is a military problem, and of course we all are sure that it is in its infancy.

SECRETARY DANIELS—Engines offer the principal difficulty in both cases.

ADMIRAL TAYLOR—Is there anything

vance—more important to the seafaring man than to the landman, all must admit—wireless communication.

MR. EDISON—Fine! Any more?

ADMIRAL TAYLOR—Plenty. For years, in irregular and unsystematic ways, the navy has been able to utilize the ideas and the advice of civilians. It was an officer in the Revenue Service, not in the navy, who discovered that floss-silk makes fine life-preservers, and we are now making not only life-preservers proper, but other things which may be used as life pre-

SECRETARY DANIELS—Speaking generally, you believe in preparedness for war?

MR. EDISON—Not for war but for defense. It was unpreparedness for defense that wrecked Belgium. If France, Belgium and England had been prepared for defense as well as Germany was prepared for war, would any of them have been embarked, today, on the adventure which has so upset the world? I don't think so. Those who began the fight would have been well aware that if it started they

infied with the working out of your own plan toward preparedness so far as the appointment of this board goes?

MR. EDISON—Naturally it pleases me. The old way of industry and of war was first men and then, perhaps, machines. The new way is, first, certainly, machines, and then, perhaps, men. With inventors working with trained brains, and with machinists working with trained hands, the trained sailor or soldier for the ranks becomes much less important than he used to be. We ought to have trained officers in great abundance. I think we should have not one but several schools like Annapolis, and West Point for each branch of the service. We need many trained officers but comparatively few trained men in the ranks.

ADMIRAL TAYLOR—In the old days we had sailors in the navy. Now we have machinists.

MR. EDISON—Precisely. The more efficient our machinery is the less we shall need large bodies of men kept out of industry for the purpose of military drill. Industry trains machinists. And the nation which keeps its men at industry will have most money—most money to spend upon machinery in case war is forced upon it. And men trained in industry, and keeping at that industry even when their nation is at war, very well thus may serve a purpose quite as useful and as patriotic as they could serve if they enlisted as sailors, or put rifles on their shoulders, or packed parts of machine, guns on their backs, then going to the zone of fire.

THE HISTORIAN—Secretary Daniels, do you think the board's request for the establishment of a large laboratory, or several laboratories, to be in the control of naval experts and to be used for research work, a wise one?

SECRETARY DANIELS—I think it one



Admiral D. W. Taylor, United States Navy.

Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels.

insuperable in the engine problem, Mr. Edison?

MR. EDISON—I don't see why there should be.

SECRETARY DANIELS—Even if there is, this board, now, will find a way around it.

ADMIRAL TAYLOR—Our navy has had more from civilians already than many may imagine and we have been more cordial than we are given credit for. It was six years ago that Sperry came to us with the gyroscope compass and a gyroscope device for controlling the rolling of ships. I think he, himself, will tell you that he was given a respectful hearing and a good deal of help in the department. The department has spent several thousand dollars in developing his ideas and now we are putting his devices into practical service on the ships. It would be a strange thing if the navy should scorn civilian brains.

The navy itself has turned out some good inventions, but I can name three epoch-making achievements of civilians. Indeed they have revolutionized the sciences of naval defense and offense.

Holland was a civilian, and the world owes the practical submarine to him.

Wright was a civilian, and the world and all its navies owe him for the aeroplane.

Marconi, a civilian, gave to the world, and more especially to its navies, that inestimable scientific ad-

vanced, such as pillows, mattresses, &c., for naval use, out of this material.

SECRETARY DANIELS

—Electric steering-gear was a civilian invention, was it not?

ADMIRAL TAYLOR—Yes. Before the Spanish War we had several methods of turning the turrets on our warships, among them hydraulic and steam systems. Then a civilian came along, suggesting that we turn them by electric power. It was an absolutely new thought. Our navy eagerly took it up, and, in that detail, remains far in advance of the other navies of the world. I think all the European vessels engaged in the present war turn their turrets by one or another of the old systems. Since we adopted that which we now use we have tried out three other methods, all originating outside of the department.

SECRETARY DANIELS—The existence of this board adds vastly more to our national defenses than the construction of a dozen fortresses or the launching of a fleet of naval ships could do.

MR. EDISON—We must make it too dangerous an adventure for any nation to enter into war with us. Always in the past war has been left to solve its own problems. If peace now foresees them, war will not need to solve them. There are more kinds of unpreparedness than one. That kind really might prevent war.

would not have the slightest chance of winning it.

Until some way has been devised for making international agreements count, as long, indeed, as one bad boy, one ruffian, exists among the nations, other nations must be ready to protect their rights, just as we must have police upon our city streets until the last burglar disappears from them.

SECRETARY DANIELS—How would you define preparedness, Mr. Edison?

MR. EDISON—The nation which is ideally prepared, is prepared in such a way that the process does not bear too heavily upon its people.

I am sure that a preparedness sufficient to protect a nation against predatory neighbors, near or distant, can be accomplished without, for example, disturbing industry. The preparedness of Europe disturbed industry in two ways: first it robbed it of its workers, second, it overtaxed it and them.

ADMIRAL TAYLOR—And what suggestion would you make for a preparedness for us which would not be a burden on our people.

MR. EDISON—The nation which is over-prepared with the machinery of war can afford to be under-prepared with men. I said something of that sort in the interview which first suggested the appointment of the Naval Advisory Board. Stop and think.

SECRETARY DANIELS—Are you sat-

isfied with the working out of your own plan toward preparedness so far as the appointment of this board goes?

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MR. EDISON—Progressive individuals and great corporations in business have found research work a very profitable way of spending money. I know of a number of concerns which have started small laboratories, only to increase them steadily as they learned of their importance, and I know of no concern which, after the establishment of research work, has abandoned it. If research will pay the individual or the corporation in dollars and cents, it will pay the United States in efficiency.

SECRETARY DANIELS—There is no problem which the American cannot solve, and none which he will not solve if he be given time enough and the right facilities for work.

MR. EDISON—In the commercial world Americans have spent more than any-

...ne of time and money on experiments. Except, perhaps, Germany, American private corporations have spent millions on experiment to thousands spent in similar ways in any other nation. Private American corporations have spent far more in this way, during the past twenty years, than our Government has spent since the signing of the Declaration of Independence.

We shall not find the work of this board an expensive matter. Really, experiments made in advance are much more economical than those which are made in the face of emergency, after the need has arisen and is so urgent, as to require haste, and those whose cost is greatest are those which are deferred until they are too late.

This is preparedness of the right sort, I am sure. The trouble with most military and naval preparedness is that it usually is accomplished by all sorts of waste, due principally to the fact that it has not been preceded by enough experimentation.

SECRETARY DANIELS—Working as we now are planning to work, it ought not to be difficult to avoid waste.

MR. EDISON—While the laboratory will cost money, it will save money, too, for it will do away with much fruitless expenditure, such as has been unavoidable under the old system.

The experimental tank at the Navy Yard saved a large proportion of the coal bill of the fleet and notably increased its speed. The lessons it has taught have benefited not only the navies of the world, but the world's merchant marine, as well. Think of what the experiments to come may do!

THE HISTORIAN (who had heard some talk in Washington of increasing difficulty in securing recruits for the navy)—Will this plan tend

toward adding to the attractiveness of naval service among high-class young men?

ADMIRAL TAYLOR—It seems inevitable that it should do so. Indeed, I am convinced that it will have a powerful influence in that direction. It will help to make the navy understood and popular with the country at large.

The more young men know about it the more likely they will be to want to join it. Young Americans are getting to have a very high regard for training which will help them toward efficiency. Naval training will do that, and, because of this board, will do it more emphatically in the future than it has in the past.

It has been proved abroad that a certain amount of drill and discipline is a distinct help in civil life. And a young man entering the navy has a perfect opportunity to qualify among one of several lines sure to be valuable after the period of his enlistment ends.

The navy offers splendid technical training in mechanical and electrical engineering; it inevitably must tend to help immensely any youngster with a trend toward either. To young men who, through lack of opportunities, find themselves deficient in any of the common branches, it offers splendid opportunities to become proficient during their periods of enlistment.

SECRETARY DANIELS—The board, too, will be an influence toward peace. That is the essential thing that we, as a nation, most hope for.

Personally, I hope that after this great war the whole world will come together for peace, and I am sure that every member of the board emphatically shares his hope. I believe it will be an influence in that direction.

ADMIRAL TAYLOR—And every officer of the navy, too, sir. It is my belief that no idea could be more erroneous than that which credits the

professional naval or military man with a desire for war. Why should they want war? If war comes, will they not be the ones to suffer the most whether we win or lose? We in the navy don't want war. Our hope is that we serve a very useful purpose in preventing it, and we regard a prepared army and navy as the best insurance against war.

I cannot believe that the best way to avoid it is to be unprepared to defend ourselves when so many nations are so competently prepared to make assault upon us.

THE HISTORIAN—What are some of the unsolved problems which the board most usefully can look into?

ADMIRAL TAYLOR—The rapid development of the aeroplane for land work makes its more complete development for naval work a real necessity. Everywhere the instruments of aviation are far less developed for ship work than they could be and should be.

Although aero manufacturers, here and abroad, have done much, what remains to be done, and there is this satisfaction about aero development; whatever is done along that line by the armies and navies of the world, or by private manufacturers for army and navy use, will be of general benefit, for there can be no doubt that we are on the eve of the beginning of an era of air-navigation with a commercial as well as a military significance.

MR. EDISON—Great things are coming to us through the air.

ADMIRAL TAYLOR—The European war has demonstrated the necessity for improving the protection of our ships against undersea attack by mines and submarines. Naval constructors all over the world are working on that problem.

The peril is not a new one, but the increase in torpedo size gives it some

new aspects. Far from being obsolete, the torpedo has sunk several naval vessels during the course of this war.

We also must look to the development of surface craft which will serve protectively against submarines. In England small, very fast boats are being used as scouts and anti-submarine gunboats. In the navy we have dubbed them "terriers."

Destroyers have done good work, but craft even smaller have been most useful, and this presents a problem we must study.

We scarcely can hope to render capital ships immune from submarine attack, but it is not beyond reason to believe that we may make them less sensitive to it than they at present are.

Developments in the submarine itself seem likely ere long to do away with much of the present effectiveness of its small enemies. This puts us squarely face to face with the other problem. Already we have made experiments which indicate the possibility of great improvement.

In naval warfare this struggle has developed nothing so astonishing, so epoch-making, as was developed in our civil war when the Monitor met the Merrimac in Hampton Roads and the ironclad ship became a fact.

The various types of ships seem to have functioned about as they were expected to. None of them has really startled any of us.

We are continually making progress with big ships, although it must be slow, because of the immense expense and great time required for such experimentation.

MR. EDISON—The nation always has had reason to admire its navy's aptitude for seizing new ideas.

SECRETARY DANIELS—And, now that this board is fairly under way, new ideas, great ideas, will be plentiful.

Dowager Queen of Italy Writes War Poem

Dowager Queen Margherita of Italy, widow of King Humbert and mother of the present King Victor Emmanuel III, is the author of the patriotic war poem of which a translation in prose is printed herewith. Each verse has been printed separately in Italy and placed before the eyes of wounded soldiers lying in the hospitals in order to comfort them in their sufferings.

By Dowager Queen Margherita of Italy.

HONOR to the soldiers of Italy, glory and pride of their fatherland.

May your heroic endurance of pain be a splendid example to the growing youth of our land!

Like storm clouds, fearful dangers crowd upon us from all sides. But our soldiers, their eyes fixed on the Star of Italy shining in the heavens, remain imperturbable amid the unchained tempests.

O beautiful land of Italy, your children have given their all to thee willingly that they might see thee shine forth in even greater beauty. Remember this forever, and inscribe their names in golden letters in the pages of this history, where they have already inscribed their names in letters of blood.

God bless those who, forgetful of themselves, brave with serene courage the worst sufferings for the sake of their country!

O heroic defenders of Italy, may you find in this place rest from your glorious labors and draw therefrom renewed strength to stand new tests if your country summons you again.

O heroes, who endure in silence your bleeding wounds, remember, every one of you, that your country thrills with admiration for you, because she knows that your wounds are the price of her glory.

Verses by King Victor Emmanuel's Mother Are Being Read to Wounded in Hospitals

Honor, immortal honor, to those splendid legions of heroes, who, every day, every hour, offer to thee in silence their lives, O fatherland, and ask nothing in exchange but that thou mayst rise to greatness!

Flowers, living jewels of the smiling fields of Italy, borne by the breeze that blows from our azure sea, rain down in a flood of light upon the brows of our soldiers, and bring to them, in each of your petals, the gratitude of Italian hearts.

Love of country, sacred love, pure love, ardent love, in thy name every sacrifice becomes easy, every suffering bearable; thou softenest pain and instillest happiness into the souls which are thine wholly.

Every drop of blood shed for Italy becomes a precious jewel that will enrich Italy's crown.

The angels of God bear to the heavens the prayers of all the women of Italy for

the soldiers, and each prayer comes back as a benediction on our Italian soil.

Italy, look upon thy children armed for thy glory, see the blood generously shed by them for thy honor, and be proud, for never will thou see children more devoted to their mother.

Dazzling sun that lightest this beautiful land with thy rays of gold, hast thou seen aught more marvelous than the heroism of the children of Italy?

Let all bow deeply when one of the brave men, wounded for the glory of our country, passes. No salute can honor their courage enough.

Blessed be the soldiers of Italy, whose calm heroism has realized the dream of so many centuries!

The flag is passing; salute it, all ye who have the good fortune of seeing it, and remember that in its folds are enshrined all the heroic deeds which have given to our country all her greatness.

Unfurl to the winds the banners of Italy, that all may see them, and say, as they are borne past: "We thank you, O brothers, O brave men; it is through you that our glorious colors are clothed in new and imperishable glory!"

Faith and love of country united lend wings to the soul and rise in strong flight toward all that is true, good, beautiful, great.

May all who have seen the Italy of today and felt all the greatness of the nation's soul, rejuvenated by the heroic exploits of her children, give thanks to God for such good fortune.

Italy, sacred name, sweet name, thou fliest to the lips of the soldier of iron, vigilantly guarding our Alps, and to the lips of the hardy mariner who defends thy shores and the sea which is thine; both drink in from thy name the energy for the sublimest of sacrifices.

When the children of thy children, O brave men, look upon the scars of your glorious wounds, they will dream of deserving some day the gratitude of their country, as you have deserved it, heroic defenders of Italy.

Random Bits

Nebraska 192,358, New Mexico 27,788, 357, Oklahoma 42,177, Oregon 15,442,178, Utah 33,363,837, Washington 1,144,605, Wisconsin 6,758, Wyoming 30,929,969.

Only 64,977 carats of diamonds were exported from British South Africa during the first four months of 1915, whereas in January-April, 1914, there were 1,524,649 carats exported, and 1,802,126 carats in the like period of 1913.

The great arid wastes of Persia would lead one to believe that the country does not produce sufficient grain to supply the needs of its population. Such, however, is not the case, and considerable quantities of grain are exported each year. The principal grains grown are wheat, barley, and rice. Corn is planted in small quantities, but is only used for roasting ears. Oats and rye are seldom sown. Except along the Caspian coast Persian agriculture is dependent almost entirely on irrigation. The agricultural implements used in Persia are of the most primitive kind. Plows are made from forks of small trees with the addition of a share of iron. It is stated to be doubtful, however, whether the yield of grain would be greatly increased by using modern plows, as there is no sod and this crude implement seems to stir the soil fairly well.

THE railway system of Japan is practically a Government monopoly, only 265.58 miles of railway being privately owned on March 31, 1915, (the latest date for which statistics are available), out of a total mileage of 5,944. It is reported that the Imperial Government Railway Bureau has planned to construct 80 miles and 52 chains of new lines in the fiscal year 1915-16 at an estimated cost of 8,543,859 yen, (\$4,200,022). The Government lines are slowly being extended to tap all portions of the country where industry, agriculture, manufacturing, forestry, and mining are so far advanced as to require a ready means of transportation to the central markets. It is intended to construct on an average about 200 miles of new lines a year until such time as the country will no longer require any great extension of the existing system.

The State of Nevada has 55,417,746 acres of unoccupied public land; Michigan has 76,000 acres, subject to entry; Kansas 75,214, North Dakota 493,667, South Dakota 2,880,928, Alabama 47,940, Arizona 86,810,327, Arkansas 278,133, California 20,835,923, Colorado 17,236, 114, Florida 268,484, Idaho 16,213,273, Louisiana 101,016, Minnesota 943,831, Mississippi 86,833, Montana 19,065,121,

Guncotton Builds a Boom Town Overnight

Rush of War Orders at du Pont Plants Transforms Hopewell, Va., from a Desolate Settlement to a City Where Fortunes Are Being Made—and Lost

WHEN I walked into the little "tonsorial parlor" next door to the hotel in Petersburg, Va., I found the barber fairly gloating over the front page of a Richmond paper. Elation was written all over him; he was so pleased with what he saw that he didn't even notice my entrance.

"Well, what makes you so happy?" I asked, not being one of those refined persons who discourage conversation in barbers. (In fact, I like it.)

He held out the paper before me and pointed to the headline:

GREAT ARTILLERY DUEL IN FRANCE—ALLIES LAVISH WITH AMMUNITION.

I didn't see anything in this to make a Petersburg barber particularly happy. But it was all explained in a moment. He had four lots only half a mile from the du Pont guncotton plants at Hopewell. He had bought them three days before at \$75 apiece. The hotel proprietor had offered him a hundred for them yesterday, and he figured they'd be worth a hundred and fifty tomorrow.

And if these artillery duels kept up! That is the sort of thing you hear on every corner in Petersburg today. This little town—indeed, all this section of Virginia—is Hopewell-mad. Everybody there has had his imagination hit by a boom that is, in many ways, the most remarkable in the history of this booming, fast-living nation.

In hotel corridors and along the street one finds little knots of men with their heads close together, talking excitedly and looking at blue prints marked off into squares and streets. If one crowds close enough he is apt to hear snatches of talk such as "building eight more units," "du Pont's going to buy a thousand acres along the railroad," "Russia put in an order for fifty million dollars' worth of guncotton," "trolley line going to operate before Christmas," and so on. Some of these men are poor and hope to be rich; some are rich and hope to be richer. All of them are full of confidence that Hopewell is not a mere mushroom growth, that it is going to last.

How long the prosperity will endure nobody can tell, but there is no doubt that fabulous profits have been made by the lucky ones. Any business man in Petersburg can tell you of several clean-ups that sound like the stories of the Forty—that sound like the stories of the Forty.

The most eloquent bare fact is that last February the land that is now the settlement of Hopewell was not worth on the market more than \$10,000. Now the market value of it is rated at anywhere between a million and a million and a half. And this does not include the outlying portions that are being cut up into suburban lots.

In March there was only one house on the opposite side of the track from the du Pont plant, where the heart of the settlement now is. There were no buildings anywhere around except those put up by the company down at City Point, on the angle of land formed by two rivers. Nobody thought that it would be anything more than a company layout. It was not till the beginning of

April that a few campy folk waked up to what was going to happen.

Hopewell is nine miles from Petersburg, down where the James and Appomattox Rivers come together. In its natural state it is one of the dreariest, most desolate spots in the world. Until this year it had been dreary and desolate ever since the first settlers came from England in 1710. Today its main street is more crowded than Fifth Avenue or Broadway. There is not a more cosmopolitan or vivid spot in America. Greeks, Italians, Bohemians, and Russians, and many other peoples jostle one another on the narrow streets, and in among them are a goodly number of the native white men and black men of America. But no Germans, Austrians, or Turks! The company has cleared them all out.

The du Pont plants employ at least 18,000 men in the manufacture of guncotton and in the construction of new buildings. A reasonable estimate of the weekly pay to these men is \$400,000, which means \$800,000 on every bi-weekly pay day—most of it turned loose on Hopewell, and the rest of it on Petersburg. The week goes on twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week. One hundred and fifty carloads of material for manufacture and consumption—come in every day; and fifty carloads of guncotton go out.

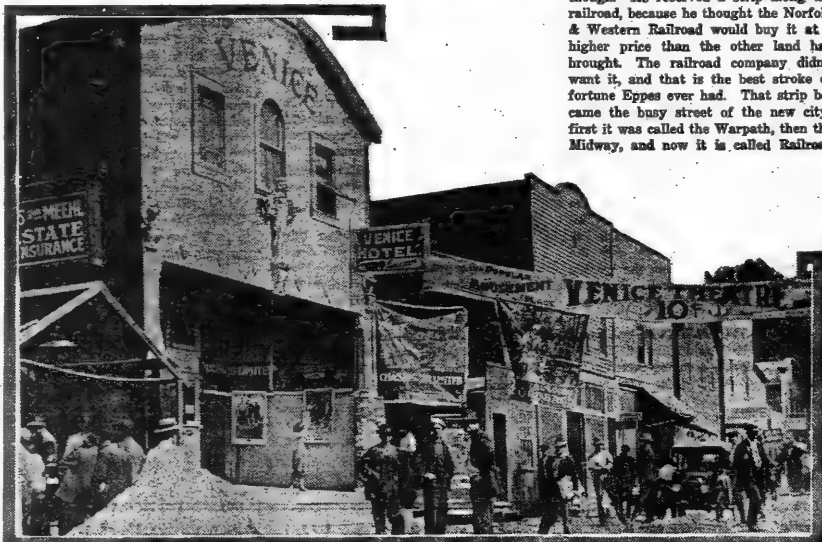
One thousand bales of cotton lint— the part of the cotton that is left on the seed after ginning and is then taken off in the cottonseed-oil mills—are consumed in the du Pont plants at Hopewell every day. This represents half the country's total supply of lint, and the demand here has sent up the price from about one cent to four cents a pound.

And all the while there is building, building, building. Cars loaded with

steel, galvanized iron, lumber and the ingredients for reinforced concrete roll into the great du Pont inclosure—1,600 acres surrounded by a high fence and patrolled night and day by guards. Two guncotton plants are already in operation; an acid plant, said to be the largest sulphuric acid plant in the world, is nearly done; and a third guncotton plant is under way. Thousands of skilled and unskilled workmen—nobody outside knows just how many thousands

He had two tracts, something over ninety acres altogether, that he decided to sell in April. He got \$80,000 for ninety acres. People thought the man who paid it was crazy. Eppes thought he had made a good deal, but today he is cursing his poor judgement; for it is on these same ninety acres that the settlement has built up, and if he had waited four or five months he could have sold for a million.

There was one lucky thing he did, though. He reserved a strip along the railroad, because he thought the Norfolk & Western Railroad would buy it at a higher price than the other land had brought. The railroad company didn't want it, and that is the best stroke of fortune Eppes ever had. That strip became the busy street of the new city; first it was called the Warpath, then the Midway, and now it is called Railroad



The Amusement Section of Hopewell.

are kept going at top speed putting up the buildings—not only structures for the manufacturing itself, but an ice plant, an electric light plant, a steam plant, and a pumping plant. They are building cinder roads and streets through the property. There are fifty miles of railroad sidings in the inclosure.

But it is the real estate end of the project that interests the people of the surrounding country. And it is in real estate that fortunes have been made in Hopewell. Of course, fortunes may be lost there too. That remains to be seen. The most enthusiastic boomers admit that it all depends upon whether the du Pont industry is permanent or temporary. Nobody expects the production of explosives to go on at the present hectic rate, but many of the local lights with a reputation for prudence think there will always be a big production of high explosives at Hopewell. To back up this opinion they point to the substantial construction of the du Pont plants and to the double-tracking of the Norfolk & Western Railroad branch line from Petersburg to Hopewell.

A man named Eppes, whose family were among the settlers of 1710, has lived at Hopewell all his life. Until last Spring he was a land-poor farmer.

Avenue. The ground leases along Railroad Avenue bring Eppes in five thousand dollars a month. He hasn't had to bother to put up the buildings—the leaseholders do that.

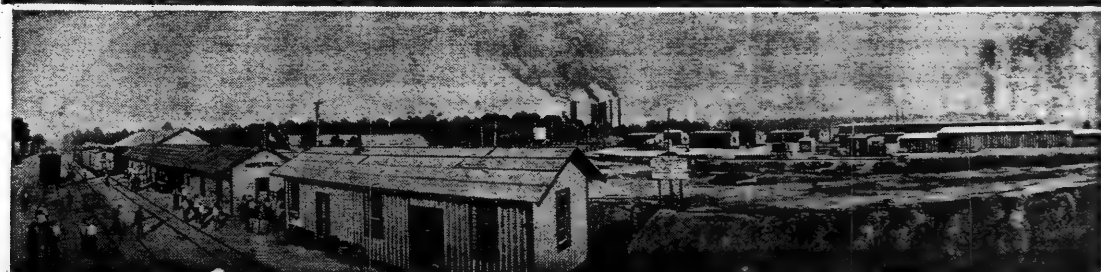
There was never a worse road—there couldn't be—than the one from Petersburg to Hopewell. At least that is what you think until you see the stretches of earth that pass for streets in Hopewell itself. Not only are they not streets; roads would be a fancy name for them. They are more like ridges and ravines occasionally relieved by mud puddles. Nobody has time for street or road building; all energies are devoted to putting up houses.

Feverishly they build houses, but they haven't begun to catch up with the demand. Hundreds of tents are rented out for \$10 and \$12 dollars a month by owners of land just beyond the built-up section. Five thousand men have to go to and from Petersburg every day, because they can't get any place to sleep in Hopewell. The Norfolk & Western runs its trains in two or three sections of ten cars each, and yet can't seem to get enough rolling stock; the workmen not only fill the inside of the cars, they cling to the platforms and hang on to the windows like flies.

In June a Methodist preacher who



Looking North from the Railroad Station.



The Station, and at the Right of the Picture the du Pont Powder Works.

had a little farmhouse in Hopewell sold eighty acres for \$80,000. He kept eight or nine acres, and not long ago he was offered \$19,000 for that. Incidentally, the preacher, while he got the \$80,000 from the purchasers in the June transaction, made them pay him \$1,000 extra for his growing crop.

A Roman Catholic priest, on the day of the first auction sale of lots last Spring, asked a railroad contractor, a friend of his, to buy ten or twelve lots for him because he couldn't attend the sale himself. The contractor told him he was foolish to buy, but the priest stuck to his request. Toward the end of the sale the contractor bought twelve lots for \$1,250. Two weeks later the auctioneer came to the contractor and offered him \$12,000 for the same lots. Whereupon the contractor ran to the priest and advised acceptance.

"No," said the priest, "if they're so

anxious I'll hold those lots a little longer."

In August he received an offer of \$25,000 for the twelve lots, and refused that. And he has not sold yet.

That shows the confidence the people who live there have in the future of Hopewell. They can give the stranger all sorts of reasons for their faith. If their predictions turn out, they'll be put down as wise men; and, of course, as fools if the bubble bursts.

The du Pont people, like Uncle Remus's rabbit, "ain't sayin' nothin'." Maybe they don't know themselves what's going to happen. Evidently they didn't foresee the extent of the development up to date, for they had to go into the market long after they bought their first land and buy more at a greatly advanced price.

The men in authority at the du Pont plants have two principal occupations:

one is making explosives and the other is refusing to be interviewed.

"The oyster is an orator compared with a du Pont official," a Petersburg real estate man said recently.

Politically Hopewell is a fiction. There isn't any such place. It is just part of Prince George County. It has grown up since the Legislature adjourned, and there's been no chance to incorporate it. Even if the Legislature were in session now, folks say Hopewell couldn't be incorporated because it hasn't enough voting citizens in it. Out of a population of from 30,000 to 40,000, there are said to be less than fifty voters.

Up to a little while ago Hopewell was as wide open as a Western mining town ever was. Roulette on the sidewalks, and liquor sold openly, though the county was legally dry. Fights on the street every minute, and every other man carrying a pistol. Things got so bad that the State

authorities in Richmond were disturbed and sent for some of the leading citizens. The result was that the local Chief of Police—put into his position by the unofficial action of a business men's league—was arrested on a charge of bribery and the State sent some of its own officers to keep a watch. But the main reliance was placed, and still is placed, on the force of police and detectives employed by the du Pont Company. This force is under the command of Major Sylvester, formerly head of the Washington Police Department.

Despite its wonderful prosperity, Hopewell is today about the most dilapidated-looking settlement ever seen anywhere. The houses are of the flimsiest frame construction, except those put up by the du Ponts at City Point and some of the newer ones in the outlying parts, and everything is unkempt and dirty. But the leading citizens say it is going to change. A few brick buildings are beginning to go up already, and the "suburban" houses—some of them—have a look that approaches neatness.

Meanwhile the real estate deals, acreage sales, and auction sales go on. Buyers crowd over one another. The Hopewell boosters tell the visitor proudly that not a lot has been resold yet at a loss to the seller. The latest movement is a campaign, started by Petersburg business men, to annex Hopewell to Petersburg. They say that that will solidify the prosperity of the remarkable mushroom city. But at the bottom of it all is gun-cotton. And the hopes of Hopewell are built upon the continuance of the du Pont plant for the purpose of supplying explosives to the United States and foreign Governments after the present war is over.



Residence Section of Hopewell, Built Practically Overnight.

High-Class Plays for Workers at Low Prices

Herr Reicher Plans to Do in America What He Did in Germany— Repertoire to be International and Include Ibsen and Gerhart Hauptmann

BY rights I should be dead, for I belong to German stage history," said Herr Emanuel Reicher to a *Times* representative last week. "It was my part years ago to meet with incredulity and ridicule in my efforts to supply the German workman with a prodigious return of dramatic art for a most economical expenditure. Now, I feel that I have done enough for Germany, and I wish to offer my services and my experience to the American people, for whom I have always had the highest regard."

Herr Reicher is the director of a two-fold movement, which he calls "The Modern Stage" and "The American People's Theatre." The plan is the result of a long postponed intention to attempt in America something of the same sort as the "Free Stage" and "People's Theatre" movements which have been successful in the Freie Bühne of Otto Brahm in Berlin, in the Théâtre Libre of Antoine in Paris, and in the Art Theatre of Stanislavski in Moscow.

Tentative beginnings were made in this direction last year, but owing to unfavorable conditions Herr Reicher was

prevented from carrying out the plan as he had conceived it. Two successful productions indeed were made—that of "Elga" of Gerhart Hauptmann, with Fräulein Hedwig Reicher in the leading part, and of "John Gabriel Borkman" of Ibsen, in which the title rôle was played by Herr Reicher himself.

"I was told that theatres would be going begging," he explained, "that first-class artists would be available for a song. Happily for the rest of the dramatic profession, the contrary proved to be the case, so that our five presentations were limited to two. But this season I have looked about me to some purpose, and all arrangements for seven productions have been made.

"Twenty-five years ago," he continued, "I was interested in the founding of the Freie Volksbühne in Berlin, which followed by five years our successful launching of the Freie Bühne for the presentation of masterpieces of dramatic art of all countries, which had been overlooked or ignored by the conservative theatres. Our 'People's Stage' presented the same class of play, but presented it to the people, to the artisan with his wife, to the clerk, the secretary, the Govern-

ment employe, the shop employe, to the great public whose pleasures must be strictly limited to the small-priced amusements.

"This great class had, on that account, been rather looked down upon by the managers. A play with an intellectual appeal was dubbed 'out of their depth.' 'The working man?' said the manager. 'Oh, he wants his cheap amusement, of course, but to please him, the amusement itself must be cheap, too.' We were laughed out of court with our proposition to give him the best for his 50 pfennigs.

"How soon our faith was justified! The Freie Volksbühne was an immediate success, and just before the war the Verein had a membership of over 120,000, and the theatre which it had built was not big enough to hold its members, who had to be accommodated at extra matinees at other houses. The criticisms and comments that I have heard from this public are extraordinary. So penetrating, so treffend"—there is no good translation for treffend, and Herr Reicher was speaking German.

"Our present plan," he continued, "is a combination of these two ideas—the

Free Stage and the People's Stage. I am almost more interested in the second development. President Wilson said recently that the roots of the strength of a country are deep down in the people, and that is my opinion. It is to the plain people of this great country that I wish to appeal. To the rich—yes; to them, too, for their appreciation, for their interest, intellectual and financial. We are going to make an appeal to all."

The plan by which this widespread movement is to be carried out has been worked out in full detail. Seven productions of modern plays are to be made in the Garden Theatre, beginning Tuesday, the 16th of November, with "When the New Line Blooms," a comedy, new to New York, by Björnsterne Björnson. This piece will be presented for one week to the subscribers to "The Modern Stage." Admission will be by previous subscription only, though extra single tickets may be purchased by subscribers.

"Everything must have a beginning," explained Herr Reicher. "When it was first proposed to me by my friends that the moment for launching my project in America had arrived, they urged upon me a guarantee to cover a possible defi-

st. But I don't want to have any deficit to cover, and so the subscription system has been adopted to insure our beginning."

After the play has run for a week, comes the turn of the People's Theatre. The same production will be run for three weeks at prices which are within the means of even the most modest incomes. But a membership system is in force here, too. A card of membership must be obtained by those who wish to attend these performances. These cards are free and are to be had at the numerous pay stations, at least 200 in number, which are distributed through all quarters of the city.

To obtain admission to the theatre a stamp is purchased for 25 cents at one of these stations, which is then attached to the back of the membership card. A coupon is presented to the buyer at the same time. He presents this and his card at the theatre, chooses his seats, pays the difference, and has a round hole punched through his stamp. After a three weeks' run, the bill is changed, and the second production is put on for one week for the members of "The Modern Stage," and subsequently runs three weeks for those of the "People's Theatre." A monthly magazine, with interesting matter about the play, portraits of the author and of the leading exponents of the characters, criticism, and comment on the work, is issued and sent fourteen days before each production to subscribers free of charge, and supplied as a program in the theatre. Textbooks of the plays are sold, in Continental fashion, in the lobby.

"It would be an excellent thing for native dramatists," said Herr Reicher, "if all plays were sold in cold type in the theatres in which they are presented. The volatile pleasure of the moment having evaporated, the work could then be judged on its merits and we should often see what very poor stuff it has been."

"One of my greatest problems has been the choice of plays. I am most desirous of encouraging home talent, and it will be seen from the list of plays to be presented that American authors have a large share in the honors."

"One of the foremost objects of our scheme is the opportunity it affords to young authors. The true playwright looks neither to the boxes nor to the gallery, but writes from his heart what he has to say, ignoring the final direction. It is proverbially hard for a nameless author to dispose of work which strikes out a new line. He notes the success of the machine-made play, its finality the chief factor in that success; and he must be made of uncommon stuff if he will risk the chance of acceptance by obstinately persisting in his own originality. Give him a chance of production for the unusual play and save him from the mechanical work to which his Pegasus must submit to live. This is another of the things we wish to do."

"Playwriting must develop in order to save the theatre from the moving pictures. At present, effort seems to be concentrated upon making plays more and more striking pictorially, or more and more realistic. The legitimate stage can never be either as pictorial or as realistic as the cinematograph productions. It is a waste of effort to strive along these lines alone. The stage must fall back upon the spoken word in order to preserve, not only its pre-eminence, but its very existence. How happy I should be if our movement for the presentation of international plays of unusual appeal should lead the managers to lift the play itself to its true position of domination."

"Of tremendous importance is the company selected to produce these plays. I have had a very large number of applicants for positions in my company. I am convinced that there is an abundance of dramatic talent in this country. Unfortunately existing conditions have not given it the best chances of development. The insistence of the managers upon giving an actor only the one kind of rôle is a constant shackling of his talent, which leads to many evils."

"The young aspirant is told, 'You played a comic servant last year. This season we have no comic servant part for you.' But I can play other char-

acters!" protests the applicant. It is no use. The public has been taught to accept an artist in one line of parts only, and he is expected to stick to them closely. This is fatal to his growth as an actor, but it leads also to other evils. It concentrates attention solely upon the actor, never upon the character which he portrays, which state of affairs in itself leads to constant hampering of his powers. He must show himself in the aspect familiar to the public, and he labors to give every part the same familiar characteristics, whether the author has written them into it or not. Versatility is rigorously repressed, characterization is ignored."

"More than this, the public invests its favorite with the personality of the rôles he plays. The hero is believed to be heroic at the breakfast table, the villain villainous in his daily life. The heroine must be a lovely character, and the adventuress must scheme in her sleep. We have young women in our company who will play elderly ones and young men



Ludwig Reicher. (Photos by Arnold Genthe.)

who will do grandfathers. We shall not attempt to let older actors portray youth. Their struggle to do this in real life is too pitiful as it is. I have engaged an older woman for suitable parts whose efforts to preserve the shattered remnants of her youth went to my heart. Bitter experience had forced her to this transparent subterfuge."

"I am no believer in the star system, and I will have none of it. My daughter and I have no intention of monopolizing the leading rôles, and it is part of my plan to redistribute the parts in a play from time to time among the cast, so that the exponent of a smaller rôle may have his chance at the big one, and vice versa. This will help to draw attention from the personality of the actor and direct it, as I wish, toward the part."

"Our repertoire is as international as I can make it. We commence with a Norwegian comedy which I find peculiarly fitted to American domestic conditions. The second play is a drama of Gerhardt Hauptmann, 'The Weavers,' which will be presented on the 21st of December. January, the 25th, will see a bill of one-act plays, 'Madonna Dianora,' of Hugo von Hoffmannsthal, a romantic lyric which will serve to introduce this extraordinary writer to our stage. Later I hope to present more of his unique work."

"This will be followed by 'The Girl in the Coffin,' a representative drama by Theodore Dreiser; and by two one-act

pieces by David Pinski, 'The King,' and 'The Dollar.' Pinski is a Russian Jew who has passed many years in America, and of whom I predict great things. In February the offering will be Ibsen's powerful 'Rosmersholm,' and in March, three one-act plays by Percival Liede, an American who has just had a long play accepted by A. H. Wood. In April we launch a new comedy by another American, Zoe Akins, a thing with all the gay sparkle of a French salon piece; and our last production will be 'Uncle Vanja,'



Emanuel Reicher.

of Anton Tschekov, the brilliant Russian who has been associated with the Art Theatre in Moscow.

"Next year we hope to continue our international policy, and plans are being made for the presentation of 'Nacht-asy!' of Gorky; 'Marquise,' one of the best and least known comedies of Sardou; 'Gloria,' by d'Annunzio; 'Der Bund der Jugend,' Ibsen's only lustspiel and first prose play; 'Ueber die Kraft,' by Bjornsen, a big drama of Hauptmann, and I hope a long play by David Pinski, perhaps his 'Maria Magdalena.'"

"All these will, of course, be given in English, and I long to do some Shakespeare also—Shakespeare from the psychological side, for he is certainly as great a psychologist as Ibsen. Although he has been obscured and overlaid with too elaborate costume and scenery, I should like to include something of Hoffmannsthal, whom I consider the d'Annunzio of Germany."

"We are in the hands of our friends. We are neither a charity nor a Board of Education, and yet we are something of both. We do not beg, but we will not look gift horses in the mouth. If any of our friends wish to help us, they may do so by taking the boxes for 'The Modern Stage,' at any figure which their generosity prompts, or by purchasing seats in the People's Theatre in quantities, which they may distribute to their employees or to those who are interested in the drama for its own sake."

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Octave Thanet Flays the Advanced Woman

The Well-Known Writer Calls Attention Frankly to Some of the Dangers Now Confronting American People from New Movements and Modern Ideas

MISS ALICE FRENCH (Octave Thanet) of Davenport, Iowa, conspicuous as a writer of short stories, but best known, perhaps, through her novel, "The Man of the Hour," recently expressed herself to a representative of THE NEW YORK TIMES in regard to some of the dangers now confronting the American people.

"Not in all the history of our nation has there been an hour more fraught with grave possibilities than this," said Miss French. "The terror of it, the immense sorrow of it, is in all our hearts under all our smiles. We believe that war will be averted. There were other times in our history when it was not averted."

"By the measure of our hope is this hour less portentous, and by that alone; for the possibilities are more hideous and on a scale so gigantic as to paralyze the imagination. But there is one thing which already we know; though the worst should come, we shall meet it as a united people. Though we escape now, there are many threatening difficulties in the future; and it seems impossible that our own unwisdom shall not bring us into conflict with some nation, sooner or later."

"I believe that neutrality has its limits and I do not accept the platform of the Women's Peace Party. There has grown up among women a blind horror of war, a blind devotion to peace. In time of trouble the innocent peace-loving bystander may prove to be a poor thing for safety. Our historical failures in national preparedness for war I should class as sins of blind optimism and cowardly indolence."

"In these trying times, with more than half the world aflame with war, it is well to remember that if the lessons of history mean anything at all, a people never were permitted to have peace unless they were willing to fight for it. Picture a half-equipped navy beaten down, a handful of regulars annihilated, our great cities obliged to ransom themselves from fire and sword with millions, our families in danger of the invaders' insolence, do you think then that we shall feel that we have played a noble part, refusing to countenance war by believing in its possibility? Or will the talk about the grand moral figure the United States presents by her defenselessness and refusal to arm be any comfort?"

"The safety of our country should be our first consideration. The love of the human heart may include the home, the family, the town, the country, but when it tries to take in the whole world there ensues a certain cold feebleness. We lose the individual touch. There is a lack of patriotism among our modern women. War is not altogether terrible, and is sometimes needed to cut out the cancers of our soul."

"Are the women in the clubs of today as good women as their mothers? They think they are better—but are they? In their advanced views some are advocating radical changes in the institutions of home and marriage. While the great majority of our women are opposed to such havoc-making doctrines, the majority is less today than it was yesterday, and even among the most conservative we find the new doctrines of frank speaking."

"My generation cannot feel that level-

ling all the outer fortifications of reserve is going to help defend the citadel of virtue; nor that trying to know as much as possible about vice and telling all we know is going to make us purer and purer. No nation can be great if its women are not noble and high-minded, as well as pure. A small pattern of a woman is like a little barking dog, always under the wheels. All the devotion, all the self-sacrifice in the world cannot make a good mother out of a fool."

"It is often said that women are in the world to help the men. This does

country had ever seen began in Colorado. And Colorado has held that bad eminence in strikes ever since. But, there is industrial ferment and fury the world over; so it were not fair to demand that Colorado be the shining exception."

"But it is fair to demand of the women who ask the wider life that at least the wider life should not make us worse women. For women have in charge the ideals of the race. To them is committed the divine fire. What they are, not what they say, will keep the torch aflame or let it miserably dwindle to a smudge. I have no illusions about my sex—I have been one of it too long. Nor have I any

"That is the explanation for the English militant's violent unreason. There was nothing so important as votes for women. When the great war came along they instantly became obedient patriots; they had been awed by something too big for their fury. Even so thunder will drown the spiteful crackle of fire crackers! But, recalling all their unbridled tampering with bricks and stones and fires and Ten Commandments, one understands the remark of George Meredith's Pilgrim: 'I expect,' quoth he, 'that woman will be the last thing civilized by man!'"

"One vice of our age has affected men and women alike; insidious and deceitful, it has softened the fibre of our consciences until we no longer seem to have the nerve to make a stern decision. Sentiment is a beautiful and precious thing. Sentimentality is neither beautiful nor precious, although always posing as both, and there is hardly any vice so dangerous."

"We in our sentimentality accuse society of every injury which is done to it. We cringe at the thought of hanging the most abominable murderer. We have expended more money than Germany spent for her peerless army on our amazing pension laws."

"Our pity concerns itself with almost every class of suffering human being, except the taxpayer, who really seems to need it most. For if there is one thing on which women pride themselves it is their 'municipal housekeeping'; and alas! sometimes municipal reform is more costly than graft! Probably because nothing is so merciless as a good woman who has not the sense to see when to hold her hand."

"Our sentimentality is responsible for most of our dubious 'reforms.' And it has defeated some of our most efficient ones. It is always strong in demanding every kind of municipal improvement, regardless of expense. One of its unexpressed axioms is that we cannot have too much of a good thing. If little is good for the public weal, more is better, and the limit is best of all. But every one who has ever taken calomel knows better."

"The mischief done by such misspent ardors is not that they are adopted in their entirety by the great majority of women; they are not; not in Iowa anyhow; but while the bombs of an airship may not destroy a town, bits of the poisonous thing may wound and kill. Compassion is a high moral quality, but not the highest or the only. There are others of the nobility—courage, justice, honesty, loyalty, reverence, honor, all are valuable in our home life and in our national life. We hear today a vast deal about moral courage; it might be well to hear a little more about physical courage, too."

Of the pacifists who think almost any kind of peace is better than the mildest kind of war Miss French said:

"There is China. China has always been a peaceful nation. Chinese mothers didn't raise their boys to be soldiers; no, they raised them to take orders from little Japanese boys whose mothers did raise them to be soldiers."

"The present war has produced results that a half century of previous effort could not produce, such as the suppressing of the vodka traffic. Everywhere there has been an awakening to the primitive, basic virtues—courage, loyalty, self-sacrifice. The well-regulated army is a school today, teaching many trades; best of all, teaching obedience, cleanliness, order, courage, and love of country. In this war temperance and democracy are being taught as no preachers could teach them."

Miss French said she hoped the organized women of the country would throw whatever influence they may have to provide adequate national protection for the future. She urged them to study their country's history, government, resources, to inform themselves at first hand regarding the condition of the army and navy. "Work now," she said. "Safety first, then peace."



not seem to me to reach the inward truth. Women are in this world for the same reason that men are in it—to help the children. Thus to bequeath to each generation a greater moral wealth. No woman may live only for herself."

"If the wider life of woman today does not make her a truer comrade to her husband, a wiser guide to her child, a gentler helper of those who bear heavy burdens, a better friend, a better citizen, the wider life is a failure; and the sooner the gates are put up again the better. If the wider life enlighten the conscience of women, it is justified. There probably never was so much conscience and pity and general yearning idealism on the tramp as there is today—but there does not seem to be very much more common sense."

"In Denver, at a General Federation of Women's Clubs fifteen years ago, there was a discussion about strikes and industrial discontent. The question was asked, 'What do you do about strikes in Colorado?' Then arose Britomart from the further recesses of the far gallery where Colorado hospitality obliged her delegation to sit; in a clarion voice she called out: 'We do not have strikes in Colorado; we have woman suffrage!' Within the year the biggest, the bloodiest, the most brutally fought strike this

country had ever seen began in Colorado. And Colorado has held that bad eminence in strikes ever since. But, there is industrial ferment and fury the world over; so it were not fair to demand that Colorado be the shining exception."

"But at least there are certain squalid sins which centuries of prohibition have deprived of the power to tempt decent women. I don't say that they did not tempt women once, nor that they may not, if the ideas of some alleged emancipators of women obtain, tempt the woman of the future; but I do say out of my woman's experience and my woman's heart that they do not tempt good women now."

"There is another point wherein the grandmother and the mother of the past, the much-derided Victorian, has the advantage. She might have personal vanity, but she had no vanity for her sex; she quite believed that as man had tougher muscles he had a broader and stronger intellect. In the old countries such a view is still prevalent."

"The Victorians had that ripened temper which takes everything into account," as the wise Swiss expresses it. Neither (for that reason) did they mistake words for things. We do. It is one of the vicious mental processes of our sex today. Another is our inability to see the real values of things. We have in general no moral sense of proportion. Whatever we want ourselves becomes to our myopic minds the most important thing on earth."

To Americanize Foreign-Born Who Live Here

Prominent Men and Women Form Committee to Secure Facilities for Immigrants to Become Assimilated Into Our Life and Imbued with Patriotism

ANNOUNCEMENT last week of the work that has been done and is to be done among immigrants by the National Americanization Committee, a group of men and women from all over the country who have been distinguished in various fields of activity, called forth much inquiry as to the nature of the campaign which the committee is beginning and the particular reasons which led to the movement.

The movement is a continuation and a great extension of the work of the National Americanization Day Committee, composed of the same people, but organized for a limited and temporary purpose; and just what the committee is trying to do, why it is doing some things and not others, and why it is employing the methods selected was told to a TIMES reporter by Frank Trumbull, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad, and of the National Americanization Committee.

"The Americanization movement, as represented by our national committee," said Mr. Trumbull, "is quite as much for the American-born as for the foreign-born. Above all, it is not a mere capitalizing of one or more of the many forms of popular fear which the European war has bequeathed to this country. The reactions of the war on this country, the conditions here that have been intensified (I do not say created) have been grave, and with some of them it is highly probable we must continue to deal.

"But those of us who have for some years been watching the currents of our national life, watching thousands of immigrants from Southern Europe daily coursing through Ellis Island and passing over the country to various communities to man American factories and to make foreign villages in the midst of our cities and on the edges of our towns—those of us that have seen these streams yearly settling more and more deeply into their own narrow channels unregarded by the broad navigable streams of American life, see in the present situation only a sudden clarifying of a condition that has long prevailed and has long contained all the possibilities of denationalization.

"I do not follow those philosophers who see in the European war a gigantic expression of that kind of suffering from which newer and purer forces of humanity are to be wrought. I am quite unable to read these hopeful symbols in that terrible battlefield. But with America it is different. In America the war also has produced suffering—an upheaval of our social solidarity—which we find a much frailer, much more tenuous substance than we had supposed.

"But out of this upheaval America is to reap only good—a true understanding of our national values, a chastened realization that a nation built up of many peoples of widely different traditions will not of itself fall together into a unified nation, and finally an agreement upon domestic policies that will really conserve and translate from age to age, to all citizens of America in every locality, the spirit and the safeguards as well of those fundamental principles of Americanism formulated by our first statesmen and standing today in our Constitution.

"This is simply a very opportune time to realize a long-neglected policy. We are not taking stock of our American citizenship merely to see who are not in place and where there are inequalities in the line—a kind of patriotic policing. On the other hand, there is no chosen band of American patriots sufficiently like-minded to perform this immediate task.

"We have been a patriotic people, yes—by tradition and reputation and habit. But in the course of years we have left the expression of our patriotism, along with a good deal of the sentiment itself, to those whom we have been inclined to consider unsophisticated. We have left it to them to attend Fourth of July celebrations and sing the Star-Spangled Banner. Our patriotism we have turned

into philosophy—into meditations on the destinies of nations, the values of democracy, the theories of government and society.

"I believe we must return to something simpler and more vigorous. And I believe that the insight we are now getting into the disruption and uneven growth that has resulted from a lack of national consciousness in this country will work unendingly to our good.

"It has come home to us that we are a country full of unassimilated groups within—groups with varying social ideals, varying languages, varying ideas of American citizenship and loyalty to America. But the situation before us is in all essentials the same which has confronted us for years and which we have refused to face.

"This is a very complex matter. But certain aspects of it and certain methods by which it can be attained are very definite and simple, and it is these with which we must first of all be concerned. There are really three groups of the foreign-born in this country. There are a very few educated in our language and institutions, often possessing double loyalties and sometimes dual citizenship. There are many who, though born abroad are naturalized citizens, speaking our language, knowing our institutions, whose Americanism is as intense as ours. They belong shoulder to shoulder with us, and it is an insult to group them separately.

"But there are hundreds of thousands of others without knowledge of our language, with no understanding of our social or industrial standards, and no approach to citizenship. Some of them have been here for years. They operate American machines and receive American pay envelopes. But they are not American nor are they on the road to becoming so. In many cases they have not even by this time acquired an interest in becoming so.

"There are two things that they need to be shown. First, that it is to their advantage to become American citizens, maintaining American standards of living, able to understand the English language; and, secondly, that America has a right to expect them to become Americanized, and—granted the facilities for it are provided—the right to require it.

"Now, this is the crux of the whole matter—the facilities have not been provided. And this is a fundamental reason for the existence of our National Americanization Committee. The immigrant living and working in this country owes something to this Government. But if he owes us Americanization, we owe him the means to attain it. In the process of Americanization let us not forget the burden of proof is on us—our public schools, our industries, our communities.

"Even in the States with the heaviest immigration there are not night school facilities for more than one immigrant in ten. How many industries require or are interested in having American standards or the English language prevail among their workmen? How many communities make sure that American standards of living prevail at the immigrant end of town, make sure that it has the same water supply, the same system of garbage disposal, the same enforcement of housing laws? In how many courts is the immigrant assured by proper impartial interpreters of that equality before the law due all residents of this country?

"Americanization is a complex matter and there are many approaches to it. It must be a slow and thorough process if it is to be complete. But there can be no doubt about the first steps—the English language and the principles of American citizenship.

"Our committee is therefore waging a nation-wide campaign to carry these two things through every community with foreign-born population. Last Fourth of July, through the activities of this committee, was made an Americanization Day in one hundred and six cities and citizenship receptions were held to em-

phasize the common interests of loyalty of native and foreign-born citizens alike. The reactions of these celebrations have been wide-reaching. They made many a community conscious for the first time of its foreign-born population as an integral part of its social fabric. Cities and towns awakened to the fact that instead of being the American centres which they had for years complacently taken for granted that they were, their population had been doubled or trebled, and that perhaps twenty nationalities and twenty tongues were dwelling among them—sometimes even outnumbering the native population.

"Detroit is one of these American cities that has had in recent years to readjust its opinion of itself and that has not even yet quite succeeded in so doing. Not very many years ago Detroit was a conservative town, of front yards and moderate pursuits, of quiet French-American traditions. But the automobile industry and immigration had by 1910 made the town a bustling business centre of over 400,000 inhabitants. And now, in 1913, Detroit is a city of over 700,000 population, with all that implies in factory extension. And 75 per cent. of that population is either foreign-born or of foreign-born parentage.

"In Detroit and hundreds of other American towns with approximately the same history will the institutions and facilities that were adapted to, let us say, 100,000 American-born residents, meet the needs of a population of 400,000 or 700,000, half of which is foreign-born? Can we have American cities and towns until they do? In hundreds of places cities that are now cosmopolitan industrial centres have practically the same school facilities, the same lack of night schools, the same housing provisions, the same popular attitude they had ten or fifteen years ago when these facilities met their needs.

"Up the Hudson there is a typically aristocratic little town that prides itself upon two things—its dignified tradition and its practical progressiveness in town management.

"A year or two ago the town secured a new water supply system. But the new system stopped short where the immigrant end of town began—though it was in the city limits. When the town expanded industrially the immigrants came, settled in the section that was pointed out to them as theirs, and stayed there—let alone by the Americans, quite unaffected by any progressive civic and sanitary measures, left to do their worst in that game in which they are supposed to excel, 'lowering the standard of American living.'

"Our committee does not blink the fact that there are many immigrants here that need to be stirred to some realization of their duties and obligations to America, and to the standards required by American residence, to say nothing of American citizenship. But, after all, checking up the offenders must always remain the least constructive effort of Government and society.

"The National Americanization Committee is making its first object, therefore, an extension of the facilities for adult immigrant education in night schools. As a nation we tell every immigrant that he can be a citizen of this country if he so desires, and if he can use the English language and prove to us that he is 'attached to the principles of the Constitution.' Very well. Then we must give him the means of learning English and forming this attachment. Until we do we shall have dual loyalties and dual citizenship and a train of social and industrial evils.

"Neither night schools nor the agitation for them is new. They have long been a respectable side line in public school extension work. They have never been a general, necessary, and inevitable part of a city system, a legitimate and important division in public policy.

"That is the new thing. And that represents the spirit and intention of the National Americanization Committee—to show communities everywhere the

broad civic scope of this matter of educating its adult immigrants, make it the task of statesmanship and civic endeavor and lift it from the region of 'welfare' and philanthropy, where it has been side-tracked, into its rightful place as a fundamental part of our domestic policy.

"In working out this program in various communities the National Americanization Committee has, therefore, appealed with conviction to every force in the city life—to Government, Boards of Education, Chambers of Commerce, separate industries. The Detroit Board of Commerce, with the co-operation of the committee, conducted this Fall a four weeks' campaign to flood the night schools with the non-English-speaking workmen.

"The results were (1) an increase of 153 per cent. in the registration of former years; (2) a deepened understanding of the meaning of Americanism and American citizenship among foreign-born and native alike throughout Detroit.

"These are the methods Detroit industries used to get their men to the night schools:

"1. A Preferential Policy.—Men were assembled and told that from this time on men that were going to night school and trying to learn English would be preferred—the first to be promoted the last to be laid off, the first to be taken back.

"2. Compulsion.—Several companies made night school attendance for the non-English-speaking a condition of employment. The Northway Company established a factory school also and then put up to its men a threefold proposition: (1) To attend night school; (2) to be laid off; (3) to be taken back.

"3. Popularizing the Idea.—The Cadillac Company, for instance, worked out a definite program to interest the leaders of the men, and let them do the rest.

"4. A Bonus System.—The Solvay Company, for instance, proposed a 2-cent-an-hour increase for all non-English-speaking men that would attend night school.

"All industries were requested to follow up the night school attendance and progress of their men, and the Board of Education and the Board of Commerce have worked out a schedule system to make this possible and uniform.

"Detroit industries have been quick to see that 'the English language first' among their workmen means 'Safety First' in their plants—and that it means 'America First' in their city.

"Every social agency, city department, etc., that had any approach to immigrants had an active part in the campaign. Through posters and handbills, personal visits, courts, churches, clinics, settlements, Boy Scouts, women's clubs, and many other forces the night school message was carried broadcast throughout the city.

"It is too soon to make any final statement of results, but these are among them:

"1. Increased feeling of responsibility on the part of employers.

"2. Increased interest on the part of the Board of Education in co-operating with employers and other social agencies.

"3. Increased interest in parochial night schools throughout the parishes of the city, especially in the teaching of citizenship in the parochial citizenship classes.

"4. The opening of more private classes for immigrants in settlements and social agencies.

"5. Greatly increased attention to methods of teaching English and civics to foreigners. The Board of Education is now using a citizenship manual prepared by the Board of Commerce with the immediate Detroit situation directly in view.

"6. Increased understanding of the social value of assimilating the foreign population.

"7. A gain in methods of co-operation on the part of various agencies.

"8. Increase in registration for the night high schools among young mechanics.

"9. A movement toward the establishment of a public night school policy in other immigrant towns and communities in Michigan.

"10. Reinforcement of industrial peace, due to increased self-respect among immigrant workmen and a

better understanding between employers and employees.

"11. An invigorated understanding of the whole question of American citizenship throughout the city and State.

"It was a wide-reaching civic experiment. Not only will the sign language vanish from Detroit factories, but the civic consciousness of Detroit is beginning to correspond to the facts of its recent history. A similar campaign is now being conducted in Syracuse by the committee with the support of the Chamber of Commerce, the Sons of the American Revolution, the public school system, and other agencies and private individuals.

"In this systematized co-operation between business and public educational systems, supported by local governments and local public opinion, I see the real answer to the immigration problem of this country. It means a recognition of the fact that if the immigrant is an industrial asset to America, he is and must be a social factor to be reckoned with—and made a contributing factor in American life and American citizenship.

"No local educational system can alone within a short time put through an Americanization program; nor should it. The National Americanization Committee is therefore eager to stand behind the movement in any community in which it has been begun. Returns from a number of cities this Fall already show increased enrollment in night schools, greater attention to civics, more definitely planned and supervised instruction of adult immigrants in every way.

"Portland has an Americanization school; Pittsburgh has definitely made preparation for citizenship a part of its public night school curriculum; New York State has a permanent teachers' training course in immigrant methods and has made immigrant education a special division of the State's work; California has authorized the preparation of a standard textbook to be used throughout the State and has requested our committee to supervise the preparation.

"In Boston classes for immigrant women have been established by the public school system, for instruction in practical housekeeping or 'domestic education.' The importance of such classes is not generally realized; the home will always be the real setting for Americanization—and only when the immigrant woman knows the English language and American standards of sanitation and hygiene can it become an American rather than a Southern European home.

"In nationalizing the night school movement the committee, has been of service to the Federal Bureau of Education, and Dr. P. P. Claxton, the Commissioner, is sending out at intervals letters containing definite suggestions as to how best to attain efficiency in the night schools and to secure interest in them among the foreign born. The result of his efforts will be to increase interest in them among local taxpayers as well.

"We think of the immigrant in terms of cities—and always congested cities. And we have talked of Americanization in terms of city night schools. But our problem of rural immigrant education is quite as great, and more difficult to deal with. The States will have to take this up separately. New York State is already very conscious of this problem, and it is likely that, through Dr. Finley, some plan will be reached by which the aliens working on our farms and in lonely and remote construction camps will also be able to have facilities for learning English and becoming citizens.

"In connection with this matter of rural immigrants President Hadley of Yale writes to me of the foreigners who have settled in the region around his Summer home:

"If they have any property, no matter how small a truck garden, they become good Americans very quickly. They get on the side of the law. If they have no property they are very much harder to deal with, even though they know a great deal of English and a good deal of American politics.

"We are trying to do a little in New Haven, through the bank of which I am a Director, to encourage the immigrants to become property owners. There are certain Italians who make a point of knowing which of their own countrymen are trustworthy and encouraging them to go into business on their own account. We give Italians credit to start them in business under conditions which would have seemed hazardous and indefensible ten years ago, because we have learned that after proper inquiry those men can be trusted to pay their debts a great deal better than many more plausible applicants.

Something was said in your detailed program about educating them up to the American standard of living. I am inclined to think that it may be even more important to educate them up to the old-fashioned American habit of saving.

"The National Americanization Committee has devised a plan for reaching some of these remote immigrants in at least a provisional way. A series of twenty-five lesson leaflets has been prepared which covers the requirements for citizenship, superficially, it must be admitted, but at least it is a beginning. These leaflets will be issued through pay envelopes by industries in remote places and in labor construction camps.

"The Federal Bureau of Naturalization shows this year an increased interest not only in the naturalization of immigrants but in the ways in which they are to prepare for it. In short, we have what we have never had before—a mutual recognition by the two departments most concerned, that preparation for naturalization must be quite as much a part of Governmental policy as naturalization itself. With this recognition, and an awakened public sentiment behind it, the initial steps in a sound Americanization policy have been taken.

"The policy will need support at every turn—from every agency that can give it. It is not enough, for instance, to put posters in the public schools. It is

far more important to put them in the railroad freight yards and in the factory. And this is why industries all over the country have been asked by our committee to do this. They have responded generously and already orders for posters have been filled for the following railroads: New York, New Haven & Hartford, Chesapeake & Ohio, Philadelphia & Reading, Boston & Maine, Central Railroad of New Jersey, Chicago Great Western, Chicago & Western, Delaware & Lackawanna, and others.

"All this is practical work. And the results will be practical advantages—English-speaking men in factories, increased efficiency and safety, a raising of the standards of living in communities.

"We shall need to conserve our labor supply. The departure of many aliens, including many skilled workmen, within the past year, and the uncertainty of our future immigration have already shown us this. Business men will be called upon to forward an 'efficiency' movement among American workmen and particularly among the foreign-born, which will extend far beyond their individual plants. Such a conservation movement will include, for instance, proper safeguards for the immigrants' savings and investments, the source and guarantee of their prosperity in this country.

"This is the real road to efficiency,

the surest way of making it not merely a slogan in this or that industry, but a national industrial characteristic. By neglecting such measures we are without a doubt contributing to the deterioration of our workmen and an increase in class antagonisms. The new Committee on Immigration in the United States Chamber of Commerce with its plans to secure a national outlook and national action on just such points as these is a hopeful measure.

"In saying that the work of Americanization is the business of every possible agency I do not mean to imply that the task is easy and can be done effectively simply as a matter of social good intention. It needs statesmanship and expert civic judgment; in short, it needs leaders. I believe that these must be produced, and our committee has therefore asked 150 colleges to train and produce them. We have supplied these colleges with what we believe to be an adequate training course. The University of Chicago and the International College at Springfield will put this course into operation, and President Hadley of Yale has interested himself in seeing whether it can be put into practice at that institution.

"Aside from practical advantages, this citizenship movement will soon have a marked effect on questions of national statesmanship. At present we interpret American citizenship very differently in different States. In seven States we allow the immigrant to vote on his first papers at all elections. In many States he may not be employed on public works; in some States he may not fish; in one he may not be a barber; in another he may not be a teacher; in some he may not be a saloon keeper.

"We may feel that the lack of American citizenship should mean certain disabilities, but we can hardly be willing to have American citizenship mean forty-eight different kinds of status in forty-eight different places. And if we do, we cannot wonder that the immigrant does not understand us; and that his respect for our law and our citizenship is a good deal modified by the contradictions he finds in both. American citizenship—for the immigrant's good and for ours—needs to be nationally defined, and I believe a practical Americanization movement is the swiftest means to this end.

"We have treated immigration as an economic problem. So it is, and of the first magnitude. But we shall never solve it as an economic problem until we solve it as a social problem. And that can be done not in Congress, but only by the American people, by and large, in a definite mastery of their local situation. We have all been, nationally, partisans on a question which we failed to understand in its practical manifestations even within the limits of our own well-known individual communities. Let us find out what we mean by American citizenship, find out who deserves it, where we are willing to confer it, and what we must do to confer it adequately and preserve its traditions. The process will raise the standard of American citizenship for native and foreign born citizens alike and will result, for us, in a rebirth of patriotism.

"The soil has been turned up in many sections of the country. And it is the plan of the committee to keep throughout its work a unified consciousness among its representatives from coast to coast. The Pacific Coast, for instance, is now a fertile field for Americanization, and the California Commission of Immigration and Housing is co-operating with the committee in attaining it. President Wheeler of the University of California is the committee's direct representative on the Coast.

"The Americanization dinner at Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Astor's on Oct. 15 was the first of a series of meetings at which the members of the committee will rally to report progress. The next dinner will be given by Mrs. E. T. Stotesbury in Philadelphia in January. A meeting is planned for Detroit, one for Chicago, and one for New Orleans. The committee feels the immediate importance of nationalizing its spirit and program, while conducting its work definitely and practically in this or that individual community. The committee hopes to be a clearing house for all committees and organizations, in any part of the country, that are working upon any aspect of Americanization. The nation is aroused to the need of Americanization, and there will be many to aid."

Stevenson at Saranac Lake

By Samuel M. Brickner

Written for the dedication of the Memorial Tablet to be placed this month on the house in which Stevenson lived at Saranac Lake



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The Veranda of the Baker Cottage on Which the Memorial Tablet by Gutzon Borglum Will Be Placed. Stevenson Often Paced This Veranda at Night, and Is Said to Have Conceived the Plot of "The Master of Ballantrae" While Walking Up and Down.

I.
LIKE some Ulysses wandering afar,
He found this vale of hope—an
avatar.

He sought some surcease in these ice-
born hills,
Their pine-wrapped sides, their mystic
fairy thrills.

What though his body, long and lean
and frail,
Lay scourged beneath his enemy's con-
stant flail?

What though the sword which swung
above his head
Seemed fated to fall, so slender was the
thread?

Despised, forgotten—these could not re-
strain
The spirit that poured out a golden rain.

The secret-holding woods, the stars o'
night;
The pines that danced beneath the
Northern lights;

The Winter sun, before it dropped to
rest,
With purple sheep's wool flecking every
crest;

The furze-like hills, the tightly frozen
streams—
From these came fuel for his Viking
dreams.

Such dreams! that burned new meanings
into life,
And dulled the edge of Atropos' sharp
knife.

Let critics wage their battles to and fro:
We who have shared his bitter herbs, we
know,

That from the weary heart a song may
rise
That makes a world to smile, and stills
its cries;

To scatter sweetness ere they find their
doom,
From fragrant stem the fairest flowers
may bloom.

II.
But not alone from nature came the force
That loosed his wondrous sermons in
their course;

As through the days he toiled—what'er
betide—
He found that great physician by his
side,

Who, striving in the workshop of the
hills,
Had felt the grace the mountain god dis-
tills.

And though he owned no magic to cast
forth
Demons from out the dreamer of the
North—

He gave him more—a lantern 'light with
Hope
To pass to those who still in darkness
grope.

III.
We cannot make immortal that which
lives,
Nor lend a title which a title gives;

We cannot honor them all honors bear,
Nor laurel grant to those who laurel
wear.

This, this the meaning of these exiled
lives:
The futile limits of mere earthly gyves.

War Tames the Art of the "Wild Men of Paris"

Harry B. Lachman, American Artist Who Has Long Resided in France, Tells of the Disappearance of Post-Impressionism, Cubism, and Futurism

YOU remember Picasso's paintings? They have been exhibited over here from time to time, to the delight of a very few long-haired ultra-moderns, and the mystification and amusement of everyone else. Picasso is a most advanced of advanced painters; compared with his canvases, those of most Post-Impressionists, Cubists, and Futurists are painfully obvious.

These things might have been said of Picasso a little over a year ago. But they are no longer true. For Picasso is a different man—the war has changed him. The "incomprehensible," who used to cover his canvases with wild conglomerations of squares and circles, and pile pigment upon pigment, with no apparent pictorial purpose, now makes paintings that the merest layman in artistic matters may understand.

It was Mr. Harry B. Lachman who brought back this news from Paris the other day, with other information equally interesting—as well as some important canvases. Mr. Lachman went to Paris four years ago, and (unlike many other American artists) he did not leave when the war broke out. Born in La Salle, Ill., he soon found, after years of illustrating and designing, that his art required a period of European experience, so he made a leisurely tour of the Continent, having for his masters and school rooms the little villages of Brittany, Spain, and Switzerland. His canvases have elicited favorable criticism at the Exposition Internationale de Peintres de Neige, and in the exhibitions held in the salon of the Société Nationale des Beaux-Arts, and the Salon d'Automne. And he has been in Paris during all the historic days that have followed the outbreak of the war.

"Picasso's change of heart is only one instance of the amazing phenomenon now evident in French art, as in all phases of French life," Mr. Lachman said to a TIMES reporter the other day. "All the wild movements, the Cubist movement, the Vorticist movement, and the rest have been swept away. Of course, most of the young men, the leaders of the artistic revolution have gone to the front. But the artists who remain, even those who were ultra-modern in their tendencies before the war, have become conservatives; they are painting in accordance with the rules and traditions which they used to flout.

"There are several reasons for this return to sanity. One reason, as I have already said, is that the young men were the revolutionists, and they have been mobilized. But there is another reason which is not so obvious, but seems to me particularly important. You see, it is true that many of these ultra-modern movements had their origin in Paris, and people generally thought of Paris when Post-Impressionism, Cubism, and Futurism were mentioned.

"But Paris was never hospitable to these mad movements long. The French connoisseurs wanted on their walls paintings that they could understand, just as sensible people do the world over. The young artists would start some revolutionary movement, synchronism, or something of the sort, and the people of Paris would be interested for a time and would buy a few canvases. But their interest would last for only a short time.

"No, there was no market in France for the revolutionary paintings made in Paris. But there was a market for them, otherwise they would not have continued to be produced. And that market was in Germany. In the galleries of Berlin and Munich you could find the craziest canvases in the world. There the paintings which consisted merely of jumbles of lines, or of solid masses of color, were exhibited and sold. They were painted in Paris, but they were in demand only in Germany. And many a young artistic revolutionist paid for his studio in the Quartier Latin, his absinthe and his red wine with money that came to him from his nation's hereditary enemy.

"Naturally, when the war broke out this market was closed. Most of the young

radicals were under arms at once, and no longer worried about any traditions except the traditions of patriotism. They had rejected the discipline of art, but they yielded joyous obedience to the discipline of their nation's need.

"And the men who remained found that the ambitions and ideals which had seemed so important to them a few days before had lost their force. It is charitable, and reasonable, to suppose that in the face of a thing so tremendous and real as the war these Post-Impressionists and Cubists felt the need of honesty in expression; that the insanity of the war brought them back to sanity.

"But whether or not there was this change of heart, there was at any rate a change immediately noticeable in the work of the painters who remained at Paris. Men whose chief desire had been to 'astonish the bourgeois' and to outdo in today's pictures the mystifications and sensations of yesterday, now showed almost pathetic eagerness to make pictures that could be readily understood. And from a purely materialistic and cynical point of view, the explanation for this course that first comes to mind is that they painted sane pictures because the great German market for insane pictures had abruptly closed."

Mr. Lachman will never forget those

is the most revolutionary of all Paris salons; it is the salon most hospitable to all the fantastic ultra-modern movements.

"The Salon d'Automne of the previous year had held an exhibition which turned out to be a conservative victory. There had been a marked reaction against the famous—or notorious—Cubist exhibition of 1912. And now the pendulum, it was expected, would swing towards radicalism again.

"There were rumors of the amazing canvases which the Cubists and Futurists were preparing. They would be, it was said, madder than ever before. Marinetti and the Italian Futurists would hide their diminished heads when they saw what the young artists of Paris had to show in the Salon d'Automne of 1914.

"Picasso, Picabia, Bruce, and the other wild men of Paris, some of them native Parisians, and others adopted sons of the city of artists, were planning, it was said, to outdo all their previous exploits. And there would be, it was expected, canvases representative of entirely new schools of painting, of movements so bizarre as to make Cubism and Futurism seem as stale and dull as pre-Raphaelitism.

"There was Synchronism, for ex-

ample. Morgan Russel and Delaunay were the chief exponents of this new style of painting. Their theory was (if any of these people may really be said to have had an actual intelligible theory) that the beauty of a canvas—or its value, they would not use so old-fashioned a word as beauty—depended upon simultaneousness of color vibrations. The effect of their canvases is best described by saying that the person who looked at them got practically the same impression that he would receive if he looked into a kaleidoscope.

"And then—there was no Salon d'Automne. One August day, bulletins bringing news that shook the world, appeared on the Grand Boulevard des Italiens, in front of the Matin office. At first there was no great outburst of excitement; there was a sort of electric calm, and every one was in a state of high tension.

"The artists who had already returned to Paris tried to go on with their work. The general impression was that there would be no war; that the ominous cloud would blow away.

"But soon all the artists who were out in the country, the portrait painters and landscape men found that they must go back to Paris at once unless they were willing to stay just where they were for an indefinitely long time. The troops were mobilized, we were told, and the railroads would be given over to their exclusive use after three hours had elapsed.

"Some of the artists who did not at once entrain for Paris had extraordinary experiences. One of them reached his studio in the Quartier only after many days of travel in a freight boat. Then there was one case I know of in which an American artist was for a time in real danger for the most ridiculous reason.

"This artist was painting in Brittany when the war broke out, and he decided that he would stay there and finish the canvases upon which he was engaged. One morning he noticed, as he stood at his easel at the corner of a village street making a sketch of some picturesque old thatched cottages, that some of the peasants who had been very friendly to him were passing him with averted head, while others were taking an uncomfortably eager interest in his work. And, what was most surprising, they seemed especially curious about his colors—not those on his canvas or palette, but those in the tubes that filled the little box at his side.

"After a few moments had passed, a gendarme approached and, to his utter consternation, arrested him.

"What have I done?" he asked.

"War has been declared between Germany and France," was the answer. "You



Mr. Lachman Painting in the War Zone.

August days when peaceful and frivolous Paris became a city of serious and determined men, prepared at any moment to stand behind the barricades and repel the invading Germans. Here are some of his recollections of that memorable time.

"It was in the early Autumn," he said. "The landscape painters and the portrait painters were away in the country, busily at work on the canvases to be shown during the Fall and Winter in Paris. On the day that war was declared, there were not many artists in Paris.

"The thought that was in the minds of every painter was one of wonderment as to what the Salon d'Automne would show. The Salon d'Automne, you know,



Harry B. Lachman.

me a German, as I am obliged to detain you as an enemy of the Republic."

"But I am not a German!" said the artist. "I can't speak German and I have never been in Germany. I am an American citizen, and I have lived in France for years."

"Then why," asked the gendarme, holding up one of the artist's little tubes of paint, "do you use German colors?"

"You see," said Mr. Lachman, "the artist was using colors that had been made in Germany, and that was enough to stamp him as a German in the opinion of the simple French rustics. However, he was able to prove his American nationality, and in time he arrived back at his studio in Paris, none the worse for his experience."

"When war was declared all the French artists under 45 were at once mobilized. The older artists, and the artists of other nationalities, now found it impossible to work. All the schools closed at once, the pupils and some of the masters joining their regiments."

"Then the Americans and other foreigners who belonged to the art colony in Paris held a tremendous meeting in the Café de Dome. There were speeches in every language except German, and enthusiasm for France was at the highest pitch. A famous beauty of the Quartier, a model known as the Venus de Milo, was draped in a tricolor and placed on a table. The artists marched around her, singing the national airs of nearly every non-Teutonic country, and winding up with the 'Marseillaise.'"

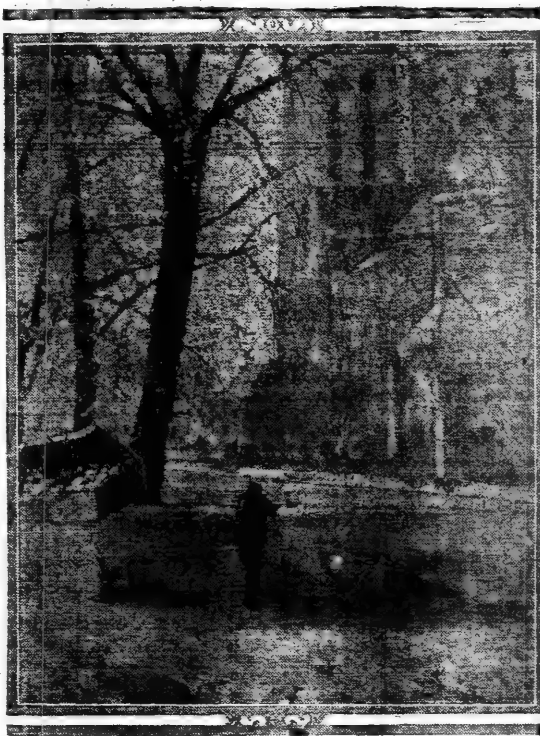
"As you probably know, a great many of the artists from America and other countries, who were in Paris when the war broke out, enlisted in the French Foreign Legion. And of the French artists, hardly one of the young men now remains in Paris."

"And, of course, it was the radical party, the ultra-moderns, who lost the largest numbers. There was Kissing, who was one of the leading young artistic revolutionists. He enlisted at once, and has been wounded three times, I hear, receiving a bayonet thrust in his ribs."

"The men who remained were the older men. There were Lucien Seymour, Côté, Jacques, Blanche, Claude Monet, Renoir—these are men of the sort now remaining in Paris. And they, of course, are traditionally with no sympathy for the wild vagaries of Cubism and Futurism."

"And so the art of Paris began to take on a different aspect. Whereas the art which previously had been most conspicuous was that of the young men who made a specialty of outraging all known traditions, the only art now in evidence was that of men who venerated these traditions, and painted with sanity and dignity."

"At first there were articles in the newspapers saying that now the Germans and Austrians had gone from Paris, the invasion of Cubism and other foreign novelties was at an end, and French art had come back to its native wholesomeness and reason. But some of the devotees of modern art wrote letters to the papers, objecting strongly to these statements, saying that the French artists had originated Post-Impressionism,



This Painting of Notre Dame Was Made While Zeppelins Were Drooping Bombs Nearby.

Cubism, and all the other famous new movements, and that the Germans had merely continued and developed their ideas."

"France, they said, was the home of genius, and there every new movement in art made its first appearance. But the French artists, they said, got tired of a movement in a short time and passed on to new discoveries and inventions, while the slow-witted Germans accepted their novelties second-hand, and received with enthusiasm the movements for which the French no longer had any use. They pointed out that Cézanne, Picasso, Matisse, Rousseau, and other painters, who were French either by birth or by training, had originated all the new artistic movements of any importance."

"But soon there was no more interest in the question as to who originated Cubism and Post-Impressionism. No Salon d'Automne was held. The Grand Salon was turned into a hospital."

"There was a transformation! The Grand Salon, where so many utterly artificial works of art had been shown, now received the broken bodies of wounded men. Pain and charity and courage filled up the place that had been the scene of the most fantastic and sophisticated

exhibition, and the walls that had echoed the idle chatter of frivolous connoisseurs standing before a Matisse canvas, now reverberated with the groans of dying men."

"And Picasso—there was a revolution indeed! Picasso has been striving for something more modern and sensational

than he had ever done before. He was eagerly seeking for some tradition which he had not already violated, in order that he might tear it to ribbons before the eyes of an amazed world."

"He had hit upon a plan of indicating the different meters by pasting little bits of wood and cloth and paper on his canvases. When he painted something that was intended to be the face of a man, he would cut a little hole for the mouth and insert a real cigarette."

"But the war brought him to his senses, or else it showed him that he must no longer expect a market for 'freak stuff.' He gave up all his wild ideas, and the pictures that he is now painting are so conventional, it is said, as to satisfy the simplest taste."

"This return to sane art has been accompanied by a marked change in the atmosphere of Paris. Of course it would not do to condemn all these fantastic art movements on moral grounds, but it is a fact that when one was able to discover a meaning in a Futurist or Cubist painting, it was, in many instances, a meaning better hidden. About much of the most advanced work there was a sort of general air of wrongness."

"The same thing was true in the ultra-modern literature. When you could find an idea in the insane writings of the disciples of Marinetti and Gertrude Stein, it generally was an obscene idea."

"Now all this is done away with. The air is clear. There is no more Imagisme, no more Futurism, no more Synchronism. There are no more crazy little reviews, and no more crazy little exhibitions. French art and literature are sane once more, and when peace comes there will be no more desire for the old abnormalities."

Mr. Lachman showed his enthusiasm in many ways during his residence in Paris in the months that are past, doing much valuable work for the Appui aux Artistes. And performing the important service of photographing, free of charge, every enlisted man who asked him to do so. He was an expert photographer before painting claimed him. But he also found time to make many paintings. While he was at work on his study of Notre Dame, three German shells fell near him. But he finished the canvas."

From Here and There

The Good Angel of the Aviators.

THERE is a French woman who hides her identity, who for months has been sending generous contributions of money through Le Figaro of Paris to the French army, and most particularly to the Aviation Corps.

For some time no more money was forthcoming, but a few days ago the Figaro received this letter from her:

"My savings are all gone, and I am grieved to the heart at not being able to help our beloved soldiers any more, especially our aviators. I wish above all things that the aviators should be warmly and comfortably clothed. But, in spite of everything, I have managed to do a little more for them. Please excuse me—it is such a little bit."

Inclosed with the letter was the French woman's check for \$5,000.

Naming the Crocodiles.

THE French, as is well known, have been anything but complimentary since the outbreak of the war to Kaiser Wilhelm, the members of his family, and the monarchs allied with him against the Entente powers, and have lost no chance to produce gibes and

pleasantries lampooning these personages. An instance of this now comes from the Botanical Gardens of Paris. Three crocodiles lay in a pool, in somnolent ease. Leaning against the railing were a number of spectators, trying to arouse them. Presently one was called out to the largest crocodile:

"Hey, there, get a move on, Wilhelm!"

That produced an outburst of laughter, and the dog, encouraged, addressed the second dozing monster with:

"And you, too, over there, you old rascal, Francis Joseph."

Then, to cap his witticisms, he turned to the third, a particularly ugly specimen, and shouted:

"Oh, you Crown Prince!"

The usual Japanese breakfast consists of rice, miso soup, pickles, and occasionally fish. Tea is always served with meals, and is drunk clear, without sugar or cream. Miso soup consists of strips of radishes, seaweed, eggplant, or other vegetables cooked with bean curd and water. The cooking is not continued for a long period, and so few vegetables are used that the soup partakes only slightly of the flavor of the ingredients.



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Is India Really Loyal to England in the War?

The Presence of Her Troops at the Front Not Really Indicative of the Actual Sentiments of the People, Says Educator Just Returned from That Country

The writer of the following article on Indian conditions has been in charge of the Department of Philosophy of Ewing Christian College, Allahabad, India, for about a year. He reached India in July, 1914, and returned to this country late last August. He is a Princeton graduate and a nephew of Secretary of State Lansing.

By Allen Welsh Dulles

So much has been written about the loyalty of India to the British Empire and so little has been advanced that would tend to show any disaffection on the part of the Indian people, that the conclusion must inevitably have been reached by the majority of persons that that country is supporting the British cause in much the same spirit as Canada or Australia.

All the outward evidences of loyalty seem to be present—Indian troops are fighting with the other British troops in France; the rajahs, native rulers, have been vying with each other in presents of money and war materials for England; and, finally, India has suffered no internal disorders or attempted revolts against British power. Is India as loyal as these circumstances would tend to show?

The present organization of the Indian army exemplifies the wisdom of the English Government. Profiting from the bitter experience of the sepoy (soldier) mutiny of 1857, when fear for their religions gave the orthodox Hindus and Mohammedans, who then composed the larger part of the Indian army, some basis for a common attack against the British Government, the English have, in recent years, recruited the majority of their troops from the mountains of Nepal, outside of British India, the home of the famous Gurkhas; who have little in common with the plainsmen of India proper, and from the Sikh community of North India, which has separated itself from both Hindus and Mohammedans by its adherence to the Sikh religion.

This choice of men has the double advantage of securing the bravest and physically most fit for the army, and also those who are least typically Indian and fanatically religious in sentiment. There is little danger that these soldiers could ever be induced to join with the Indian people in any attempt which they might make to achieve the end of their nationalistic aspirations, or to protect themselves against what they might imagine to be an infringement of their religious freedom. As mercenaries many would be as willing to fight against, as they would be to aid, any Indian insurrection.

Since the outbreak of war in Europe there has been no attempt made to enlist any large number of India's three hundred millions for service. What recruiting there has been has had for its object the keeping of the Indian army up to its normal strength, 150,000, while at the same time England has always kept a large English army in India. The places of the first line troops, which were removed shortly after the war broke out, were immediately taken by territorials, who are using India as their training ground and at the same time are kept ready to meet any anti-English movement.

The presence of these Indian troops on the western battle-front of Europe could hardly be considered an expression of the state of Indian opinion even if they went to the war of their own free will. It need hardly be said that they had no choice in the matter. In going they obeyed the order of their English officers, who deal promptly and finally with any suspicion of insubordination on the part of their Indian soldiers; nor was it probably distasteful to them to go, as action is seldom unwelcome to the trained soldier after a long period of inactivity. In action they have shown themselves to be brave and useful soldiers.

Much of the support for the British cause from India has come from the native Princes, the rajahs, who have none-

inal control over one-third of the territory of India, though only one-sixth of its people and none of the important seaports being comprised in the large territory they govern. At the time of the British conquest of India it was found advisable to keep in power some of the Indian chiefs, who, along with the British, had seized what they could of the disintegrating Mogul Empire. The overwhelming supremacy of the British position left these Princes, whether single or combined, too weak to dream of being successful rivals of the British power.

It has been the policy of the English Government to maintain these native states under native rule as long as they

It does not seem strange that these Indian Princes should vie with each other in their presents to the English Government and should have a vital interest in seeing it bring the war to a successful conclusion. Their loyalty is more often the loyalty of self-interest than that of affection. When we read that Sindhia of Gwalior has given a hundred ambulance cars to the King of England, that the Nizam of Hyderabad has contributed so many lakhs of rupees to the Prince of Wales Fund, you may be sure that these men expect a return on their investment in the form of renewed favors from the English Government and the assurance of its continued support.

The majority of educated and half-

turning back to a monarchy, in fact, if not in name, is only an example of this.

But what has more effect upon the ordinary Indian than the loss of political liberty, which is a theoretical rather than an actual loss, as India passed from the autocratic Mogul to the less despotic English, is the social inequality which exists between the two peoples through the habit of the ruling class of holding itself aloof from any social intercourse with the native. All the English clubs debar Indians, and exclusive English society seldom finds a place for the Indian gentlemen. It is a bitter experience for the returned Oxford or Cambridge student to find that he will not be accorded the same treatment from English society in India that he has been accustomed to in England.

The Indian has to put up with many instances of incivility from the English with whom he deals, discourtesy from the railway officials, and some times rough treatment from the English soldier. If he is an uneducated man he takes all this as a matter of course, but the Indian student resents such treatment bitterly. He can hardly be blamed for not loving his English master, or for overlooking what his wonderful administrative ability has accomplished for the country. Until there is some show of treating the educated Indian as a social equal that ever-growing class of Indian society will never quietly acquiesce in English rule.

The loyalty of the lower class of Indian, the laborers, has been alienated to some extent by events which have occurred recently. The Indian workmen in South Africa were so evilly treated by the white element of that country that the condition to which they were reduced became a disgrace to the Empire.

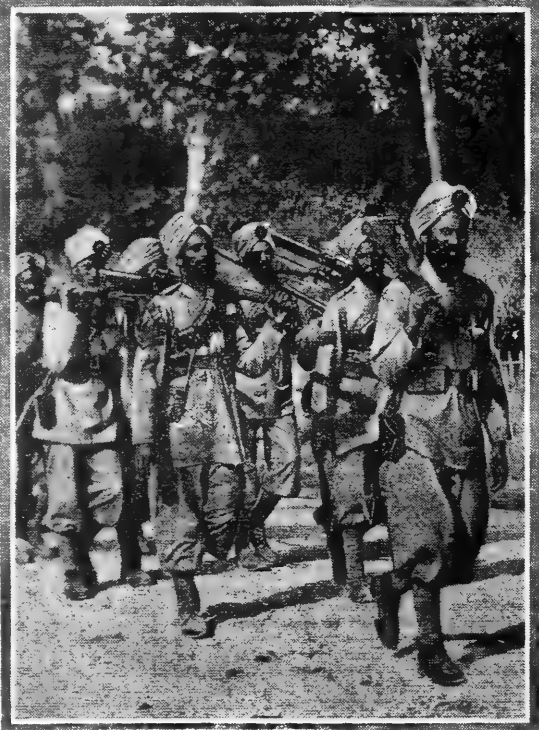
The refusal on the part of the Canadian immigration authorities to receive Indian labor has had grave consequences in India. The question is quite a different one than the United States has had to face in the case of China and Japan.

The incident in question has to do with the voyage of the Komaragut Maru, a Japanese ship, chartered by a company of about 300 Indians from the Punjab. On their arrival at Vancouver they were refused admission by the immigration authorities and sent back on their long journey to Calcutta. It is to be presumed that on their return voyage they were not filled with appreciation of the benefits which they derived from their position as British subjects.

To what extent England will satisfy India's desire for a place equal in dignity and responsibility to that of Canada and Australia is a problem for the future. Most observers would deny the ability of the Indian at the present time to deal with the difficulties of such a responsibility. Indian self-government, with its millions of people in utter ignorance, and with the multiplicity of its types, languages and religions, presents quite a different and far more difficult problem than is found in either Canada or Australia.

Then there are these two additional problems for England to face: First, the demand of the educated Indian to be treated as a social equal; and, second, the demand of the laboring classes for the right of immigration into the other countries of the Empire.

Until these issues involved in the present political and social inequality are met and some step taken to change present conditions in these regards, England will not find India a loyal country. Yet it is not at all unlikely that England will find the interests of good government will make necessary keeping a strong control over the Central Government. It does not seem probable that the Indian will ever get the social recognition he desires, or be welcomed as an immigrant. Thus it is very possible that India will never be wholly loyal to England. Yet it is unlikely that that country will ever be able to unite against England in such force as actually to menace her sovereignty, backed as it is by an English army.



Indian Troops at the Front in France.

have shown a friendly attitude toward the British Government and an enlightened treatment of their own people. In the case of the failure of a possible heir, too often an occurrence among Oriental Kings, especially in Indian history, the English Government would select some suitable Indian, of the royal line, if possible, to succeed to the control of the state. Every native state has an English official resident, who sees to it that the native ruler neither mismanages the internal affairs of his state nor aspires to excessive power. All the foreign relations of the states are controlled by the English Viceroy of India.

It will thus be clearly seen that the power of these native Princes depends absolutely upon the good will of the English. Further, the overthrow of that Government in India would shortly be followed by the downfall of the rulers of these native states in the anarchy which would inevitably follow the withdrawal of the English, since the power of these Princes does not come from the support they receive from their subjects. The peculiar diversity of the peoples of India makes it possible for an Indian ruler to be just as foreign to the Indians whom he may be ruling as an English Governor would be. As an example of this, the case of Hyderabad, the largest native state of India, might be cited. Of the ten million people in this state, over nine millions are Hindus, yet the ruler is himself a Mohammedan.

educated Hindus and Mohammedans are not loyal to the British Government. A few, and here we find the true patriots and statesmen of the Indian community, appreciate what England has done for India and the part that country must play in India's future development, and are in the truest sense of the word, loyal. Luckily for India there are enough of these men, few though they be, to act as a restraining influence on the reactionary element.

The reason for the strain of disloyalty which runs through the mass of the Indian people is not hard to find. No subject race is ever perfectly satisfied with its position as such when it possesses enough intelligence to do any thinking of its own. Almost every Hindu or Mohammedan, especially if superficially educated, has a tendency to protest at the position of servility in which he thinks he finds his fellow-countrymen. He overlooks the benefits which his country may be receiving from the ruling power and also the impossibility of organizing any Indian government which would receive the support of a united India.

The educated Indian cannot see why he should not have a responsible share in the Government of his own country, and we, enjoying a democratic form of Government, would have to admit that theoretically he is right. Practically, the application of such principles in India might at present have dire consequences. The East is not yet ready for a representative form of Government. China,

The Maiden Aerial Trip of an Amateur Flier

James Huneker Writes of the Exaltation of "Riding the Whirlwind" in an Aeroplane and of the Moral Victory of Flying Over One's Fears

By James Huneker.
NCE Swinburne, in a *Bagdelaire* mood, sang: "Shall no new sin be born for men's troubles?" And it was an Asian potentate who offered a prize for the discovery of a new pleasure. Or was it a sauce?

Mankind soon wearies. The miracles of yesteryear are the commonplaces of today. Steam, telegraphy, wireless, and now wireless telephony are accepted as a matter of course by the man in the street. How stale will seem woman suffrage and prohibition after they have conquered! In the world of art conditions are analogous. The cubist nail drove out the impressionist, and the cubist will soon vanish if the futurist hammer is sufficiently heavy.

Nevertheless, there is a novel sensation in store for those who make a first flight through the air. I don't mean in a balloon, whether captive or free; in the case of the former, a trip to the top of the Washington Monument or the Eiffel Tower will suffice; and while I rode in a Zeppelin at Berlin in 1912, (100 marks, or about \$25, was the tariff,) and saw Potsdam at my feet, yet I was unsatisfied. The passengers sat in a comfortable salon, ate, drank, even smoked. The traveling was so smooth as to suggest an inland lake on a Summer day. No danger was to be apprehended. The monster airship left its hangar and returned to it on schedule time. The entire trip lacked the flavor of adventure. And that leads me to a personal confession.

I am not a sport. In my veins flows sporting blood, but only in the Darwinian sense am I a "sport," a deviation from the normal history of my family, which has always been devoted to athletic pleasures. A baseball match in which carnage ensues is a mild diversion for me. I can't understand the fury of the contest. I yawn, though the frenzied enthusiasm of the spectators interests me. I have fallen asleep over a cricket match at Lord's in London, and the biggest bore of all was a Sunday afternoon bull fight in Madrid. It was such a waste of potential beefsteaks. Prize fights disgust, shell races are puerile, football matches smack of obituaries. As for golf—that is a prelude to senility, or the ante-chamber to an undertaker's establishment.

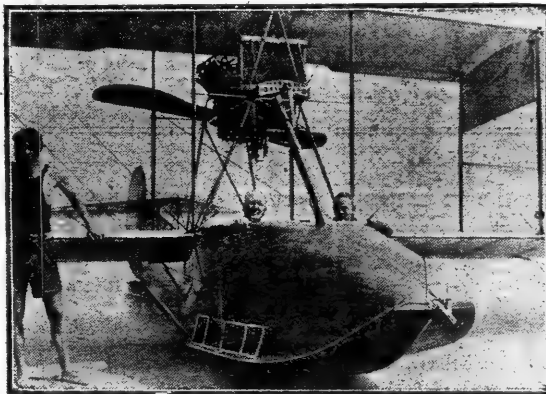
The swiftness of film pictures has set a new metronomic standard for modern sports. I suppose playing Bach fugues on the keyboard is as exciting a game as any; that is, for those that like it. A four-voiced polyphony at a good gate is positively hair-raising. It beats poker. (It was the amiable Huysmans who advocated the erection of a statue to the memory of the man that invented cards. A public benefactor! Didn't he thus check the conversation of imbeciles? But any one who has observed a bridge party composed of women may doubt the efficacy of the Huysmans suggestion.) All this is a preliminary to my little tale.

Conceive me as an elderly person of generous waist measurement, slightly reckless like most near-sighted humans; but this recklessness is psychical. Safety first, and I always watch my step; painful experience taught me years ago the perils that lurk in ambush for a Johnny-look-in-the-air.

Flying in heavier-than-air machines fascinated me. The fantastic stories of H. G. Wells—so immeasurably superior to his realistic fiction—were ever a joy. When the "Argonauts of the Air" appeared, flying was practically assured, although a Paris mathematician had demonstrated with ineluctable logic that it was impossible; as proved a member of the Institute a century earlier that birds couldn't fly. It was an illusion. Well, the Wrights flew, even if Langley did not—Langley, the father of the aeroplane.

Living so long in France and Belgium I had grown accustomed to the whirring of aerial motors, a sound not unlike that of a motorboat and the buzzing of a saw-mill. I became accustomed to this drone above the housetops, and since my return

to America I have often wondered why in the land where the aeroplane first flew so little public interest was manifested. To be sure, there are aero clubs, but they never fly where the interest of the greater public can be intrigued. Either there is a hectic excitement over some record broken or else the aviator sulks in his tent. Is the money devil at the bottom of the trouble? Sport for sport's sake, like art for art's sake, is rarely encountered. The Government has taken up flying, but that is for pragmatic purposes. By the way, the United States Department of Commerce recently fined Beryl H. Kendrick of Atlantic City because he didn't carry safety rafts, as if a hydro-aeroplane isn't more aeroplane than motor boat. The aeroplane as a weapon of defense, not the aeroplane as a new and agreeable pleasure! We are not a disinterested nation; even symphony concerts and opera and the salva-



Mr. Huneker About to Ascend at Atlantic City.

tion of souls are commercial propositions. Else would our skies be darkened by flying machines instead of smoke, and our churches thronged with aviators.

Walking on the famous and fatiguing Boardwalk of Atlantic City last month I suddenly heard a familiar buzzing in the air and looked up. There it was, a big flying boat like a prehistoric dragon fly, speeding from the Inlet down to the million-dollar pier. Presently there were two of them flying, and I felt as if I were in a civilized land.

On the trolleys were signs, "See the Flying Boats at the Inlet!" I did, the very next morning. I had no notion of being a passenger. I was not tempted by the thought. But as Satan finds work for idle hands, I lounged down the beach to the Kendrick biplane, and stared my full at its very slender proportions.

A young man in a bathing suit explained to me the technique of flying, and insinuated that hundreds and hundreds had flown during the season without accident. Afternoon saw me again on the sands, an excited witness of a flight; excited because I stood behind the motor when it was started for a preliminary tryout—"tuning up" is the slang phrase of the profession—and the cyclonic gale blew my hat away, loosened my collar, and made my teeth chatter.

Such a tornadoic roar! I firmly resolved that never would I trust myself in such a devil's contrivance. Why, it was actually riding the whirlwind—and, perhaps, reaping a watery grave. What else but that? On a blast of air you sail aloft and along. When the air ceases you drop (less than forty-five miles an hour). And this in a flimsy boxkite. Never for me! Not today, baker, call tomorrow with a crusty cottage, as we used to say in dear old "Lunnon" years ago.

Nevertheless, the poison was in my veins; cunningly it began to work. I saw a passenger, a fat man, weighing 204 pounds—I asked for the figures—trussed up like a calf in the arms of a slight, muscular youth, who carried him a limp

burden and deposited him on a seat in the prow of the boat. I turned my head away. I am not easily stirred—having reported musical and theatrical happenings for a quarter of a century—but the sight of that stout male, a man and a brother, (I don't know him from Adam,) evoked a chord of pity in my breast. I felt that I would never set eyes again on this prospective food for fishes.

I quickly left the spot and returned to my hotel, determined to say, "Retro me, Sathanas!" if "Auld Reekie" should happen to show me his hoofs, horns and hide.

But he did not. The devil is a subtle beast. He had simply set jangling the wires of suggestion, and my nerves accomplished the rest. One morning, a few days later, I awoke parched with desire. I drank much strong tea to steady me and smoked unremittingly. Again, during the early afternoon, I found my-

I would go up, but I must suffer terribly in the interim.

Why should I fly and pay fifteen good shillings for the unwelcome privilege? I computed the cost of various beverages, and as a consoling thought recalled Mark Twain's story of the Western editor who, missing from his accustomed haunts, was later found serenely drunk, passionately reading to a group of miners from a table his lantern-illuminated speech, in which he denounced the cruel raw waste of grain in the making of bread when so many honest men were starving for whisky.

Yet did I feel that I would not begrudge my hard-earned cash, (I'm not a best seller), and thus tormented between the devil of cowardice and the deep sea of curiosity I retired and dreamed all night of fighting strange birds that attacked me in an aeroplane.

I shan't weary you with the further analysis of my soul states during this tempestuous period. I ate a light breakfast, swallowed much tea. Then I resolutely went in company with a friend, and we boarded an Inlet car. I had the day previous resorted to a major expedient of cowards. I had said, so as to bolster up my fluttering resolution, that I was going to fly; an expedient that seldom misses, for I should never have been able to face the chief clerk, the head waiter or the proprietor at the hotel if I failed to keep my promise.

"Booster! Swaggerer!" I muttered to myself en route. "Now are you satisfied? Thou tremblest, carcass! Thou wouldst tremble much more if thou knewest whither I shall soon lead thee!" I quoted Turenne, and I was beginning to babble something about Icarus—or was it Phaeton, or Simon Magus?—brought to earth in the Colosseum by a prayer from the lips of St. Peter when we arrived. How I hated the corner where we alighted. It seemed mean and dingy and sinister in the dazzling sunlight—a redhot day if you may remember Saturday, Sept. 11, and the hour was 10:30 A. M.

A condemned criminal could not have noted more clearly every detail of the life he was about to quit. We plowed through the sand. We reached the scaffold—at least it looked like one to me. "Hello, here's a church. Let's go in," I felt like exclaiming in sheer desperation, remembering Dickens and Mr. Weemick. I would have, such was my blue funk, quoted Holy Scripture to the sandlopers, but I hadn't the chance.

I asked my friend, and my voice sounded steady enough, whether the wind and weather seemed propitious for flying. Never better was the reply, and my heart went down to my boots. I really think I should have escaped if a stout man with a piratical mustache hadn't approached me and asked: "Going up today?" I marveled at his calmness, and wished for his instant dissolution, but I gave an affirmative shake of the head. Cornered at last.

Handing my watch, hat and wallet to my friend, I coldly awaited the final preparations. I had forgotten my ear protector, but cotton wool would answer the purpose of making me partially deaf to the hideous, clangorous vibration of the propeller blades—which resemble in a magnified shape the innocent air fans of offices and cafés. I essayed one more joke—true gallows humor—before I was led like a lamb (a tough one) to the slaughter. I asked an attendant to whom I had paid the official fee if my widows would be refunded the money in case of accident; but this antique and tasteless witicism was indifferently received, as it deserved. Finally the young man gave me a raincoat, grabbed me around the waist, and bidding me clasp his neck he carried me out into shallow water and sat me beside the air pilot, who looked like a mere lad in his bathing clothes.

My hand must have been trembling; (Ah, that old piano hand!) for he inquiringly eyed me. The motor was screaming as we flew through the water toward the Inlet. I hadn't courage of mind to make a farewell signal to my

self up the beach. "My feet take hold on hell," I said to myself, but it was only hot sand.

I teased myself with speculations as to whether the game was worth the candle—yes, I had got that far, traversing a vast mental territory between the No-Sayer and the Yes-Sayer. (Any man who thinks of Nietzsche in connection with an aeroplane is lost. He is already "up in the air.") I was doomed, and I knew it when I began to circle about the machine.

Consequently the bonny youth explained matters. It was a Glenn H. Curtiss hydro-aeroplane, furnished with one of the new Curtiss engines of ninety horsepower, capable of flying seventy to ninety miles an hour, of lifting 400 pounds, and weighing in all about a ton. Was it safe? Were the taut, skinny piano wires that manipulated the steering gear and the plane durable? Didn't they ever snap? Of course, they were durable, and, of course, they occasionally snapped. What then? Why, you drop, in spiral fashion—volplane—charming vocable!

But if the engine?—same thing. You would come to earth, rather water, as naturally as a child takes the breast. Nothing to fear.

Young Kendrick is an Atlantic City product—he was a professional swimmer and lifeguard—and will look after you. The price is \$15; formerly \$25, but competition, which is said to be the life of trade, has operated in favor of the public.

Rather emotionally I bade my man good day, promising to return for a flight the next morning, a promise I certainly did not mean to keep. This stupendous announcement he received coolly. Flying for him was a quotidian banality.

And then I noticed that the blazing sun had become darkened. Was it an eclipse, or were some horrid, monstrous shapes like the supposititious spindles spoken of by Langley devouring the light of our parent planet? No, it was the chamber of my skull that was full of shadows. The obsession was complete.

companion. Too late, we're off, I thought, and at once my trepidation vanished.

I had for some unknown reason, possibly because of absolute despair, suffered a rich sea change. We churned the waves. I saw tiny sails studding the deep blue. Men fished from the shore. As we neared the Inlet, where a shambling wooden hotel stands on the sandy point, the sound of the motor grew intenser. We began to lift, not all at once, but gradually. Suddenly her nose was pointed skyward, and the boat climbed the air with an ease that was astonishing. "No shock. No jerking. We simply glided aloft as if the sky were our native heath—if you will pardon the hibernicism—and as if determined to pay a visit to the round blazing sun bathing naked in the brilliant blue.

And with the mounting ascent I became unconscious of my corporeal venture. I had become pure spirit. I feared nothing. The legend of angels became a certainty. Man is destined to wings. Was I not proving it? Flying is the sport of gods, and should be of humans now that the motor car is become slightly "promiscuous."

The Inlet and thoroughfare at my feet were now a network of silvery ribbons. The heat was terrific, the glare almost unbearable. But I no longer sneezed. Aviation solves the hay fever problem. The wind forced me to clench my teeth. We were hurtled along at 70 miles an

hour, and up several thousand feet, yet below the land seemed near enough to touch. As we swung across the masts of yachts I wondered that we didn't graze them—so elusive was the crystal clearness of the atmosphere, a magic mirror that made the remote contiguous. The mast of the sunken schooner hard by the sand bar looked like a lead pencil one could grasp and write a message to Mars.

Hello! I was lyrical. It is inescapable up in the air. The blood seethes. Ecstasy sets in—the kinetic ecstasy of a spinning top. I gazed at the pilot. He twisted his wheel nonchalantly as if we were in an earthly automobile. I looked over the sides of the cedar boat and was not giddy, for I had lived years at the top of a Madison Avenue apartment house, ten stories high, from which I daily viewed policemen killing time on the sidewalks; besides, I have strong eyes and the stomach of a drover. Therefore, no giddiness, no nausea. Only exaltation as we swooped down to lower levels.

Atlantic City, bizarre, yet meaningless, outrageously planned and executed stretched its ugly shape beneath us; the most striking objects were the exotic hyphenated hotel, with its Asiatic monoliths and dome, and its vast, grandiose neighbor, a mound of concrete, the biggest hotel in the world. The piers were salient silhouettes. A checkerboard seemed the city, which modulated into a tremendous arabesque of ocean and sky.

I preferred to stare seaward. The absorbent cotton in my ears was transformed into gun cotton, so explosive the insistent drumming of the motor engine. Otherwise, we flew on even keel, only an occasional dip and a sideways swing reminding me that I wasn't footing the ordinary highway. The initial intoxication began to wear off, but not the sense of freedom, a glorious freedom; truly mankind will not be free till all fly. Alas!

Though we become winged we remain mortal, human—all too human. We may shed our cumbersome pedestrian habits, but we take up in the air with us our petty souls.

I found myself indulging in very trite thoughts. What a pity that war should be the first to degrade this delightful and stimulating sport! Worse followed. Why can't I, like Vincent Astor, own a machine? Base envy, you see. Or, why doesn't young Mr. Astor, knowing my fervid desire, present me with a Curtiss hydro-aeroplane, model 1916? The socialistic heaven had begun to work. No use, we shall remain human even in heaven or hell—that hell in which it is not considered good form to harp on the heat.

I have been asked to describe the sensation of flying. I can't. It seems so easy, so natural (Mr. Kendrick says that any one can learn to guide a machine in midair; the difficulty is to master the descent). If you have ever dreamed of flying I can only say that your dream

will be realized in an aeroplane. Dreams do come true sometimes. (Curiously enough I've not dreamed of flying since.) But as there is an end even to the most tedious story, so mine must finish.

Suddenly the sound of the engine ceased. The silence was thrilling, almost painful. And then in huge circles, as if we were descending the curves of an invisible corkcrew, we came down, the bow of the flying boat pointing at an angle of forty-five degrees. Still no dizziness, only a sense of regret that the trip was so soon over. It had endured an eternity, but occupied precisely twenty-one minutes.

We reached the water and settled on the foam like a feather. Then we churned toward the beach; again I was carried, this time on to solid land, where I had ridiculous trouble in getting the cotton from my harassed eardrums. Perhaps my hands were unsteady, but if they were, my feet were not.

I reached the Inlet via the Boardwalk, making record time, and drew the first happy sigh in a week as I sat down, lighted a cigar and twiddled my fingers at a waiter. Even if I had enjoyed a new pleasure I didn't propose to give up the old ones. Then my nerves! And when I meet Gabriele d'Annunzio I can look him in the eye. He flew over Trieste, but I flew over my fears—a moral as well as a physical victory for a timid conservative.

Diary Sheds New Light on Napoleon's End

Interesting Account, Written Ninety-Four Years Ago by Man Who Made Arrangements for the ex-Emperor's Interment, Just Discovered at St. Helena

The valuable historical document printed below has just been discovered on the island of St. Helena, where Napoleon Bonaparte spent his last days. It is the diary of Andrew Darling, the upholsterer who made the arrangements for Napoleon's funeral. Darling was sent to St. Helena, when the former Emperor of the French was first a prisoner there, by a London upholsterer who had contracted to furnish the illustrious prisoner's residence at Longwood, on the island. He went frequently to Longwood, had access to Napoleon's private apartments and was in a position to give minute details regarding the ex-Emperor's last days.

The diary was discovered by Major M. F. Foulds, the medical officer in charge of the troops now quartered at St. Helena, among the records of the island deposited in the castle at Jamestown, and sent by him to The London Times.

In Darling's diary some of the names of persons in Napoleon's entourage are misspelled. Those to whom he alludes are the following, the correct spelling of their names being given:

Count de Montholon, Lord Chamberlain at Longwood; Count Bertrand, Grand Marshal; Pierron, butler; Marchand, first valet; Noverras, third valet; Antommarchi, Napoleon's physician; Arnott, the surgeon who attended Napoleon during his last illness; Crokat, orderly officer at Longwood; Rutledge, assistant surgeon; Shortt, principal medical officer in St. Helena; Mitchell, surgeon of H. M. S. Vigo; Sir Thomas Reade, Deputy Adjutant General; Montchenu, French Commissioner; Gorroquer, military secretary to the Governor; Burton, an army surgeon.

Darling's diary covers the period from May 2 to 7, 1821. In it he wrote as follows:

Tuesday, May 2.

SENT up some articles to the old house at Longwood, which had been requested for the establishment's use, and went up in the afternoon, as usual, having been in attendance for some time before at Longwood for some part of the day, in case Gen. Bonaparte should think proper to go into the New House that was built for him, as his Excellency the Governor had given me orders to that effect, and General Montholon had said that he was not aware what General B. meant to do, but that he would most likely take it into his head and come down to the New

House suddenly without giving much notice, and I had better be in the way. Mr. Pierron signed the receipt for the articles, the servants seemed all in an uproar, and General Montholon said that B. was very ill. Went up as usual, went over to Mr. H. Barker in the evening, had been told by General Montholon that Bonaparte was all the same as dead. In the evening saw Dr. Rutledge and one or two of the officers at Longwood Farm House.

Wednesday, 3d.

Went up to the Wood as usual, having sent up several articles for the New House, and was told by Noverras, one of the servants of the New House, that General Bonaparte could not live long as he was then throwing up something from his stomach which was quite black, and said that at times he was delirious, having asked for people that were not on the Island, and asking after others who were not alive.

Friday, 4th.

Learnt on my way up that B. was much better. Sent up today some skins for General Montholon to cover some cases that held his books, and some green balsa for ditto; and articles of furniture for Doctors Shortt and Mitchell, to the

officers' quarters in the New House. Saw them both in the evening in Captain Crokat's quarters and heard Doctor Arnott come from General Bonaparte's room, describing to Messrs. Shortt and Mitchell how he thought he was, and the position in the room, and room in the House in which he lay. Was then taking orders from Captain Crokat, had been asked by General Montholon to get cloth to hang the room in black as he thought General Bonaparte could not live much longer.

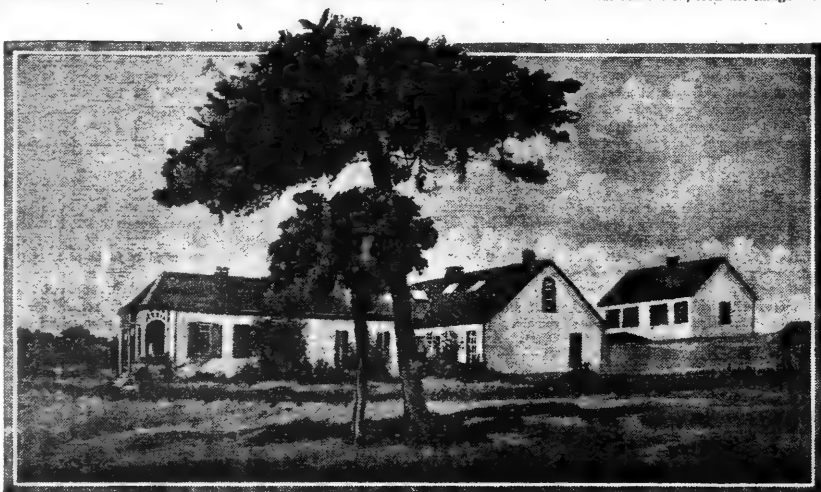
Saturday, 5th May.

Went up about twelve o'clock in the day, met Mr. Dutton with a letter from Sir Thomas Reade to send up some plaster of Paris; but as I knew there was none to be purchased and none in store, having been on the look out for the same articles that same morning, and the day before, and found that the only thing that I could find was to grind down some images, and use the material; but as the expense of them was considerable, and not certain of the material answering, I declined doing so until I had orders; therefore proceeded to Longwood, where I knew Sir Thomas Reade was, and then found him and the Governor in front of the New House.

Told the circumstances to the Gover-

nor, when he recommended the plan as it had been requested by Madame Bertrand. I then mounted my horse, came to Town, purchased the figures to the number of 150, all small, got the men that I had at work, and set about pounding them, which having completed, I had two Chinese in waiting and started them off with the powder, and then left Town myself for the Wood. This was between five and six in the evening: on my way up I passed the Admiral (Lambert), Marquis de Montchenu, and Major Gorroquer, having then met them with the account of General Bonaparte's death; this was a short distance from Longwood Gate; I then went on to the Old House, when I found that a Dragon was just starting with a note for me to prepare articles for the funeral, and likewise to hang the room in which he then lay with black cloth. I then saw the Governor and Sir Thomas Reade, and having taken my instructions proceeded to Town as quick as possible.

Having got the proper articles and the men collected, and some refreshment for them, I proceeded to Longwood, where we arrived about 12 o'clock, (this having been the third time that I had been from Town to the Wood that day.) I then saw General Montholon, took the things from



Longwood, Napoleon's Residence at St. Helena.

the cart into the dining room; General Montholon told me then he wished his bed-room to be hung with cloth as they wished him to lay in state in that room.

I then ordered the men to work, and moved the furniture out of that into the outer room, (General Bonaparte's sitting-room, but sometimes his bed-room.) Took down the muslin from the walls and furniture, being assisted by General Montholon and the French domestics. I kept the men at work until about half-past three; Sergt. Morley of the 20th then being unwell from the fatigue, and all the other men not good for much work, I asked them to rest till daylight; I then laid down myself but could not sleep during the evening.

I wanted to see him during some part of the morning, but was refused, as the Governor had not seen him. Having occasion to go out of the room into the garden by the glass door, I then saw him on the small iron bedstead between the drawing room windows, one of which (I saw in at both windows,) at that time being open. About daylight I then got the men to work again, and shortly after I saw the Governor, Sir Thomas Reade and other officers of the Staff, outside the house; and about a quarter of an hour afterwards the Governor and a Staff Officer passed by the room in which I was to the drawing-room, and remained for some time. I hurried the workmen on as much as possible, and got them some breakfast about nine o'clock; we had near finished.

About eight I went with General Montholon to the room where he was and saw him, and was much astonished to see him so much wasted in the body, but at the same time look so well, so young, and with such a pleasing countenance.

I then went to the workmen and some time afterwards General Montholon requested me to take his size for the coffin. Madame Bertrand and Counts Montholon and Bertrand were then speaking together (and I believe Mr. Marchand); the description of the coffins were to be, first tin, lined with satin, which was to be stuffed with cotton, a small mattress and pillow of the same materials on the bottom of ditto; and then second a wood coffin, then third a lead coffin, and then one of mahogany covered with crimson velvet, if it could be procured; but I told them there was not any on the Island that I could get, as I had been in search of some a few days before: it was then settled that outer coffin should be the best mahogany that was on the Island, which was accordingly done so.

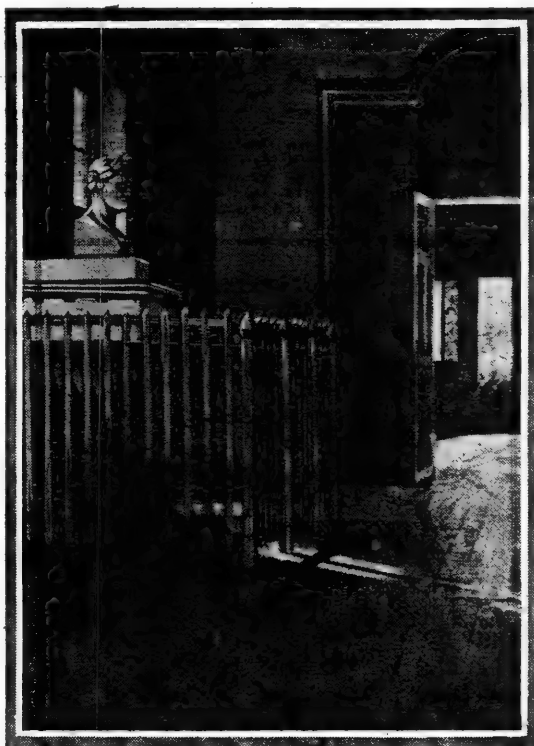
I then came out and told the Governor; he was anxious to have the coffins made as soon as possible. I went back a little afterwards, got a description of the coffins in writing from General Montholon, went with him into the room again to be more particular to his exact size; assisted by General Montholon, the net size was as follows:—Length, 5 feet 7 inches, only 18 inches barely across the shoulders, and scarcely 10 inches deep; the size of the coffin I made as follows:—Length, 5 feet 11 inches, depth 12 inches, width at the head 10½ inches, shoulders 21 inches, foot 8 inches; at that time I understood that he was to lay in state, and to be opened about 2 o'clock, but was not aware that he was to be put into the coffin with his hat and clothes on, in the way that he used to dress when in full uniform.

About 10 o'clock I left Longwood for Town; I had then received the Governor's orders to make all the haste possible, and as on the evening before make use of his name for men or materials that might be required. I came to Town, had some breakfast, and in the mean-

time applied to Town-Major Cole to get some of the men out of the church that I knew were the most handy and useful, had others sent from the country, and with the assistance of Mrs. Borman, Mr. Metcalfe, Mr. Borman, and others; had the tin coffin, the lead and wood coffins, finished about one in the morning, with the made linings as described.

Monday, May 7th.

Sent up the coffins by the Chinese and left Town about 11 o'clock for Longwood



Room Where Napoleon Died.

with the proper people to secure the different coffins, then saw him laying in state. As I left Longwood the morning before for the purpose of getting the coffins made, I left some men to do anything that was required in the house, such as finish the altar, and put up a chandelier that was taken down from the drawing-room and put into the room that he then lay in, and cover the carriage that General Bonaparte used to ride in. I found that they had nearly completed it all. The curiosity of the people being so great, that great crowds of people of all descriptions came to see him lay in state, which was nearly in the following manner.

The room in which he lay was by him generally used as a bed-room (the size small), with one door leading from the dining-room, by which means the people were admitted, another door opposite this went into the sitting-room, used by him but little of late, and likewise had a bed in it, and a sofa which he used to sit on much; two windows being in the south side next the garden, one of which some time since was made into a glass door; the other window small, but was made

into a French window; at the same time his head being towards the dining-room, throwing his right side towards the window.

The iron bedstead on which he lay was about 5 feet 10 inches by 8 feet, about 9 inches from the main corner nearest the sitting-room; and about 20 inches from the back wall, leaving bare room for a passage into the sitting-room. The altar was at his head next to the wall of the dining-room; above the bedstead hung a chandelier frame with 12 burners, in

ing been taken, the Governor and Sir Thomas Reade having asked me what the delay was, I told them the French people did not seem much inclined at that time to have him put into the coffin. I afterwards mentioned that it was proper he should be soldered up to-night, to Countess and Count Bertrand with General Montholon; and Mr. Marchand, who was preparing various articles for the purpose.

I having then brought in Abraham Millington and Samuel Ley, the men who made the tin coffin, Dr. Rutledge, of the 20th Regiment, being then in attendance (he having relieved Doctor Arnott), had orders not to let his heart be taken out of the room, I having received the same orders, the reason of this, as I was informed, was owing to Dr. Antromarchi wishing to have his stomach in his own possession to take to Europe with him, but the other French people did not wish that to be the case. I believe they wished his heart to be taken home with them, but did not get permission; therefore they wished to preserve it, which was accordingly done in the following manner:

His heart and stomach, as I have already mentioned, was in a silver vase or tureen, having been part of his plate, with a cover to it, on which was his coat of arms with an eagle on the top, which unscrewed with a nut; this having been soldered on fast, and then the heart having been put into the tureen by Dr. Rutledge in presence of Count Montholon, &c., &c., the top having been soldered on and a hole having been made in the bottom of the vessel, the spirits was then poured in by Dr. Rutledge, and an old shilling soldered on the hole; a considerable delay having taken place owing to the construction of the vessel, it was past 8 o'clock before the two men finished, and during the time the different things were preparing, or, I may say, lay on the table in the library room ready, a silver spoon, fork, and knife, with silver handles, one silver ewer or cream jug with rich workmanship on it, one of his silver plates, one of the same as now in my possession, a silver canister or mug with a top to it, in which was the stomach, the silver dish with his heart, two double Napoleons coined during the Republic, two ditto during Bonaparte's first Consulship, two ditto during his Emperorship, and two ditto during his Imperial reign, with four single and three silver coins; I having had time to look at all the various articles while the men were soldering the rim of the top of the dish where the heart was, and likewise having put the coins and plate in to the coffin myself.

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O Dreamer of Dreams

By Glenn Ward Dresbach

O DREAMER OF DREAMS, have you heard men say,
"The glory of dreams must fade away?"
Then I know that you smiled, and I know that you said,
"Not until dreamers of dreams are dead."

O Dreamer of Dreams, have you heard men sigh,
"The pale of dreams must fall from on high?"
Then I know that you smiled and said as you thrilled,

"Not while a dreamer of dreams may build."
O Dreamer of Dreams, have you heard men say,
"The battle is lost ere it starts today?"
Then I know that you shouted out in your night,
"Not while a dreamer of dreams may fight."

O Dreamer of Dreams, have you heard men say,
"Even love turns from his own today?"
Then I know your heart crooned, as winds crooned above,
"Not while a dreamer of dreams may love."

front of the bedstead stood two stands with marble tops, on each of which stood one four-branched chandelier of solid silver; on the altar stood two of the same with four large candlesticks and four pieces of wood made white in each, at the top of which was a candle to appear large. The altar was about 2ft. 4in. wide and 4ft. 6in. long, covered with black cloth and the letter "N" on the front, with a binding of yellow (taken from the drawing-room window curtains round the front). On the top stood a "jassu" adorned with column, a dome and cupola, where the figure of our Saviour on the Cross used to be deposited, but at that time was on General Bonaparte's breast with the sword and scabbard on his right side, his heart and stomach on the left.

On the top of the altar there was a covering richly wrought in silver with embroidered devices, and a bookstand on which lay a Bible; in front of the altar there was a platform one step high, on which the Priest Mr. Vignali used to stand at times with his robes on and repeat a paternoster, when a person of the Catholic persuasion used to come in and take the sacrament. The bedstead on which General Bonaparte lay was about 6 feet long and 3 feet wide and 3 mattresses on it, the top one of which is left behind, and is now in my possession amongst the stores, being much marred by the stains of blood &c. from him when he was turned round to shave the back part of his head for the bust which was taken on the 7th of May by Doctors Burton and Antromarchi and afterwards a bust taken from the same which was very fair, considering the time he had been dead, and the roughness of the material, which was packed up and taken by Antromarchi for the intention, as I was told by Madame Bertrand, to be sent to Canova for a model in marble.

Much time having been lost in waiting for the crowd of spectators of all classes which were admitted, and a delay in taking the bust, I felt anxious to have him put into the coffin, having the people all ready for the purpose. The bust hav-

Thirty Years of Gridiron Club Dinners

Since 1885 It Has Been Making Fun of Public Men to Their Faces, but Some, Such as Harrison and Reed, Turned the Laugh on the Club

By Charles Willis Thompson.

IT is thirty years since the Gridiron Club was founded; and Arthur Wallace Dunn, one of its members, is not boasting when he calls it "the most famous dining organization in the world." In this, the beginning of its thirty-first year, Mr. Dunn has published a history of the club, entitled "Gridiron Nights" and published by the Frederick A. Stokes Company. No, it is not a history of the club so much as a history of its skits and jokes, the high spots of its dinners.

Its beginnings were small and its early dinners very unlike those which now attract the leading men of the nation from all over the land. It began by copying the Clover Club, and geying the speakers. That practice was abandoned long ago, and the policy adopted of getting it out of the guests. The guests are lampooned unmercifully, but when one of them rises to speak he is listened to with respectful attention. He can speak freely, for his speech will not be reported. At the beginning of the dinner the President announces, "The Gridiron Club has two rules: Ladies are always present, and reporters are never present."

"After some training, both as Secretary of War and as President," wrote ex-President Taft, "I was able to smile broadly at a caustic joke at my expense and seem to enjoy it, with the consolatory thought that every other guest of any prominence had to suffer the same penalty for an evening's pleasure. The surprise and embarrassment of foreign Ambassadors at their first Gridiron dinner, and their subsequent whole-hearted appreciation of the spirit of these occasions, showed how unique a feature they were of Washington political life."

"I had the time of my life last night," said J. Pierpont Morgan to Mark Hanna, after his first Gridiron dinner.

All the Presidents of the United States from Harrison's time, with the exception of Cleveland, have been guests of the Gridiron, most of them regular guests. Harrison had the reputation of being a cold and reserved man, and he astonished the club by making a scintillating speech. "This is the second time this week," he began, "that I have been called upon to open a congress of American inventors."

When the President concluded his witty and genial speech, Frank Hofsford, one of the intense Democrats of the club, went over to Perry S. Heath of The Indianapolis Journal, who was in the President's confidence and his mouthpiece in the press.

"Perry," said Hofsford, "your man Harrison is a wonder. I didn't think it was in him."

"Oh, he's all right on his feet," replied Heath. "It's only when he sits down that he falls down."

And that was so true, (says Mr. Dunn.) Sitting at his desk in the White House, he could do and say more things to make him unpopular than any man that ever occupied that exalted station. When he became tired of a visitor, or did not want to continue a conversation further, he would stare vacantly across the room and drum with the fingers of both hands on his desk. Many a prominent man, accompanied perhaps by a friend upon whom he wanted to make an impression, was actually drummed out of Harrison's presence.

At the beginning of Cleveland's second Administration the club gave a dinner to the new Cabinet. The President of the Club was Frank Hatton, who had succeeded Postmaster General Gresham when that statesman became Secretary of the Treasury. Gresham had now become the new Secretary of State, and sat at Hatton's right. Hatton made a speech instructing the new Cabinet in its duties. He warned them, from his own experience as Postmaster General, not to take themselves too seriously.

"I have been there myself, boys," he said; "the old colored messenger will show you where to sign your names, and the clerks will do the rest. I recall my first day as a Cabinet man, and it is no doubt very much like your own experience. I was signing papers where the messenger indicated, but finally I

thought I ought to assert myself when I came to a particularly imposing and bulky document with many papers attached. Leaning back in my chair, I said: "I don't exactly understand this."

"Neither do I, boss," replied the messenger, "but yo' signs yo' name right there."

"After that I got along without any difficulty."

At a dinner in 1896 David B. Hill was asked to talk about his Presidential chances. Hill, who was a bachelor, replied by telling of a census-taker who came to him when he was Governor of

fond of rapping him for his mastery of the McKinley Administration, and at a dinner held just before the war with Spain, the President of the club, Frank Hofsford, in the course of a speech about it, turned to him and said:

"Senator Hanna, can we have this war?"

Hanna was opposed to the war, as was McKinley. When Hanna had spoken, Hofsford said caustically: "At least we have one man connected with this Administration who is not afraid to fight," and introduced Assistant Secretary Theodore Roosevelt.

this same dinner, would not attend until assured that he would not be called on for a speech. "I'm nothing on the gab," he said, "and I'd be a mark for these guys." The club has kept for years a large book in its reception room, and in this book each guest inscribes his name. When Croker reached the book, Mark Hanna had just written his name and was rising from the table. The two leaders had never met. Each looked at the other for an instant. Croker spoke first. "Your face seems very familiar," and there was a twinkle in his eye.

"I ought to know you from your pictures," said Hanna, smiling broadly.

A little later they found themselves seated opposite each other at the dinner table and had a good time together. "I knew your face," said Croker, "but I missed that suit with the dollar marks."

"I'd have been sure it was you if you'd worn that striped suit," retorted Hanna.

"How did you like it, Chief?" asked Croker's host, John Corwin, after the dinner was over.

"Fine," replied Croker. "Say, do you know who made the best speech? The Chink. The Chink was better'n all of 'em."

He referred to his Excellency Minister Wu Ting-fang.

Senator Beveridge came to Washington heralded as the "Young Man Eloquent." He attended his first Gridiron dinner in 1899, handicapped by his boy-orator reputation. Mr. Dunn thus describes his adventures:

When Senator Beveridge was called upon he was escorted to the area in front of the President, given a brief lecture, and told how to deport himself as a United States Senator. First, his youth was criticized and he was told to overcome this defect by wearing whiskers, and a disguise of whiskers was put over his face. Then he was informed that one trouble in the Senate was due to an inclination to talk too long, and he was given an alarm clock and told that when the alarm sounded it was time to quit. Having received these instructions, he was allowed to proceed.

Holding the alarm clock in one hand and waving the other with oratorical gestures, the young Senator began to speak. But he had not been going more than three minutes when the alarm, which had been previously set for the occasion, went off, and as it rang loud and long everybody shouted and laughed, and Beveridge had to wait for another occasion before he was able to make a speech to the Gridiron Club.

When Senator Tillman made his Gridiron debut he had the reputation of being a wild man. Gorman, the conservative Democratic leader, was another guest. Tillman was presented with a black flag, informed that he was "partially civilized," and allowed to speak. Mr. Dunn says:

I wonder how many people recollect the striking figure which Tillman made as he stood there in all the strength and vigor of those days waving that black flag back and forth and saying that it would "wave over my grave before it would find me in the same camp with Arthur Fawcett." In later years, when Tillman became one of the conservative Senators on the Democratic side, this remark could hardly have been made, for I fancy that he and Gorman would not have been very far apart.

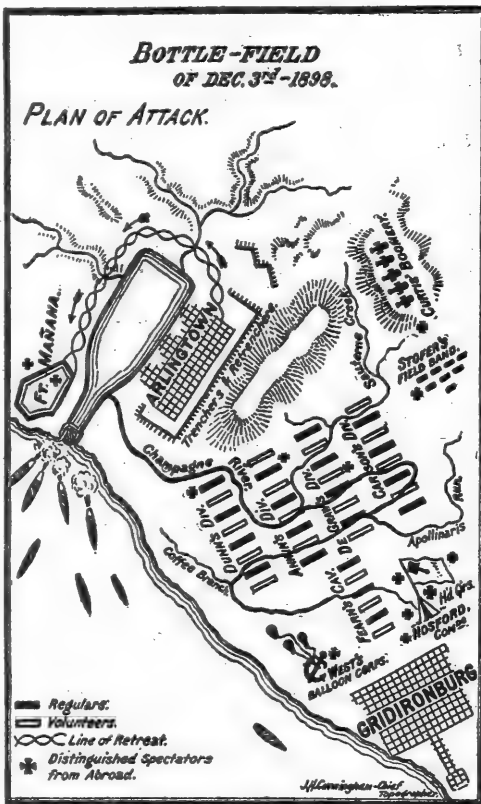
At a dinner early in 1900 Senator Thomas C. Platt surprised the club by reading a poem he had written many years before. This was a dinner given by the Lotos Club to the Gridiron. The poem was an amusing production, and made the greater hit because Mr. Platt's gift of humor was not generally known.

General Miles' once famous call at the White House, in which he had an altercation with President Roosevelt, has probably been forgotten now, but at the time it was widely celebrated and some of the stories about it were very lurid. At the next Gridiron dinner Miles was present, and so was the President. At one stage of the dinner General Boynton came limping in with his arm in a sling, patches on his face, and a bandage over his head.

"Why, General, where have you been?" asked Louis A. Coolidge.

"I have been to call on the President."

Whatever else may have been in the reply was never heard, for there was a shriek and a roar from the head of the



On the Program at the First Dinner Held After the Spanish War.

New York, and among other questions asked, "How many children?" "None—to speak of," replied the Governor.

"That answers the Gridiron query," said Hill, and went on with his speech.

Just before McKinley was inaugurated the club held a dinner, at which one of the skits was a conversation over a telephone, McKinley being supposed to be at the other end, in Canton. William E. Annin, one of the members of the club, did the talking. "Yes," he said, "Boutelle is here" (Congressman Boutelle of Maine, who would have liked to be Secretary of the Navy). "What's he doing, did you say? Oh, just waiting."

This raised a laugh at Boutelle's expense. "Yes," went on Annin, "Speaker Reed is here." Before he could go on, Reed, who was no friend of McKinley's, drewlaid out in his high-pitched voice:

"But not waiting."

Reed, at another dinner, sat beside Minister Wu Ting-fang, and in his speech poked a little fun at the Chinese Minister. When Dr. Wu was called on to speak, he said:

"I am told that your great Speaker is a Republican. In our country he would be a pronounced monarchist and a supporter of the Manchu dynasty."

Mark Hanna was a favorite at Gridiron dinners, and was always ready to stand for anything. The Gridironers were

"We will have this war for the freedom of Cuba, Senator Hanna, in spite of the timidity of the commercial interests," was one of the sentences ground out through the teeth of the Assistant Secretary. "It was," records Mr. Dunn, "a very dramatic moment, and there was no one present at that dinner who did not thoroughly understand that war was inevitable."

The Gridiron Club always made use of Chauncey M. Depew for any purpose whatsoever. At a dinner in 1899 General H. V. Boynton, the President of the club, made an introductory speech about Senator Depew, indicating that he was to be called upon. Just as everybody was expecting the Senator to arise, and while he was getting his preparatory smile ready, there stalked into the room a very large-sized book labeled "Depew's Jokes." On the other side was a picture of Depew laughing vociferously. When the uproar subsided Boynton went on with his speech and introduced somebody else.

A little later, however, he made a speech in which he really introduced Depew, and the Senator arose. But before he could say a word a phonograph began grinding out some of Depew's old stories, and the Senator was obliged to sit down. Later in the evening, however, he had an opportunity to speak, but he began gingerly, expecting some new trap. Richard Croker, who was present at



The Club's Burlesque of Roosevelt's Administration in 1907, Depicting the Probable Outcome of His Imperialistic Ideas.

table showing that Mr. Roosevelt thoroughly enjoyed the situation. The same could not be said for General Miles.

In January, 1904, Mirza Ali Asgar Khan, former Grand Vizier of Persia, was making a trip around the world, and was sailing to Europe from New York. His attendance at the Gridiron dinner was announced in the newspapers. What happened is thus described:

He came in late, after the dinner had been in progress for a time, and was accompanied by Scott C. Bone of The Washington Post, his host of the evening. Before taking his seat, directly in front of the President of the United States, he bowed low to that official, and then made a sweeping salaam to the assembled company. Senator Beveridge was introduced and shook hands. William H. Taft, then Governor General of the Philippines, who had crossed the Pacific Ocean on the same ship with the Grand Vizier, walked across the dining room and shook hands, expressing his pleasure at seeing him again. Senators Aldrich, Gorman, and Hanna and Speaker Cannon, sitting near by, were introduced.

After the dinner had progressed for a time President Louis A. Coolidge introduced the Oriental guest as one who had journeyed far and who came that night with views he had gathered in his travels. Mirza Ali Asgar Khan, with more profound bows, said that his message to the Gridiron Club and its guests had been written, as he was somewhat imperfect in our language, and then he began to read from large sheets of paper.

"The people of the United States," he began, "are watching every day to see whether there is to be a war in the Old World. In the East we also watch for that war. It is to observe preparations for that war that I travel."

"I was in Japan before I came to this country. In Persia we take great interest in Japan, because the next war will be the great struggle between the civilizations of the East and the West. We believe that the Eastern civilization will overcome the Western civilization."

"This will mark the downfall of Russia, that treacherous power that has plotted against the peace of mankind from the days of Peter the Great, and has been the hypocrite, the false friend of every weaker power it has aimed to destroy."

He was interrupted by a member of the club who suggested that as the Russian Ambassador was our guest no such discussion should be permitted. Mirza Ali looked puzzled and continued:

"The barbarous rule of Germany will be brought to an end and a higher morality will supplant the vicious rule of the vandals who have kept the intelligence of Europe under a reign of terror."

Again he was interrupted and attention called to the presence of the German Ambassador. The situation was explained to the Grand Vizier, and he turned over two or three pages of his manuscript and continued:

"And then Great Britain, the traditional enemy of the free American people—perfidious Albion, as she is called by one of your poets. She has been the trader of the world—buyer and seller of men—pretending to love liberty, but hypocritically sheltering slavery when it could be to her interest."

President Coolidge stopped him by sharp rap of the gavel. The faces of the diplomats were drawn into frowns of disapproval. Guests and members were aghast, while President Roosevelt looked as if he thought it was the makings of a bully row.

"We are very much obliged," said Mr. Coolidge, "to his Excellency the Grand Vizier, but as some members of the British Embassy are with us—"

"You will not let me speak," said the Vizier angrily; "then I bid you good night!"

You invite me here—you ask me to speak—I prepare my speech—you are as bad as the rest. You have no free press—you have no free speech! I go."

And as he was making sweeping gestures he tore away his feet, wig and beard, and there stood Francis E. Leupp of The New York Evening Post. He had put over the greatest hoax ever perpetrated by the Gridiron Club. The real Mirza Ali Asgar Khan had sailed for Europe that very day.

Senator Allison never committed himself on any subject, and there were many stories of his excessive caution in expressing opinions. The most famous is the story of some one's calling his attention to the fact that some sheep passing by had been sheared, and of Allison's reply, "It would appear that they have been sheared—on this side." Mr. Dunn contributes another:

One time Allison called a newspaper man into his committee room and read him a long letter addressed to a constituent at home, and asked the correspondent what he thought of it.

"Well, Senator," replied the correspondent, with some hesitation, "I don't think he will be able to make anything out of it."

"That was the intention," replied Allison, fairly beaming.

When Ethan Allen Hitchcock resigned as Secretary of the Interior, and was succeeded by James R. Garfield, the West

was much pleased, for Hitchcock was unpopular there. A few days later there was a Gridiron dinner at which the late Francis W. Cushman, the brilliant Congressman from Washington, was called on for a speech. Cushman began by complimenting President Roosevelt, who was present, on the change in his Cabinet.

"When Hitchcock resigned," said Cushman, "there wasn't a dry throat west of the Mississippi."

At a dinner in 1911, at which William J. Bryan was present, the Gridiron Club held a mock session of the Supreme Court. One of the members applied for a writ to prevent Mr. Bryan from running for President.

"Oh, let him run," said the court. "What difference does it make!"

Just before President Wilson's inauguration the club held a session of the incoming Cabinet. One of the mock Cabinet was made up to represent Mr. Bryan, and when he entered he was asked:

"You have never attended a Cabinet meeting before, Mr. Bryan?"

"No," was the reply, "but I have made three attempts."

At another dinner in 1913 Thomas F. Logan of The Philadelphia Inquirer was

initiated as a member, and part of his hazing was to go about as a young reporter and interview the guests. Then he was questioned concerning the results.

"Did you interview the Secretary of War?" he was asked.

"Yes."

"What did he say?"

"He denies it."

"What does he deny?"

"That's what I asked him, and he said it didn't make any difference what; it was the immemorial custom of the War Department to deny everything."

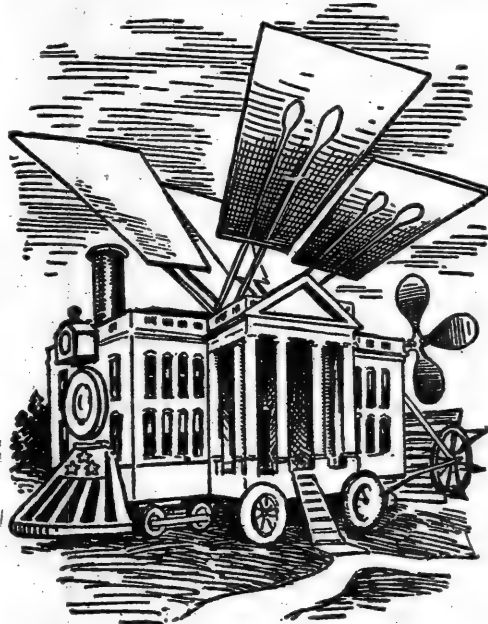
One feature of Gridiron dinners is the tribute to members who have died during the year, if there have been such. The lights suddenly go out, and in the darkness the voice of Louis A. Coolidge is heard. On one such occasion he said:

"The Gridiron Club goes on forever; though in the course of time its membership must change, till in due season those now mingling here become but memories to the later born. We cannot alter everlasting laws or stop the time-piece of eternity which strikes for each his hour to fall asleep. Our comrades come; they go; and as they pass they lay their offerings on the Gridiron shrine, contented if the gifts they bear, blend in the glory of the club they love and fix their memory in a place among the crowding recollections of receding years. And as they melt into the shadows of the past it is most fitting that those lingering here speak each name fondly for remembrance sake."

There is a hush where a moment before merriment prevailed and jest went ringing. Upon a screen appear the faces of men who are no more. From out the darkness comes a voice calling their names, briefly reciting their deeds, and pronouncing a final tribute and farewell. There is a distant strain of music; the pictures begin to fade among clouds; the music grows stronger and the words of the song are heard:

Don't you hear them bells;
Don't you hear them bells;
They are ringing out the glory of the day.

The lights flash and the whole room joins in the chorus; and mirth, wit, and merrymaking again hold sway. "This," says Mr. Dunn, "is as it should be. It is as those gone before would wish. Every Gridiron man wants to be thus remembered by his fellow-members, but only for a moment would he have the enjoyment of a Gridiron dinner interrupted while the brief tribute is paid and he is enshrined in memories before forever passing into the shadows. Sentiment, of course; and as I have reviewed the past thirty years of Gridiron life I have found sentiment lingering at every milestone. It founded the organization, kept it alive, placed it upon a plane of success and achievement. Without such true and lasting sentiment there would be no Gridiron Club."



THE HOUSE JACK (OUGHT TO HAVE) BUILT
A Gridiron Idea of the White House When President Taft Was Touring the Country. From a Dinner Souvenir.

Art Thrives in Spite of Our Prosperity Worship

Men of Genius Must Express Themselves, Declares Booth Tarkington, Although We of This Country Don't Give a Nickel for Things of the Soul

By Joyce Kilmer.

MR. BOOTH TARKINGTON never will be called the George M. Cohan of fiction. His novel "The Turnout" is surely an indictment of modern American urban civilization; of its materialism, its braggadocio, its contempt for the things of the soul.

It was with the purpose of making this indictment a little clearer than it could be when it is surrounded by a story, that I recently asked Mr. Tarkington a few questions. And his answers are not likely to increase our national complacencies.

In the first place I asked Mr. Tarkington if the atmosphere of a young and energetic nation might not reasonably be expected to be favorable to literary and artistic expression.

"Yes, it might," said Mr. Tarkington. "There may be spiritual progress in America as phenomenal as her material progress."

"There is and has been extraordinary progress in the arts. But the people as a whole are naturally preoccupied with their material progress. They are much more interested in Mr. Rockefeller than in Mr. Sargent."

The last two sentences of Mr. Tarkington's reply made me eager for something a little more specific on that subject.

"What are the forces in America today," I asked, "that hinder the development of art and letters?"

Mr. Tarkington replied: "There are no forces in America today that hinder and development of individuals in art and letters, save in unimportant cases here and there. But there is a spirit that hinders general personal decency, knows and cares nothing for beauty, and is glad to have its body dirty for the sake of what it calls 'prosperity.'"

"It wouldn't give a nickel" for any kind of art. But it can't and doesn't hinder artists "from producing works of art, though it makes them swear."

"But do not these conditions in many instances seriously hinder individual artists?"

Mr. Tarkington smiled. "Nothing stops an artist if he's one," he said. "But many things may prevent a people or a community from knowing or caring for art."

"The climate may be unfavorable; we need not expect the Eskimos to be interested in architecture. In the United States politicians have usually controlled the public purchase of works of art and the erection of public buildings. This is bad for the public, naturally."

"I suppose," I said, "that the conditions you describe are distinctively modern, are they not? At what time in the history of America have conditions been most favorable to literary expression?"

Mr. Tarkington's reply was not what I expected. "At all times," he said. "Literary expression does not depend on the times, though the appreciation of it does, somewhat."

I asked Mr. Tarkington if he agreed with Mr. Gouverneur Morris in considering the short story a modern development. He did not.

"There are short stories in the Bible," he said, "and in every mythology; 'folk stories' of all races and tribes. Probably Mr. Morris's definition of the short story would exclude these. I agree with him that short stories are better written nowadays."

"But you do not believe," I said, "that American literature in general is better than it used to be, do you? Why is it that there is now no group of American writers like the New England group which included Longfellow, Whittier, Lowell, Emerson, and Thoreau?"

"Why is there," Mr. Tarkington asked

in turn, "no group like Homer (wasn't he a group?) in Greece? There may be, but if there is just such a modern group it would tend only to repeat the work of the Homeric group, which wouldn't be interesting to the rest of us."

"The important thing is to find a group unlike Longfellow, Whittier, Lowell, Emerson, and Thoreau. That is, if one accepts the idea that it is important to find a group."

Mr. Tarkington's criticisms of the modern American city have been so severe that I expected him to tell me that all writers should live in the country. But

discussion—Professor Edward Garnett and Gertrude Atherton have taken a considerable share in it—on the relative merits of contemporary English and American fiction. I asked Mr. Tarkington if in his opinion the United States had at the present time novelists equal to those of England.

"That is unanswerable!" he answered. "Writers aren't like baseball teams. What's the value of my opinion that 'The Undiscovered Country' is a 'greater' novel than 'A Pair of Blue Eyes'? These questions remind me of school debating societies. Nothing is

was that the war is purifying and strengthening all forms of literary expression.

But Mr. Tarkington had something new to say about it. "What effect," I asked, "is the war likely to have on American literature?"

"None of consequence," he answered. "The poet will find the subject, war or no war. The sculptor doesn't depend upon epaulettes."

Mr. Tarkington is so inveterate a writer of serials and his work is so familiar to the readers of the American magazines that I desired to get his expert opinion as to whether or not the American magazines, with their remarkably high prices, had harmed or benefited fiction. His reply was somewhat noncommittal.

"They have induced many people to look upon the production of fiction as a profitable business," he said. "But those people would merely not have 'tried fiction' at all otherwise. Prices have nothing to do with art."

Mr. Tarkington had some interesting things to say about that venerable mirage, the Great American Novel. I asked him if that longed-for work would ever be written; if, for example, there would ever be a work of fiction reflecting American life as "Vanity Fair" reflects English life. He replied:

"If Thackeray had been an American he would not have written a novel reflecting American life as 'Vanity Fair' reflected the English life of its time. He would have written of New York; his young men would have come there after Harvard. The only safe thing to say of the Great American Novel is that the author will never know he wrote it."

Mr. Charles Belmont Davis had told me that a writer who had some means of making a living other than writing would do better work than one who devoted himself exclusively to literature. I asked Mr. Tarkington what he thought about this.

"I think," he said, "that it would be very well for a writer to have some means of making a living other than writing. There are likely to be times in his career when it would give him a sense of security concerning food. But I doubt if it would much affect his writing, unless he considered writing to be a business."

Mr. Tarkington's answer to my next question is hereby commended to the attention of all those feminine revolutionists who believe that they are engaged in the pleasant task of changing the whole current of modern thought.

"How has literature been affected," I asked, "by the suffrage movement and feminism?"

Mr. Tarkington looked up in some surprise. "I haven't heard of any change," he said.

The author of "The Turnout" could never be accused of jingoism. But he is far from agreeing with those critics who believe that American literature is merely "a phase of English literature." I asked him if he believed that there was such a thing as a distinctively American literature.

"Certainly," he replied. "Is 'Huckleberry Finn' a phase? It's a monument; not an English one. English happens to be the language largely used."

The allusion in Mr. Tarkington's last reply suggested—that every reader of "Penrod" must know—that this novelist is an enthusiastic admirer of Mark Twain. So I told him that Mr. T. A. Daly had classed Mark Twain with Artemus Ward and Philander K. Doesticks, and had said that these men wrote nothing of real merit and were "the Charlie Chaplins of their time."

Mr. Tarkington smiled. "Get Mr. T. A. Daly to talk some more," he said. "We'd like to hear something about Voltaire and Flo Ziegfeld. Second thoughts indicate that 'T. A. Daly' is the pen name of Mr. Charlie Chaplin. Of course! And that makes it all right and natural. I thought at first that it was a joke."

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Booth Tarkington.

again he surprised me. In reply to my question as to which environment was more favorable to the production of literature, the city or the country, he said:

"It depends upon the nerves of the writer. A writer can be born anywhere, and he can grow up anywhere."

There has recently been considerable

demonstrated, but everybody has his own verdict."

Until I asked Mr. Tarkington about it I had heard only two opinions as to the probable effect on literature of the war. One was that which William Dean Howells tersely expressed by saying: "War stops literature," and the other

Facts from Many Lands

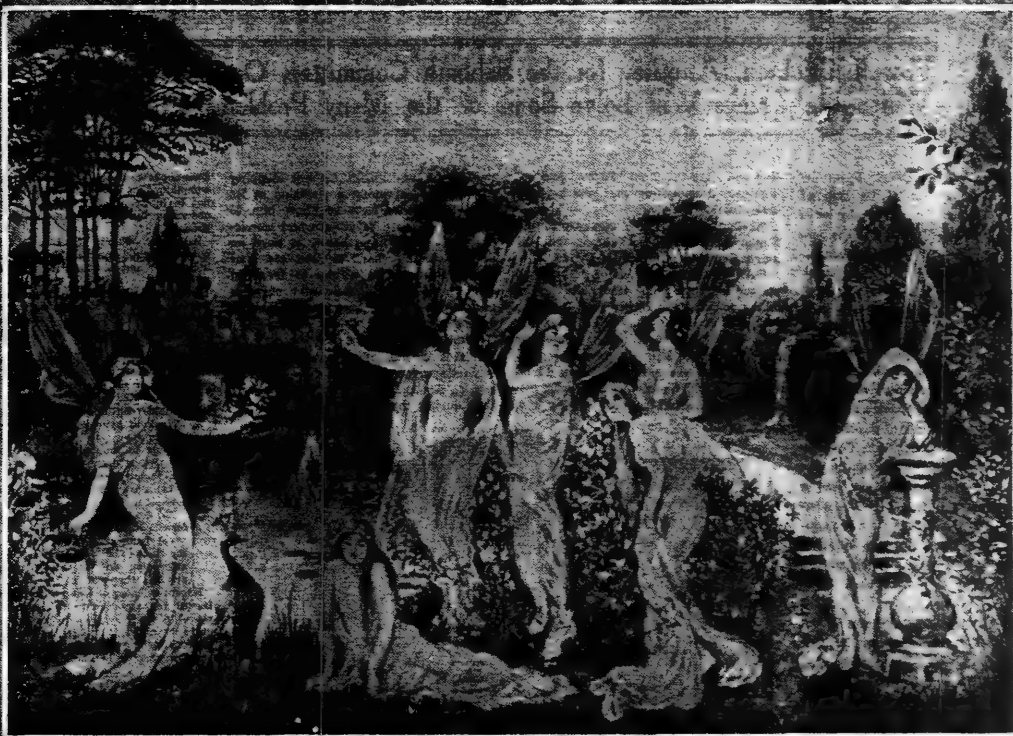
THE co-operative system is growing in Scotland, despite the war. The report of the Scottish Co-operative Wholesale Society for the first half of 1945, recently made public, shows that the volume of business transacted was greater than in any corresponding period in the past. To some extent this was due to the higher market prices of goods, but in nearly every department the quantities of goods sold showed large increases. The net sales for the six months amounted to \$26,347,000, an increase of \$4,377,061

In order to regulate the supply and price of bread, the Government of Portugal has taken over the entire wheat crop of the country and has authorized the importation of 7,848,667 bushels of foreign wheat through the War Department. All flour mills in the country are required to furnish to the public and bakers three types of flour at prices not

exceeding 16, 9.6, and 8.3 centavos (70 centavos equals \$1 at present exchange) per kilo, (2.2 pounds.) The exportation of wheat is forbidden and all supplies of the cereal on hand must be reported to the Government under penalty of confiscation or fine for failure to do so.

The foreign-born depositors in the postal savings bank of the New York Post Office outnumber the native born by about three to one. These are \$2,616 Russian-born depositors, who have saved \$4,506,994. Italians have saved \$2,568,670, and depositors born in America have \$1,996,554 on deposit.

Real estate transactions in New York City for the first half of the present year amounted to \$776,000,000, an increase of \$25,000,000 over the corresponding period of 1944. The building outlays reached a total of \$93,000,000.



"The Flower Fairies," Drawn by Winifred Barker, Aged Seventeen.

Marie Corelli Discovers a 17 Year Old Genius

Famous Novelist Is Enthusiastic Over Drawings by Winifred Barker, Who Lives in a Little Village and Has Had Few Advantages for Development

From The Sphere, London, Oct. 2, 1915.

By Marie Corelli.

THROUGH the courtesy and sympathetic interest of the editor of The Sphere I am enabled to call the attention of the art-loving public to the work of Winifred Barker, a girl of 17, whose imaginative picture of "The Flower Fairies" is reproduced above. The idea of the drawing was suggested to her by two lines from the poems of Keats:

Here are sweet peas a'tiptoe for a flit,
With wings of gentle flush o'er delicate white.

And she has represented with considerable delicacy and grace the attitude of the fairies, or embodied flowers, as ready to depart from their ambush of blossom. One of their friends is offering them a farewell posy, and another, resting rather despondently on the sun dial, is evidently regretting that the moment of parting has come. The gorgeous peacock, sweeping his glittering train through the grass, suggests the vanity of earthly possession — "I shall be here when you are flown!"

The whole conception is dainty and poetic in form and color, and especially remarkable considering the young artist has had no instruction or training whatever, save such as could be afforded at a small private school at the little village of Wotton-under-Edge, in Gloucestershire, where she learned a few first principles of drawing and "elementary" brushwork.

Her father is a school attendance officer, and his income is just about sufficient to maintain the family in average comfort. Her mother can give no idea as to where and how her young daughter derived her instincts of form, grouping, or color. She began when a mere child of 10 to write fairy stories and illustrate them according to her own ideas of "fairyland"; and she had filled four or five ordinary copybooks with such efforts when her mother called upon me at

Stratford-on-Avon and brought several of these books, with the request that I would look at them and see if there was any talent in her work.

I found not only talent, but genius; the child was then 15, and the pictures she had drawn on the very unsatisfactory surface of cheap copybook paper displayed an imagination and skill far beyond her years. Faults there were, of course, and faults can still easily be found, but few can deny the opulence of imagination and grace of conception with which she is endowed.

At the present time she is writing an original and fantastic "fairy romance,"

illustrating it as she goes on, and I have arranged for its publication when completed.

Her gift is all the more remarkable in that she has never visited any of the great picture galleries, except the one in Bristol, and her knowledge of literature is limited to the circulating books and magazines of the village reading club. She has never drawn from the living model, and her grouping of figures is evolved entirely from her own imagination.

Her personality is agreeable; she is a small, bright creature with sparkling dark eyes and a vivacious manner, and

no "art" affectations. She has a happy disposition, though possibly she will never be quite so happy as she is now, far away from the world's clamor, in the quiet little Gloucestershire village, thirty miles from anywhere, possessing an Aladdin's palace of imagination, wherein as yet no sour pessimist or carping critic has entered to cast a discouraging shadow on the youthful brightness of her fairy fancies. She works without effort, in the sheer joy of the creative faculty, and though she has still much to learn, I believe I am not wrong in prophesying for her a brilliant and successful future.

French Prisoner's Thrilling Escape from Germany

AN exciting tale of escape from prison in Germany is told in Le Figaro by a Frenchman who has since joined the French Army, in which his father and three of his brothers are also serving.

He was imprisoned a year ago while on a trip through Germany and taken to Donaueschingen, a town on the upper part of the Rhine, about 15 miles from the Swiss frontier. While the Frenchman was revolving plans of escape he was suddenly transferred far to the north and placed in a big concentration camp in the Duchy of Brunswick, with about 10,000 other civilian prisoners. To get away from there was out of the question, but the tenacious prisoner never gave up hope, and last May managed to get permission to be sent back to Donaueschingen. He was allowed a fair degree of liberty, but being obliged to report twice a day to the military authorities escape was still a matter of great difficulty.

Finally, however, on a moonlight night last August he left his shoes, as was his custom, at the door of his bedroom, and having attached pieces of rub-

ber from pencils to another pair of shoes as a precaution against noise, he silently descended the stairway of his lodgings.

Armed with a map, a compass and an electric pocket light, he headed for the Swiss frontier, through forests and across streams. After a few miles his feet were sore and he found it almost impossible to move further. Then fog made him blunder into a village which he was aiming to avoid. A farmer's dog barked and hurled itself at the stranger. "I silenced him with my knife," remarks the Frenchman.

Then he came to a river, with no bridge in sight, and there was nothing to do but swim. "When I got to the other side," says the doughty ex-prisoner, "there was no part of me dry but my hair." But on he pressed, sore and dripping, until he reached a railroad and saw, close at hand, a customs post. The real dangers were beginning.

There were still five miles between him and Switzerland, his haven of safety. He crawled across the railroad tracks with the greatest precaution and without arousing the near-by customs officials. Then came a strip of woods,

where thorns pierced his flesh and tore his clothes, and at last he arrived, dead beat, at a clearing and saw ahead of him the frontiers separating Germany and Switzerland.

It was guarded by three files of soldiers, posted along three high roads running parallel to each other. He got past the first line without giving the alarm, and also the second. But while creeping past the third he stumbled and fell. That roused the nearest sentinel.

"Halt!" he shouted.

Off ran the Frenchman, followed by a bullet and another. Both missed, but the canny fugitive gave a cry as if he had been hit and then scrambled into a hidalg place near the third high road.

Several soldiers ran up and couldn't find him, but he heard one say in a satisfied voice: "I hit him anyhow."

When the soldiers had gone a few yards away, the Frenchman, with a last supreme effort, ran as hard as he could to the frontier, crossed it, and then, catching sight of his pursuers, called out to them in German:

"Don't chase me any more. I'm in Switzerland!"

Expert Suggests a New Model Sunday Law

Powell Crichton, Attorney for the Sabbath Committee, Outlines a Plan Which He Thinks Will Solve Some of the Many Problems Presented

THE Sabbath law is losing by degrees, while the Day of Rest law is growing by leaps and bounds. This is the personal—not official—conclusion drawn from his experience by Powell Crichton of 14 Wall Street, attorney for the New York Sabbath Committee, whose recent protest prevented the Sunday performance by a company under David Bispham of the musical playlet, "Adelaide," which was at first scheduled for a theatre and later transferred to the Church of the Messiah.

The objection of the Sabbath Committee, which pointed out that dramatic performance anywhere on Sunday was a violation of the law, caused the abandonment of the plan, and brought down considerable criticism based on the fact that vaudeville theatres are open constantly on Sunday with little successful interference.

Mr. Crichton met this criticism by explaining that the present law in New York specifically prohibits certain acts, and that a vaudeville performance may be made up of numbers entirely outside the prohibition. He pointed out, too, the difficulty of getting convictions against vaudeville houses under a law which in many cases leaves the determination of the exact nature of the performance to the judgment of the Magistrate or the Assistant District Attorney in charge of the case.

"Very few people know what the Sabbath law really is," said Mr. Crichton, "while many have ideas of what it ought to be. The present New York law was made a good many years ago, and many parts of it are not in accord with present conditions. The enforcement of a penal provision cannot be optional with the administrative official, nor can we agree to the judiciary's legislating by interpretation. The modern man is accustomed to many comforts never dreamed of by our Puritan forefathers. What is a necessity of life today must be accepted by the logical thinker in the enactment of laws.

"The deterrent spirit that clings to the growth of the Day of Rest Law and constantly gains exceptions is the commercial mollusc; and it is against the commercial side that I have based my work in regard to Sunday theatrical performances.

"We prevented the performance of a play for charity on Sunday, and thus drew down on ourselves a great deal of criticism. But once allow the beginning of such things, and it would not be long before everywhere plays would be given seven days in the week with a thin pretence of charity masking the absorption of most of the profits by the managers.

"The practice of giving dress rehearsals of new plays on Sunday nights, if allowed, would result in practically moving Monday openings up one night and thus allowing the managers to use up on this night the passes given out for the premiere. Thus they would get one more night to sell all the seats in the house.

"A few years ago I was instrumental in prohibiting Olga Nethersole from giving an act from 'Sapho' at a New York theatre on Sunday night because the Sunday law prohibited the performance of a tragedy or comedy or any part thereof. The Legislature had prohibited this because the actors did not want to work on Sunday. The theatrical manager desired to make more money and ordered Miss Nethersole to appear on Sunday. The actual result was that she did appear and recited two poems, omit-

ting the first act from 'Sapho,' and doing instead something that was not malum prohibitum.

"I hope to get such changes in the Sunday law that the actors will no longer have to rehearse on Sunday."

"All this, of course, is looking at the matter from the point of view of justice to the workman rather than from the religious attitude. In earlier days the influence of the church was supreme; the main purpose of Sunday laws was apparently to force people into church and hold them there till the service was over.

"I have drafted a model Sunday law,

needs real punishment for not stepping forward and stopping a violation at its inception, rather than to allow him to add to his record of arrests and convictions. It would seem better to warn an overzealous merchant to lock his door rather than for an officer to sneak in on him in plain clothes and surprise him in the making of a forbidden sale, even to the officer.

"And if it is thought that this attitude indicates a lack of success in getting convictions for violation of the Sunday law, as it stands at present, I would say that during my first year as attorney



Powell Crichton. (Photo by White, New York.)

which I presented to the International Lord's Day Congress of the World at Oakland, California, on July 30, last. Now I want it understood that this suggested law is not in any way an official suggestion of the New York Sabbath Committee, and does not necessarily represent the opinions of any member of that committee. Indeed, at the Oakland conference there were many who disagreed with my specific suggestions, particularly in regard to the permission of Sunday baseball and to my general attitude, which was to consider in every case the possible enforcement. This law embodies ideas based on the experience of an attorney who has been engaged for three years in the enforcement of Sunday laws in New York. I merely ask any one who may disagree with me to attempt the enforcement of such a law.

"The general principles which I should observe are four in number:

"1. There must be a day of rest for the workman.

"2. This day of rest should not contain exceptions for the commercial slaves of the almighty dollar.

"3. Reasonable exceptions should be made for modern necessities and conveniences that add to the comfort of life.

"4. A Sunday law should contain no unenforceable provisions.

"I have become convinced that legislation and the enforcement thereof may be prohibitive rather than punitive, and that the officer of the law very often

for the Sabbath Committee, twice as many people were convicted for violating Sunday laws as in any year before. As a Christmas reward, one of my best friends addressed a letter to me as 'Attorney for the Society for the Prevention of Good Times.'

The law, as suggested by Mr. Crichton, follows:

Section 1. The first day of the week being by general consent set apart for rest and religious uses, the law prohibits the doing on that day of certain acts hereinafter specified, which are serious interruptions of the repose and religious liberty of the community.

Section 2. A violation of any prohibition of this chapter is Sabbath breaking.

Section 3. Punishment for Sabbath Breaking.—Sabbath breaking is a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not less than \$10 and not more than \$50; but for a second or other offense, where the party shall have been previously convicted it shall be punishable by a fine not less than \$25 and not more than \$50 or by imprisonment in a county jail not exceeding five days, or by both fine and imprisonment.

Section 4. Labor Prohibited on Sunday.—All labor on Sunday is prohibited except that which is incidental to any business heretofore excepted, or not prohibited, and excepting labor in works of necessity or charity, which the public comfort, good order or health of a community demand and need the continuation thereof; but every person employed in any excepted business is prohibited from working on Sunday unless an affidavit is in the possession of the employer specifying the day in each week that the employee refrains from labor.

Section 5. Persons Observing Another Day as a Sabbath.—It is a sufficient defense to a prosecution for labor on the first day of the week, that the defendant uniformly keeps another day of the week as holy time, and

does not labor on that day, and that the labor complained of was done in such manner as not to interrupt or disturb other persons in observing the first day of the week as holy time.

Section 6. Public Sports on Sunday.—All public sports, exercises or shows, whether indoors or out-of-doors, upon Sunday, are prohibited.

Section 7. Business.—All business, professions, arts, crafts, sciences, trades, manufactures and agricultural or mechanical employments upon Sunday are prohibited, except—

1. Works of public utility, necessity and charity needful to the good order, health or comfort of a community.

2. Works that by their technical peculiarities require continuous operation.

3. Work to save property in and of any business in cases of emergency, or where such property is in imminent danger of destruction or serious injury.

4. The following:

(a) Barbering before 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

(b) Polishing and blacking shoes before 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

(c) Taking of photographs between the hours of 3 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, but not the developing and printing thereof.

Except in cases of emergency it shall not be lawful for any person to require any employee to work on Sunday unless such employee is allowed during the next six days of such week twenty-four consecutive hours without labor in or about the business of his employer.

Section 8. Public Traffic on Sunday.—All manner of public selling or offering for sale or purchase, any goods, chattels, or other personal property or any real estate, upon Sunday is prohibited, except as follows:

1. Articles of food may be sold, served, supplied, and delivered at any time before 10 o'clock in the morning;

2. Meals may be sold to be eaten on the premises where sold at any time of the day;

3. Caterers may serve meals to their patrons at any time of the day;

4. Prepared tobacco, milk, eggs, ice, soda-water, fruit, flowers, confectionery, newspapers, gasoline, oil, tins, drugs, medicines, and surgical instruments may be sold in places other than a room where spirituous or malt liquors or wines are kept or offered for sale and may be delivered at any time of the day;

5. Delicatessen dealers may sell, supply, serve, and deliver cooked and prepared foods between the hours of 4 o'clock in the afternoon and 7:30 o'clock in the evening, in addition to the time provided for in subdivision 1 hereof.

The provisions of this section, however, shall not be construed to allow or permit the public sale or exposing for sale or delivery of uncooked flesh foods or meats, fresh or salt, at any hour or time of the day. Delicatessen dealers shall not be considered as caterers within subdivision 3 hereof.

Section 9. Serving Process.—All service of any civil process on Sunday is prohibited and shall be void, except where such service is specially authorized by statute, and to the same effect Saturday shall be construed as Sunday in favor of any person who keeps that day as holy time and does not labor on that day.

Section 10. Processions and Parades.—All processions and parades on Sunday are prohibited, except processions to and from any church or a place where memorial services are held, or any cemetery.

Section 11. Noise.—All disturbing noises, within sight or hearing of any place of religious worship, or affecting the quiet and peace of any owner or tenant of land, are prohibited on Sunday.

For the purpose of this act no band of music shall play within three blocks or closer than two hundred yards to any place of religious worship.

Crying aloud of newspapers shall be construed as disturbing noise.

Section 12. Public Amusements Other Than Sports, Exercises, or Shows.—Every performance or rehearsal of any amusement or entertainment in which any artist, acrobat, actor or other performer of the vaudeville, operatic or dramatic stage takes part is prohibited on Sunday, irrespective of whether an admission fee is charged, or whether an audience is present, or whether the performance or rehearsal is given on a stage, at a private home, out-of-doors or at any other place whatever.

For the purpose of this section any participant to any degree whatever shall be a principal in the misdemeanor.

This section shall not be construed to prohibit moving pictures, symphony, instrumental or band concerts, chamber concerts, lectures, addresses, or vocal singing in which the singer does not render any opera or musical comedy or any part thereof.

Section 13. Enforcement of the Sunday Law.—Any neglect or omission in the prohibition or prevention of the continuation of any violation of any section of this Sunday law Statute on the part of any officer of the law whose post or duty includes the place of the alleged violation is prohibited, and any two residents of the State may make complaint therefor before any justice of the peace or judge of the peace, who must on the same day summons the officer complained against to appear before him for a hearing within the next three succeeding days.

A Modern Painter with a Strong Sense of Style

Anne Goldthwaite's Vigorous Art Seen in a Variety of Forms and Recalling Diverse Influences Without Displaying Imitative Tendencies

THE work of Anne Goldthwaite would inspire a French critic to enthusiasm. It has those qualities in which the French delight, moderation and discretion, personal feeling held in close obedience to the law. The exhibition of her paintings and drawings, selected examples from the product of sixteen industrious years, at the Berlin Photographic Company's Galleries, reveals a substantial and sincere talent which has developed normally under influences as various as those of Walter Shirlaw and Paul Cézanne, assimilating thoroughly the impressions acquired and strengthening from year to year.

Perhaps Miss Goldthwaite shows her originality most in her color, yet it is color that seems always to have been familiar. Extremely grave, the simplest greens and browns of the old earth's wardrobe, she manages in it to convey a sense of immutability, that would have recommended her to the old man who wanted to make of Impressionism an affair for the museums. Occasionally her forms show too much of this immovable quality, but as she advances in skill of handling she permits her brush to afford the imagination a gateway of escape. She ceases to crowd her pigment up to her outline; she leaves spacious cracks and crevices through which you slip to a world beyond the party bounds of pigment; she becomes a sifter in line and less anxious in the patting of her planes.

The portrait she recently has painted of herself very fairly renders her competent present style. An artist in his self-portraits is apt to be both bound and free. As the model, he feels a constraint which he would not feel before another artist. He is eager to pose properly for himself and takes the task most seriously. As an artist, however, he is independent and unconcerned as to what his model may think of him; he works vigorously, with the happy sense that his model is completely at his disposal and under his control, with time unlimited and no regulation of rests and respites imposed. The result usually reflects these cross-currents of feeling, and Miss Goldthwaite's portrait is no exception to the rule. Her feeling for style is so strong that she has imparted a certain impressive nobility to a head that she has approached obviously in the spirit of impleasurable realism. She has placed it rather awkwardly on the canvas, but she has worked even its awkwardness into a large and solemn design. The division of the masses is boldly schemed, and a Japanese printmaker would take pleasure in the harsh, clangorous blacks. In spite of the general effect of solidity, she has kept her brush flexible and has avoided a too heavy loading of the canvas. The portraiture is not, in the old sense of the word, "truthful," but the painting is alive with truth.

Quite at the opposite point of a rather wide range is the head of a pretty child in a green hat with cherry trimmings and a cherry-red mouth, a charming picture, the eyes softly adream and the spirit of youth in the face, but the spontaneity and vivacity of the style fall wholly to conceal the excessive interest taken in

ART AT HOME AND ABROAD



Portrait of Francis Knapitsch, by Anne Goldthwaite. (On Exhibition at the Berlin Photographic Company's Galleries.)

the picturesque qualities of the model. The observer finds it easy to translate the head into another idiom, into another rhythm, to make of it a bit of rhymed singsong as less distinguished painters in an older-fashioned style would have made it. The character is not clothed in the one vestiture suitable to it; it is shoved casually into a little ready-made garment that becomes its youth and loveliness, as almost anything would.

Quite otherwise are the heads of "The Vicar" and "Monsignor Benson." Here the research into character is so earnest that the manner of rendering it becomes unnoticeable. A great variety of textures and planes are carefully handled, yet the result is simple and gives the impression of a sure and keen vision grasping instantly the essentials of an effect and holding them until they can be adequately translated. The head of Mr. Benson in particular, with eyes blue and shrewd, the bony structure of the cranium compact and apparent through its coverings, the skin slightly yellowed, and the background a daring, vivid yellow, sends the mind roaming from Lembach to Van Gogh. The hateful habit of reference is difficult to avoid in the presence of Miss Goldthwaite's work, personal though it is. Reminiscences of other painters crowd the mind, painters who have found the same rest in seeking and have met the same problems in similar ways. These reminders, however, are not unworthy, nor do they imply imitation. They imply rather a community of aims such as one discovers and ignores in artists of lower intelligence, whose works look alike because an objective representation was the common ideal. As one moves toward subjectivity in art the product naturally becomes more diversified, yet even so there is a curious likeness obtaining among the greatest works of any period in painting as in literature. Miss Goldthwaite reaches toward the same star as the masters. That she comes less near to it than many of them is important only because the extent of her ambition makes her degree of achievement a matter of concern. These who are content to watch the artists of the world forever on their way without expecting any of them to arrive at that goal which exists only in the imagination get much pleasure from this striving temper that looks beyond gates and fences, above valleys and foothills, and, if there is enough strength, occasionally

climbs with such stalwart spirits as Cézanne past the level of vegetation to gaunt heights. One hardly expects from the painter of these portraits so much of stern adventure, yet now and then her work discloses characteristics that point toward it. One little head so rich in character as to become caricature for the multitude is thrust into the background of the exhibition because of its saliency.

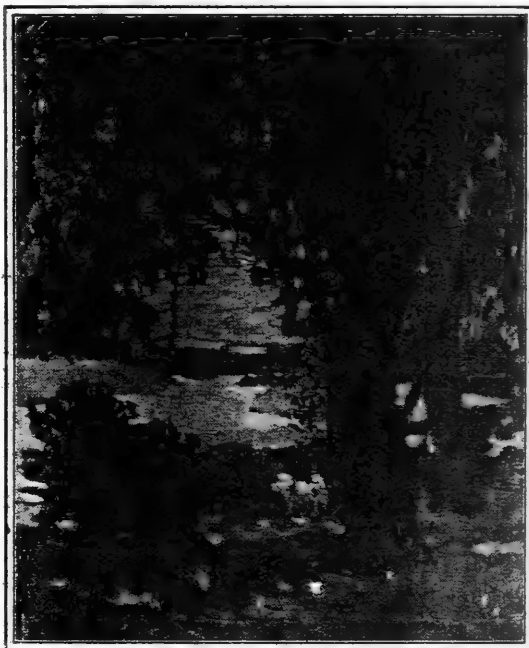
It is interesting to know the history of a painter at once so conservative and so aggressive, a painter so steeped in modernity and so respectful of classic ideals. Mr. Birnbaum, as usual, is ready with facts and adroit inspiring comment. Miss Goldthwaite, he says in the introduction to the catalogue, is a descendant of the old slave-owning cavaliers of Ala-

Illustrations New and Old—Portraits of Contemporary Dancers—The Modern School of Painters Represented by Artists of Ability and Skill

bama, who came to New York more than fifteen years ago and became a pupil of Walter Shirlaw. In 1907 she went abroad, and presently became one of the organizers of the Académie Moderne, together with other young artists whose minds were disturbed by the conflict of opinions raging then as always in the French capital, and who sought to work out their own convictions. Charles Guerin, President of the Painters' Section of the Autumn Salon, was asked to come at regular intervals and criticize their work. On these occasions he preached Cézanne's principles to the receptive little band. Each Summer the Académie Moderne would leave Paris and "repair to the Ile-aux-Moines, Cassis in the Midi, or to Fontenay-Aux-Roses, to work and strive without interruption. They held an exhibition each Spring, and practically all their work would later be shown as a group at the Autumn Salon, where they would be showing now had not the great war scattered them to the corners of the earth." Guerin went to the trenches and Miss Goldthwaite is in America.

The etchings and water-color drawings in the present exhibition are not less interesting than the oils. They have, indeed, a greater charm of spontaneity and vivacity. In using the slighter mediums the artist shows a certain gaiety and nonchalance of temper which contrasts agreeably with the graver and sometimes more anxious mood of the oils.

The water colors in particular show extraordinary variety and a certain sustained intensity of enjoyment, as though the painter had held her impression at the top notch of force and clearness until her record of it was complete before her. Although swiftly done, each of these sketches shows completeness and roundness of statement—there is nothing more to say than each of them says about the incident or character involved. And the temperature runs from Summer heat almost to the boiling point. Observe the old Alabama negress in her bright gown with her enormous bulk and the thermometer a hundred and one



"On the Banks of the Leing," by Anne Goldthwaite. (On Exhibition at the Berlin Photographic Company's Galleries.)

in the shade, and then the little cool house in a green shade. The parrot turning his head to preen a ruffled plumage is the one outside the dining-room at Ascaín, where the artist spent her Summers, and "The Bouquet" is the one presented to the guests at Ascaín—each notes are made currently in the casual atmosphere of a dinner hour, but how sincere they are, and beautiful and rich.

The etchings range from the careful version of a glass blower, of early date and not altogether certain in its anatomy, to the child seated, which would be interesting to compare with similar subjects by Miss Cassatt, and the series of dancers in which the sense of movement is conveyed unhesitatingly yet with a certain reticence.

The Work of the Illustrators.

The fifth special exhibition of the Society of Illustrators, now open at the galleries of the National Arts Club, shows a variety of moods, a variety of methods, and degrees of skill, but only a few things moving or compelling. The illustrators in the main are a modest group who seek less to draw attention to their work than to help the story out a little, add something to its vividness, emphasize a special character or scene, repeat in different accents what the author has said. This, at least, is true of the older illustrators. The newer men, and decidedly the newer women, are moving along quite opposite lines, making the illustration a thing by itself, almost completely divorced from the text, a fantasy, an improvisation forced into schematic relations of colors and shapes; arresting, impersonal, often witty, always vivacious. Such illustrations are offshoots from the type of poster and cover design which derives from Poiré and Bakst and Hoffmann and others who have modernized Oriental motifs.

Such a cover design as that by Edward A. Wilson, for example, gives a shrill, hilarious cry among the muffled murmurs of neighboring designs. One recalls the moment when Charles Dana Gibson was the last word in modernity and all our young people held their chins high and squared their shoulders under the inspiration of his admirable type, whereas they are only just now getting over the serpentine pose of the Bakst imitator. Here at the National Arts Club galleries are both times and both manners, together with the honest domesticity of Orson Lowell, with his kittens and kiddies and grandpas, and the social adroitness of Arthur T. Keller, the industrial interests of Thornton Oakley, the eighteenth century reminiscences of

E. Stetson Crawford, and the engaging individuality of Rose O'Neill.

There are several exhibitors whose work in illustration has been dedicated to the portraiture of places, atmospheres and climates. No one better than Ernest Peixotto has reproduced the dazzling brilliancy of a Southern sun. No one more confidently than Joseph Pennell has stated the atmospheric differences between Broadway and Trafalgar Square, or either of these and Italian Assisi. Walter Hale has noted precisely the compact picturesqueness of Antwerp seen from the Scheldt, with red sails flaunting themselves like flags along the peaceful foreground, and with a more pointed timeliness, the bombardment of St. Jean des Vignes, Soissons, of last July.

A vivid personal charm is combined with technical dexterity in the drawings of Maud Tousey Fangel, and Peter Newell's work for "Alice in Wonderland" is, of course, already classic. It is reserved for W. T. Benda, however, to make a strong emotion burn through an illustrative form. He has been considerate of the externalities of his theme in his "Slavonic March." The patches of snow, the driven sheep, the men bent before the wind, are there, but there also are moral and spiritual substances manifested in the gestures, the bearing, the expressive faces, and perhaps almost as much in the onrush of the abstract line which sweeps toward unseen issues.

Portraits of Dancers.

Troy Kinney has undertaken the production of a series of dry-points in which will be portrayed some of the more important contemporary dancers in characters with which they are identified. The first print issued shows Pavlova and Volinine, and the next is dedicated to the charming Genée, and is said to be the first portrait for which she has posed, barring photographs. Mr. Kinney has special knowledge of the decorative aspects of the dance from having devoted years of study to the subject. The series is issued by a committee consisting of Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, J. Thomson Willing, Johnston de Forest, Robert Hamilton Rucker, and Charles E. Merrill, Jr.

In the Pavlova print, Mr. Kinney has laid special stress on the delicacies of the dancer's gestures, the slenderness of her form, and the lightness of her poise, neglecting somewhat the suggestions of force and precision that are conveyed by her every movement on the stage. The dry-point of Mrs. Whitney in an Oriental dance is a finer piece of work, with more vigor of movement, and with a charm-



Sketch by Hubert-Denis Etcheverry. (One of the Collection of Paintings and Drawings Presented by the French Artists to the Americans Who Have Aided Them. The Collection Is Now on View in the National Museum at Washington.)

ingly plotted pattern in which bird, scarf, and buoyant figure play each their appropriate and well-considered part.

New Art at the Daniel Gallery.

The opening exhibition at the Daniel Gallery is the same in character as the exhibitions of last year, very modern, very generous to experimenters in untried method, and saved from wreck by the presence of a number of thoroughly good paintings by artists who would profit by any method to make known their point of view and say something worth saying. "The Bridge," by Samuel Nalpert, for example, in its sonorous notes of deep color, its clear light, its noble rhythms, would lend dignity to the most adventurous of shows. There is a certain dignity, too, in Man Ray's "Portrait" of a young girl with an Egyptian solidity of garment and a Van Dyck delicacy of hand and feature. One feels that the artist tried his best to be primitive, but broke down in the presence of the lovely little hands which he draws lovingly and daintily with knowledge brazenly displayed. Charles Demuth has sensations in Times Square and strives to describe them, but they baffle the diagnosis of an ordinary practitioner. There is something very special about Sensation No. 1, or perhaps it is No. 2. It is the one with the eye in profile, at any rate. If Henry James had not become an Englishman he could write a story about it to balance "The Turn of the Screw." Gus Mager spreads a gay rag rug under his fruit trees in blossom and makes a Spring picture that spells delight in the fresh young season. Lee Simonson has made a happy use of the big curves described by tulip stems the moment they are cut off from their natural support in the earth. In color and design his picture is vigorous and boldly conceived. Preston Dickinson has a painting in the innery gallery that seems to bear but slight relation to his superb drawing in the corridor.

In the corridor also is Eror Norfeldt's "In a Garden," not quite schematic, not quite naturalistic, yet avoiding the appearance of compromise and engagingly serious. Other works are by Zorach, a teasing approach to symbolic beauty in his "Mountain Path," a fanciful composition by Margaret Zorach, pleasant in color; two harsh and somewhat heavy-handed outdoor scenes, a coast and a landscape by Harry Berlin; a "Still Life" and a "Summer" by Alfred Munro, and a "Still Life" by Thomas H. Benton.

Velasquez and the Boston Museum.

In his notes on Spanish pictures in American collections for the current

number of Art in America, August L. Mayer speaks in no uncertain accents of the long and freely disputed Philip IV. in the Boston Museum. "It is a late copy," he says, "not even from the studio of the master, and not worthy to be exhibited in such a select collection." He adds concerning the portrait of the Infante D. Baltasar Carlos in the same museum that it is "not only a fine example of the art of Velasquez, but also of the greatest importance, as it gives to us—being surely painted in 1631—an excellent point for the study of the technique of the master immediately after his return from Italy." The portrait of the same Infante in London, he says, which is generally dated in the same year, "is apparently later than the Boston picture, at least half a year, so if Velasquez painted the young D. Baltasar, born 17th October, 1629, in the beginning of 1631, the London picture must have been worked on the end of 1631, or more probably in the beginning of 1632. Especially interesting in the Boston example are the ruddy half shadows in the flesh tints in reflected light. Otherwise the half shadows are somewhat greenish, as we see especially in the dwarf. Further, I wish to draw attention to Velasquez's treatment of the embroideries on the Infante's dress; always changing, none of the weary, monotonous regularity of Mazo's manner."

Of Ribera's art, the finest example, Dr. Mayer thinks, belongs to Mr. Archer Huntington, a "St. Paul" showing "all the merits of Ribera's art, careful in treatment, monumental, strong and dignified in composition, drawing, and expression." Mr. Borros of Larchmont possesses, it seems, the only authentic example of Herrera the Elder, the genre picture recently reproduced in THE TIMES, and a fine "Martyrdom of Saint Sebastian" in the same collection is said to be an important Andalusian work, if not by Ruelas, at least "a brilliant creation by his excellent pupil, Pablo Legota." Mrs. Emery's "The Young Saint Thomas of Villanueva Distributing His Cloth Among Little Beggar Boys" Dr. Mayer considers the most beautiful genre picture that Murillo ever painted and one of his finest creations.

The quotation from Kenyon Cox on Winslow Homer's water color technique which appeared in an article on Winslow Homer, last Sunday, and was credited to Kenyon Cox, came from Mr. Cox's book "Winslow Homer," 1914, published by Frederic Fairchild Sherman.



Dry Point Portrait of Mrs. W., by Troy Kinney. (Courtesy of Kennedy & Co.)

A Source of Innocent Merriment

Different Times.

"These times are too swift for me," declared grandma. "My granddaughter and her set wouldn't care for the old-fashioned Hallow-e'en games like ducking for apples." "How do they celebrate Hallow-e'en?" "They go in for cocktails and duck for the cherries."

Adamant.

Knicker—Do you live in a high-toned apartment house? Bocker—Very; it has a marble entrance and a marble janitor.

No Time to Lose.

Pat—Why do you wear an ear trumpet? Mike—Whist! to hear the whistle quicker.

So Careless!

A PEDDLER arrived one evening at a very small town, and went to the only hotel there. Every room had already been occupied, but the hotelkeeper offered him a room which he could share with a negro. The peddler agreed, and asked to be awakened early the next morning. Several jokers overheard the proceedings, and while the peddler slept blackened his face. The next morning, being in a hurry to catch a train he made straight for the station when he was awakened. While passing a mirror in the waiting room he stopped suddenly and exclaimed: "Hang it all! They've called the wrong guy!"

The Value of Deliberation.

ONE morning in a village in Scotland several of the villagers were having an amiable discussion on the matrimonial affairs of a couple who, though quite

recently wed, had already begun to find the yoke of matrimony something of a burden. "It's all along o' them hasty marriages," remarked a caustic old gentleman who had taken a prominent position in the discussion. "They did not understand each other.

They'd nobbut knowed each other for a matter of seven year." "Well, that seems long enough," said a visiting traveling man. "Long eno?" said the old gentleman. "Ye're wrong. When a body's courtin' he

A Winter Campaign.

Knicker—Can't you get rid of the cook? Bocker—Well, we are preparing for a drive against her.

Considerate.

"This is very confidential, Dorothy." "Yes, love, I shall be very careful to whom I tell it."

Useful.

Teacher—Johnny, can you tell me the function of the pores of our bodies? Johnny—They are things we use to catch cold with.

The Way of It.

A Zeppelin was shattered by an English scout. And now the poor Germans are a Zeppelin out. F. P. FITZER.



Disgusted Cop—Say! you're a peach of a driver. If you was crossin' the Alkali Desert you'd run into a hydrant.

Apropos of Motoring

ASSASSIN of many an afternoon, Why do you my happiness thus distort? Why don't you depart to the sun or moon? What place do you fill in the realm of sport? Oh, will not some power the gills give Of a prison all ringed with fences high, Where horrible folks like you can live And—(which is far more important)—die? Aramit forever, Satanic curse! Oh, why; oh, why must you still exist? (All those are the things I say—and worse— To that base of the road, the motorist.)

If I could but brew some magic beers, With wonderful, hidden virtues packed, To put you to sleep for a thousand years, I'd be right there with the brewing act! If I owned a gun whose fatal shot Would tumble you over—every one— Oh, take it from me that I would not Transfer the ownership of that gun!

Yes, thus I revile the auto man Whenever on foot I fare afar. And thus the accused pedestrian Whenever I ride in a motor car. THOMAS E. YBARRA.

came he too careful. Why, my courtship w' Jade lasted a matter o' nineteen year." "You were certainly careful," said the visitor. "And did you find your plan successful when you married?" "Ye jump to conclusions too hastily," he replied. "I understood her then, so I didna marry her!"

The Only Thing Left.

A BRITISH Army examiner had before him a stupid candidate. The man proving, apparently, unable to answer the most simple questions, the examiner finally grew impatient, and in a burst of sarcasm demanded: "Now, let it be supposed, Sir, that you were a Captain in command of infantry; that in your rear was an impassable abyss; that on both sides of you there rose perpendicular rocks of tremendous height; that in front of you lay the enemy, outnumbering you ten to one. What, Sir, in such an emergency would you do?" "Well, Sir," replied the applicant for military distinction, "I should resign, Sir."

Lines from a Jester's Notebook—By John Kendrick Bangs

BROKEN IDOLS.

(Not content with proving to us that Paul Revere never took his famous ride, and making myths of Washington and his Cherry Tree, of Pocahontas and Jefferson's White Horse, the iconoclasts have now removed Eve from her pedestal and credited Noah with the Fall of Eden.)

O DEAR, O dear! My heart is broke to find my heroes all a joke! Old Noah, the Perfect Patriarch, who built and sailed the ark across the waters wild and green all fearless of the submarine, was but the Simmer after all who brought about our human fall!

Revere, the famous riding Paul, it doth appear he rode at all to warn the folks at Lexington that British foes were on the run, and soon would come a-sweeping down on all as far as Concord-town, with sword and gun and battle-axe, to make 'em pay their income-tax!

T. Jefferson, my hero great, ne'er tied his white rag to a gate that day aforetime when he went to be sworn in as President, and all our glad and joyous glee about old Tom's simplicity in modern light doth sorely seem a drear and unpleasant dream!

And Pocahontas never took, as hath been written in a book, the head of J. Smith on her lap to save it from the fearful rap her savage father full of strife designed to end the Captain's life, and all that tale so wondrous sweet was based on Masher Smith's conceit!

And Washington—alas, alas—he never gave that tree a whack, or told his father looming high he really couldn't tell a lie! And countless other anecdotes employed by Orators and Potes are just a lot of foolish squibs to tickle patriotic ribs! It makes me weep, and fills my soul with clouds of overwhelming dole. If these dear stories of my youth are all untrue where then is truth? Did Jonah ever really ride in a Leviathan's inside? Had Ananias ne'er a fault? Was Mrs. Lot turned into salt?

Is there in truth no Bernard Pahaw? Did Samson wield no Ass's jaw? Did Turpin never ride the heath? Did Teddy never show his teeth? Is Mr. Hall Caine full of gloom, no man, but just a non-de-plume? O, valiant Heroes, pale and flat, where are ye at? Where are ye at?

AWFUL POSSIBILITY.

"They tell me Bryan's getting fat," said Dubbline. "Great snakes!" cried Bfinks. "Suppose he were to get a double chin!"

ANSWER TO A CORRESPONDENT.

YOU are perfectly right, Poetics, in saying that a good rhyme for "Ferdinand" is "bird in hand," but beyond that we are not interested. We doubt if in the end Ferdinand proves to be worth two in the bush, and, moreover, we wish to keep this page free of the slightest taint of bulgarity.

A SUGGESTION.

Since the Hyphen, as some wiseacre has discovered, is only a minus sign, nobody should object to its abolition and the substitution for it of other more attractive symbols. A good German-American citizen might then be known as a German-American, indicating a growth, rather than a subtraction. And

were he to become the father of a numerous progeny he might be indicated as a German-American, as a mark of honor. For those who prefer a fractional—not to say a fractions—allegation nothing better than the German fractional form of — could be devised. American We suggest the idea to individuals who find it profitable to continue unprofitable discussions.

UNCONSCIOUS HUMOR.

"Some people are humorous without even knowing it," said Bfinks. "As when, for instance?" queried Dubbline.



"Here's a man advertising a lecture on 'The Panama Canal,' illustrated with slides," said Bfinks.

A FRUITFUL SOURCE OF REVENUE.

"I see that a man has just been fined fifty dollars for impersonating an officer," said Barkaway. "Good!" said little Bfinks. "All this impersonation stuff ought to be penalized. If every man who makes an ass of himself in public were fined fifty dollars we'd have a lower tax rate."

THE OBSERVANT BEGGAR.

"Excuse me, Sir," said the panhandler, shutting up to Dubbline's side, "but you couldn't let me have fifteen dollars, could you?" "Fifteen dollars?" echoed Dubbline. "Great Scott, man—do you for one moment suppose I'd be fool enough to give you fifteen dollars?" "No, Chief—I didn't," said the panhandler, "but I sort o' hoped you'd regard it as a kind of personal assessment, and swear off fourteen alms, leavin' me with a dime to the good."

A SAD THOUGHT.

The Prohibitionist was weeping bitterly. "What's the matter, friend?" asked the sympathetic caller. "It bust-breaks my heart," he replied, "to think that if our beloved leader William Jennings Bryan goes abroad on his mission of peace at some time, at some point, he will beyond all peradventure be half-sane over!"

FOR AN ANTI-SUFFRAGE BANNER.

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JOHN HAY AND HIS CONTEMPORARIES

Vivid Sketches of Great Americans and Sidelights on Recent History in the Letters of the Statesman Who Started as Lincoln's Secretary and Biographer

THIS LIFE AND LETTERS OF JOHN HAY. By William Russell Thayer. Illustrated. Boston: Houghton Mifflin Company. Two volumes. \$5.

RICHARD WATSON GILDER once said that amid all his trials Lincoln had one compensation in the White House—John Hay. The truth of that remark impresses one anew in reading these delightful volumes, made up as they are so largely of Hay's own letters and journals, and sparkling at every turn with his wit and high spirits. Like Mr. Thayer's admirable life of Cavour, this life of John Hay will take its place without challenge among the foremost books of its class. It is not a formal biography, but a well edited collection of Hay's intimate letters and diary jottings, held together by a slender thread of "life." It is based on a memorial of similar nature published privately by Mrs. Hay shortly after her husband's death in 1905, but Mr. Thayer has drawn upon a much larger store of materials, both private and official, and has handled them throughout with taste and judgment of a high order. The desire for truth has led him to admit the public to some scenes of surprising intimacy.

John Hay playfully called himself a man without a State, for he had been born in Indiana, brought up in Illinois, educated in Rhode Island; had learned his law in Springfield, Ill., his politics in Washington, and his diplomacy in Europe; in short, he was "nothing but an American." Near the close of his life he wrote to his brother-in-law, Mr. Mather, that he had been blessed with more success and happiness on a smaller endowment of ability than any man in history; but no one who comes in contact with his flashing intellect in these letters will accept this modest estimate.

Fortune did favor him, however, and one of her earliest favors was the chance that sent him to study law in his Uncle Milton's office, next door to Lincoln's, and made him the assistant of Lincoln's private secretary. This at the age of 22 he had the rare experience of going to live in the White House for four years on intimate terms with a great President during the nation's greatest crisis.

Though he lived to be Ambassador to Great Britain and Secretary of State under both McKinley and Roosevelt, the brightest pages of his story are still those of the brimming days of youth spent with President Lincoln. Nicolay had charge of the heavy official correspondence, and Hay was general utility man, doing everything from writing informal letters and receiving callers to escorting Mrs. Lincoln or amusing the Lincoln boys on rainy days. He was too busy to keep such a diary as Gideon Welles did, but his journal, though fragmentary, is treasure trove, every bit of it.

So familiar was the companionship of Nicolay and Hay with the President that even they, the future authors of the greatest of the Lincoln biographies, were slow in realizing his greatness. They loved him, and in private dubbed him affectionately The Tycoon, but not till after the battle of Gettysburg did Hay write to Nicolay in this vein:

The Tycoon is in fine whack. I have rarely seen him more serene and busy. He is managing this war, the draft, foreign relations, and planning a reconstruction of the Union, all at once. I never knew with what a tyrannous authority he rules the Cabinet till now. The most important things he decides, and there is no cavil. I am growing more convinced that the good of the country absolutely demands that he should be kept where he is till this thing is over. There is no man in the country so wise, so gentle, and so firm.

The intimate talks with Lincoln recorded in Hay's diary are sometimes rather startling in their frankness, and one gets many glimpses of Lincoln in homely undress. As Mr. Thayer remarks, this pithy journal furnishes some of the most vivid flashlight pictures of the man in intimate moments or on historical occasions. Hay seems to have missed the deep significance of the Gettysburg address, but he had not missed the agony in Lincoln's voice when he came upon him unawares gazing down the Potomac for the ships that were to bring the first troops, and heard him exclaim to himself: "Why don't they come! Why don't they come!" Of Lincoln's unconventional ways these two extracts tell:

The President came in last night in his shirt and told me of the retirement of the enemy from his works at Spotsylvania, and our pursuit. I complimented him on the amount of underpinning he still has left, and he said he weighed 180 pounds. Important if true. (May 14, 1864.)

A little after midnight the President came into the office laughing, with a volume of Hood's works in his hand, to show Nicolay and me the little caricature, "An Unfortunate Bee-ing," seemingly utterly un-

conscious that he, with his short shirt hanging about his long legs, and setting out behind like the tall feathers of an enormous ostrich, was infinitely funnier than anything in the book he was laughing at. What a man it is! Occupied all day with matters of vast moment, deeply anxious about the fate of the greatest army of the world, with his own plans and future hanging on the events of the passing hour, he yet has such a wealth of simple bonhomie and good fellowship that he gets out of bed and perambulates the



John Hay.

house in his shirt to find us, that we may share with him the fun of poor Hood's queer little coedica. (April 30, 1864.)

We get another and more typical glimpse of Lincoln in the following diary entry:

I said to the President today that I thought Butler was the only man in the army in whom power would be dangerous. McClellan was too timid and vacillating to usurp; Grant was too sound and cool headed and unselfish; Banks also; Fremont would be dangerous if he had more ability and energy. "Yes," says the President; "he is like Jim Jett's brother. Jim used to say that his brother was the d—dest scoundrel that ever lived, but in the infinite mercy of Providence he was also the d—dest fool."

It is in John Hay's familiar letters that his fun bubbles forth most spontaneously. It often hits the foibles of his best friends, from Lincoln in the war days to Whitelaw Reid or Theodore Roosevelt in later times; but its bright darts are always without malice, and are as freely turned upon himself as upon others. His playful notes to Nicolay are frequently gems of light badinage. For instance:

I am getting along pretty well. I only work about twenty hours a day. I do all your work and half of my own, now you are away. Don't hurry yourself. * * * This town is as dismal now as a defaced tombstone. Everybody is gone. I am getting apathetic and write blackguardly articles for The Chronicle, from which W. extracts the dirt and fun and publishes the dreary remains.

A year later, under similar circumstances, he writes:

I went last night to a sacred concert of profane music at Ford's. Young Kretschmar and old Kretschmar were running it. Ha and H both sang; and they kin if anybody kin. The Tycoon and I occupied a private box, and both of us carried on a hefty flirtation with the M. girls in the flies. * * * I am alone in the White pent-house. The ghosts of twenty thousand drowned cats come in nights through the south windows. I shall shake my buttons off with ague before you get back.

And here is a note not wholly jocular:

My dear Nico: Don't, in a sudden spasm of good nature, send any more people with letters to me requesting favors from Stanton. I would rather make the tour of a smallpox hospital.

The larger part of the first volume is devoted to letters and journals of the White House epoch in Hay's life, and it is still the richest in interest, in spite of all that has been written about it. Once the young secretary was sent to Niagara to help Horace Greeley in his wild goose chase after peace commissioners, and again he was sent to Florida to get Unionist signatures to the oath of allegiance. A few weeks before Lincoln's assassination he ac-

cepted an appointment to the American legation at Paris, and thus began the diplomatic and political career that filled his later life.

From Paris he was transferred to Vienna, and thence to Madrid, where a memorable year bore fruit in his "Castilian Days." Wherever he went his early literary ambition haunted him, and to it we owe the many biographical sketches that enrich the present volumes. Whether it be Carl Schurz playing the piano in the White House, or Emilio Castelar making a marvelous oration at Madrid, Mr. Hay seems to capture the very soul of the man in a few vivid sentences. His remarkable portrait of Napoleon III. includes strokes such as this:

Eyes sleepily watchful—furtive—stealthy, rather ignominious, like servants looking out of dirty windows and saying, "Nobody home," and lying as they may.

On his return to New York in 1870 Colonel Hay dropped unexpectedly into journalism, joined The Tribune staff, and began writing the breezy letters to Whitelaw Reid that are scattered generously through the remainder of the present volumes. Once, when suffering after the manner of Job, he sent a note to the editor explaining that he could not walk, stand, or sit, but by special grace was still able to lie on his stomach, adding, "If you can think of a subject you would like to have treated from that point of view, send it over and I will worry it."

In 1873, at the age of 35, Hay fell in love with Miss Clara Stone of Cleveland and wrote jubilantly to Reid, advising him to get into the same predicament, and remarking that he would not have died before this happened to him for a great deal of coin. His marriage was happy, bringing him children, wealth, and troops of friends. He soon retired from newspaper work to devote himself to purely literary pursuits. Mr. Thayer gives us a pleasing chapter on this phase, not omitting "Little Breaches," whose fame bored the author to humorous tears, and "The Bread-Winners," whose authorship Hay never confessed.

Patiently he and Nicolay labored for fifteen years on their monumental life of Lincoln, receiving \$50,000 at last from The Century for the serial rights alone. This chapter includes many letters addressed to Mr. Gilder. But the correspondence of Hay and Nicolay themselves is most interesting in the light it throws upon their methods. One of Hay's letters, indeed, is so frank that the wisdom of its publication, even now, may be questioned. It reads in part as follows:

As to my tone toward Porter and McClellan—that is an important matter. I have toiled and labored through ten chapters over him (McC.), I think I have left the impression of his mutinous imbecility, and I have done it in a perfectly courteous manner. Only in "Harrison's Landing" have I used a single injurious adjective. It is of the utmost moment that we should seem fair to him, while we are destroying him. The Porter business is a part of this. Porter was the most magnificent soldier in the Army of the Potomac, ruined by his devotion to McClellan. We have this to consider. We are all along in condemning him. * * * We believe him guilty; but I don't think we need go further than say so dispassionately. A single word of invective, I think, would be injurious to us, rather than to him.

Gilder was evidently horrified at your saying that Lee ought to be shot: a simple truth of law and equity. I find, after a careful reading of a dozen biographies and all his reports, that Stonewall Jackson was a howling crank; but it would be the greatest folly for me to say so. I am afraid I have come too near saying so in what I have written about him. * * * We will not fall in with the present tons of blubbery sentiment of course. But we ought to write the history of those times like two everlasting angels who know everything, judge everything, tell the truth about everything, and don't care a twang of their harps about one side or the other. There will be one exception. We are Lincoln men all through.

In later life Henry Adams was Hay's closest friend and the many intimate letters to him are a valuable part of this collection. There are several charming letters to Mr. Howells. A lively correspondence with Colonel Roosevelt shows the most cordial relations between him and his Secretary of State. Though Secretary Hay took no part in the "dynamic solution" of the Panama impasse, Mr. Thayer scotches the rumor that he felt any regrets for the action of the Administration. No hint of the kind has been found among his papers. The biographer notes, however, that the German menace during the Spanish war gave Hay many anxious hours.

It is impossible to do justice to the State-Secretarial period in the space here available, but those chapters are by no means lacking in interest. Seldom does one find two large volumes so uniformly readable. Both as literature and as history the book contains the promise of long life.

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THE FORTUNES OF GARIN. By Mary Johnston. With frontispiece. Houghton Mifflin Company. \$1.40 net.

SEVERAL years have passed since the days when for a brief period the historical novel reigned supreme, temporarily relegating to the background nearly every other form of fiction. On the heels of the half dozen, notable exponents of this special type of story came a swarm of more or less—usually less—worthy followers, who presently succeeded in so wearying the public with their innumerable heroes whose habit it was to perform at least a score of marvelous feats of deeds each day before breakfast, that the entire section went out of fashion. Now, however, there are signs which seem to indicate that the tale of bygone days is again to take a place in the ranks of popular varieties of fiction, not as ruler of them all, but as their peer. And surely it is to be represented by many books as good as this new one of Miss Johnston's, its characters should be warmly welcomed.

For "The Fortunes of Garin," as an interesting, exceptionally wrought-out drama of a very fascinating period in the world's history, and its characters are not perfect, but real human beings. In place of the superlatively beautiful and entirely senseless and who played the part of heroes in so many of these, impossible romances which brought the historical tale into transient disrepute, we have the brave and noble lady, Audart of Roche-de-Frêne, whom men called Garin a while, and with but one breath, "the only princess." This at the time the story begins, when she was a girl of 18; but it covers a period of about nine years, and before the last of these is reached, before the thrilling siege of Roche-de-Frêne and its mighty garrison, she has become a woman, and people forget that earlier title and name her along with all sincerity Audart the Wise, True, Garin of Castel-Noir, who became Garin de l'île d'Or, is more nearly akin to the conventional hero of romance than is Audart to his conventional heroine; nevertheless, the points of difference between the two are many and great. Garin is brave, a gallant knight and noted troubadour, but he is by no means unbecomingly of the people; he takes his full share in the fighting at the siege of Roche-de-Frêne, well and courageously, but so do many others; he is famous, but he is far from being an unrivaled troubadour. To put it briefly, he is a credible human being.

The period chosen by the author for her story is the last quarter of the twelfth century, and most of the events occur in and about the town and castle of Roche-de-Frêne, in Southern France. Although Garin takes the cross and battles for some years in company with those who strove to save Baldwin of Jerusalem, we do not journey with him, and the time of his crusading is passed over in silence. The novel falls, indeed, into two parts. The first is that in which the poor esquire Garin, for the sake of a herd-girl, a mere scold, wins the enmity of Count Jaurès de Montmaure, is obliged to flee in disguise from his crippled brother's obscure fief of Castel-Noir, and sees the veiled lady who named the "Fair Goal," whose praise he sings, and whose servant he was himself; the second relates what befell him, some eight years later, he returned from Palestine a knight and troubadour, still faithful to the lady of whose name and face and country he was ignorant, knowing only that she was of high degree. And if such devotion to an ideal, unknown love seems strange and unbecomingly modern to readers, let it be remembered that Garin lived in the days of that far famed Rudel, whose love for the Lady of Tripoli has been immortalized in play and poem.

It was a time full of contrasts, full of rich and glowing color, and much of it is admirably reflected in these pages. We see the grim, low tower of the poor knight, the splendid grounds of the rich abbot, the magnificent castle-hall of the great lord. We are at a banquet, we are in a garden, we are when the embassy of one puissant prince is received at the court of another. And quite as picturesque as these, and even more interesting, is the glimpse we are vouchsafed of the first stirrings of the crusades, the persecution in the towns, when the burghers of Roche-de-Frêne, on benched knees and through the mouth of their spokesman, Thibaut van-leu, beseech their liege lord, Prince Guiscard the Vengeful, to send them the right to choose their own magistrates and judges. Then, sadly familiar to us of the present day, come visions of the wasted lands and harried fields, the agony and desolation which befell when the count of Montmaure, failing in his attempt to become master of Roche-de-Frêne by threat and strategy, declared war against its lord and lady.

The story is vivid, interesting, and well written, although one cannot but believe that the interview between Audart and Richard Coeur-de-Lion, which is its real climax, might have been more effective had it been rendered in a dramatic instead of in a descriptive form. There are tense moments in the book, and plenty of incident, yet not so much as to render the novel one of plot merely. For spirited and entertaining as is its action, its greater merits are its brilliant, changeful background and the

courageous, compelling yet lovable figure of its heroine, the resourceful, daring Princess Audart. It is Garin who gives his name to the book, but it is Audart who dominates it all, whether seated beside her father on the dais in the great hall, she listens to the appeal of the townsmen, or riding on her war horse at the head of her troops she battles bravely for Roche-de-Frêne, or venturing life and fortune upon one supreme attempt she, sews the air from above, her mantle and goes forth to ask justice of the Lord of Aquitaine, Richard Coeur-de-Lion. A great lady she is, in spirit as in title, and there will be few who feel that the time spent in reading her history is time passed other than profitably and well.

SECRET HISTORY

SECRET HISTORY. Revealed by Lady Peggy O'Malley. By C. N. and A. M. Williamson. Frontispiece. In color by Clarence Rowe. New York: Doubleday, Page & Co. \$2.35.

THE Williamsons have put to good use the visit they made to this country and down across the Mexican border two years or more ago when the United States troops were doing watchful waiting in that quarter and the menace of war was in the air. For a goodly portion of the action takes place in and about El Paso and the "secret history" which furnishes the theme and the title refers to certain military events of consequence between the two nations and of very great consequence to some of the leading characters. Other scenes are staged in Arizona, at "Fort Alvarado," supposed to be near the Grand Canyon. The story begins and ends in London, and as no English novel written within the last year can avoid the war, the action carries some of its characters into Belgium during the late summer of last year and gives them some thrilling experiences.

Lady Peggy O'Malley, who tells the whole story in her own witty Irish way, is the younger daughter of a poverty-stricken Irish nobleman who has brought her and her sister, a famous beauty, to London for a few weeks in the hope that Lady Diana, in the better field thus afforded, will at last have good hunting. Lady Peggy there meets in a most unconventional way Captain Eastleton March of the United States Army

and a famous aviator, who falls very much in love with her lovely sister while great good friendship develops between him and Lady Peggy. His suit with Lady Diana progresses well through various happenings until another army man of higher rank and greater wealth appears on the scene at Fort Alvarado. At El Paso exciting events move swiftly until the climax comes with the roar of guns on a still night and the effort of the army people to conceal just what had happened. But Lady Peggy finds out all about it, and presently her "Eastie," whom she loves desperately and cannot bear to see being treated shabbily by her sister, is suffering disgrace for something of which she is sure he is not guilty. Later on he flies into the story again, in the service of the Allies, doing wonderful things with a monoplane above Lige and putting a big German Zeppelin out of commission.

It wouldn't be a Williamson story if it didn't end with everybody happy, with the girl and rose of its romance as shining and as this as romance can possibly be, even in fiction. Moreover, it is one of the best and most readable stories its authors have written in a long time. Its complications, all handled skillfully, are sufficient to keep the reader's interest keen as to how a number of things are coming out, and Lady Peggy, although she is so much in love, holds high her Irish spirit through everything. With her telling the tale and always keeping in character there is no dropping into that overwrought and somewhat gushing style with which the Williamsons sometimes come near to spoiling an otherwise good story. Lady Peggy has wit and spirit, and, also, on occasion, plenty of temper, and she is good fun from first to last.

NOBODY

NOBODY. By Louis Joseph Vance. Illustrated by W. L. Jacobs. New York: George H. Dutton Company. \$1.50.

IN all the long list of American novelists there is none who can be more certainly depended on than Mr. Vance to tell a story that by the sheer interest of its complicated plot, its whirlwind action, and its breathless and amazing adventures can enthrall for an hour or so almost any kind of a novel reader. For prolific invention, imagination whose audacity takes one's breath away, craft in the construction and management of intricate plots, and the ability to make the wildest and most impossible adventures seem plausible, Mr. Vance stands among the foremost writers of this kind of fiction in either America or England. Most of them, however, are American, for English novelists seldom have the constructive talent for this kind of writing, and they rarely do it well.

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FINLAND AND THE FINNS. By Arthur Reade. Lecturer in English at the University of Liverpool. With four illustrations in color, eight monotone illustrations, and a map. New York: Dodd, Mead & Co. \$2.

NOT tragically as does Poland, but with much the same keen speculative interest, Finland lays irresistible claim on our attention in these war days. The fate of Finland when the war ends forms one of the most absorbing of the "settlement" questions asked, now and then, by nearly every one of us. And our knowledge of Finland is so very slight! We could answer questions about its future, most of us, with quite the same sureness and accuracy as we could meet inquiries about its present or its past. Two things we do know—Finland has woman suffrage, and Finland has been oppressed by Russia. But even on these outstanding points most people are lamentably vague. We cannot help being interested in Finland. But we are quite pressingly ignorant.

There is, therefore, a notable timeliness in the publication of so excellent a mine of information as Arthur Reade's "Finland and the Finns." It must be pointed out that the volume contains no record of the present war. Its preface is dated "July, 1914," and although the book has just been published, it was presumably written just before the outbreak of the war in Europe. But it does not lose thereby; we make bold to say that it gains instead. It is no jerry-built structure of wartime facts, and it makes no opportunistic appeal to wartime interest.

Evidently written without hurry, by a British scholar resident in the Finnish capital, it brings its history and description up to the furthest point to which, in this day of uncertainties, history and description can well go—July, 1914. "Finland and the Finns" is a sane and interesting presentation of information which has an uncommon timeliness; it is all the better reading, more valuable and more original, in that it is innocent of forecast, sentimentality, passion, or narrative of the great war. It is a better war-book because it was evidently written in time of peace.

One's first thought about Finland is apt to be a recognition of the sheer anachronism of its civilization and its place in the world. For more than a hundred years Finland has been a part of the Russian Empire, a Grand Duchy whose Grand Duke is the Czar; for the past sixteen years the "Russification" of Finland has proceeded relentlessly. Yet during this century of Russian control, and especially during the years of growing Russian oppression, Finland has taken her place as one of the most progressive nations of Europe in a definite march toward socialization.

In the government of this part of the Russian Empire every man and woman has a voice, and this wide-sweeping democracy of the franchise has spoken for all the world to hear in the adoption of proportional representation in voting, in the passage of laws regulating the status and the support of illegitimate children, in the definite alignment of the Finnish nation on the side of the extension of constitutional and governmental reform. And yet, we are told that in this first country in Europe to adopt woman suffrage, the old custom still holds whereby men and women constitute almost completely separate groups in social ex-

clusions! The sexes meet at the polls and in the universities and sit together in Parliament; they keep to their separate sides of the drawing room. This is one of Finland's contradictions. And of contradictions the country's life is full. Throughout Mr. Reade's absorbingly interesting book, the reader is constantly finding the past and the future meeting, in custom and in law.

Finland passed from the possession of Sweden to that of Russia after the war of 1808-1809. The Finns had received Christianity and West European culture from Sweden, and the two races had largely intermarried. Swedish was the necessary one of the two languages, necessary for education and for official or social position, and for a long time the nationalist movement which practically began in the year of the cession to Russia was concerned with the establishment of Finnish as an "equal language" with the language of the Swedes. In 1809 Alexander I. received the Constitution which Finland had held under Sweden, and until comparatively recent times it was more rigorously observed than it had been under the last Swedish Kings. And Finland, freed from the devastation of age-long wars to which she had to so great an extent supplied the battleground, began to develop as a nation.

Mr. Reade sketches, very readably indeed, the growth of the country, its literature, its long struggle over language, its controversies in education and politics over the rivalry between Finns and Swedes. During those years Russia was a background scarcely sensed, and very far away. It is only recently that the foe of Finnish nationality has been the Russians without and not the Swedes within, and that the two parties in Finland have begun to unite against a common peril. But meanwhile Finland had won the right to its language and its literature.

Now, the writer points out, "there are a growing number of clear-sighted persons of every party who realize that the time for hatred and dissension is over, and that an era

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of regeneration and co-operative endeavor is overdue; that to persist in carrying on internal quarrels at a time when the very existence of the country is threatened by Russia would be dangerous in the extreme." For the Finns are West Europeans. Russia's first period of denationalization in Finland began dramatically in 1809, when the present Czar decreed that the Constitution of the Grand Duchy was no longer to be observed "where Imperial interests were concerned." It ended with a very different sort of dramatic quality with the assassination of the Russian Governor General in 1904. The second period of Russification began shortly after the Russian revolution of 1905, and was still in progress at the outbreak of war. But Finland and the Russian Constitutionalists had already begun to recognize the fact that they were natural allies, and to make beginnings of co-operation. All this is exceedingly interesting in the light of war events.

A large part of Mr. Reade's book is taken up with descriptions of the cities and the countryside of Finland—of modern, bustling Helsinki, and of the old world farms, of the Summer beauties of the country and of its gay Winter sports. There are fascinating recollections, too, of quaint customs still quite vividly alive in this very modern land—customs that are like tales of centuries ago. The book contains interesting chapters on industrial Finland, on the country's system of education, on Finnish literature, music,

and art. There is, of course, one long chapter on suffrage and the "rights of women," where the author quotes political and national leaders in acknowledging the success of the entrance of women into the field of democratic government, and there is another chapter which tells some of the workings-out of the labor movement in Finland. Altogether, the book is strikingly interesting, informative, and valuable.

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ONE of the most touching and inspiring books that the war has produced is this diary of a French priest recording his experiences in the American Ambulance at Neuilly during the first months of the conflict. The original is entitled "La Guerre Vue d'une Ambulance." The English translation has already run through two editions, a deserved tribute to the power of its tender pictures of heroism and grief.

Abbe Felix Klein is known and loved by many Americans, for he has visited this country more than once, and has written several books about American life and institutions. At the outbreak of the war he threw aside all other work and gave himself up completely to the service of the wounded and dying. In the hospital at Neuilly he moved in a noble atmosphere of heroism, and it is this above all that his diary conveys to the reader, with the added fragrance of his tender and deeply religious personality.

Among the hardest things that the good Abbe had to do was to break the news of death to bereaved countries and wives. In no other book have we been brought so close to the pathos of the women's part in this war. One can open his eyes almost at random and come upon scenes such as this:

The poor woman, who is wandering up and down with outstretched arms, rushes toward me and declares that it can't be; it isn't possible that her son is dead—a boy like that, so healthy, so handsome, so amiable; she wants me to reassure her, to say that I agree with her. My silence and the tears that come into my eyes only increase her lamentations, and nothing can calm her.

But what will become of us? He was all we had. . . . Nothing can appease her, neither my words of Christian hope nor anything the father endeavors to say. . . . On my return I hear that they saw the son such as death had made him, and that, hearing the cries of the mother, three other women, already upset by visiting their own wounded, and by the sight of the funeral, had fallen down in a faint. That is what one sees of the war in a hospital!

At another time it is a wife, whose husband has died in the night, and who calls to ask the chaplain whether he is better. She receives the news without tears or words, yet her dumb anguish is harder to look upon than the other kind. In the mortuary, at sight of what is left of her beloved, the wife, still silent, falls down in a faint. There are many deaths from gangrene and some from tetanus, and the wives and mothers must be forbidden even to kiss the cold lips. Again, a soldier is brought in with three bad wounds and pneumonia. His sister appeals to the chaplain:

"He's not in danger?" she implores. Why should I deceive her? She must know how now presently, and if she is unprepared it will be worse for her. I keep silence, but it is enough. She begins to cry. I point to the other patients and take her out into the courtyard. Appeals to her faith at length make her a little calmer. She wants to see her brother again. . . . Yes, but on condition that she shall be brave. . . . At 4:30, as the end does not seem imminent, I go to the chapel and, forestalling the usual hour, say the mass for the dying for him. I have rarely said a more touching one. . . . Afterward I took her back calmed and strengthened, to the bed of the dying man, and then I was obliged to go to rest a little sleep. When I came back two hours later the bed was empty.

The calm courage of the wounded is noted repeatedly by the author with admiration, and he cites many instances of it. Among the privates he found many bearded fathers whom he could sympathize with like children; but if he spoke to an officer of his wounds the latter would abruptly change the subject. Under moderate pain an officer was always calm, and if the pain became too piercing to bear in silence, he made jokes. In all his months among these men Abbe Klein says he has not seen one that was not admirable. He continues:

I live in an atmosphere of heroism and faith. What noble examples, and so simply given! There is my patient from Finistère, perpetually teased about being between life and death, always calm and submissive to the will of God whatever it be; and his mother, who comes every morning, shares in this fine submission. There is the young wife, crushed but calm, of a soldier twenty-six years old, who died the day before yesterday. A fire of hope shone through her tears while she listened to my account of his Christian ending.

There is, amongst those who live, one blind man now told of his fate and by degrees resigning himself to it, helped to submit by an ingeniously sublime comfort. But what am I saying? Heroism shines forth everywhere; never can humanity have displayed so much.

There are also many stirring tales of battle told to the author by wounded men. One relates the remarkable escape of a soldier who was hit in the leg by a shell, and who lay a whole afternoon amid burning shells that tore the bodies around him to pieces. His comrades, before leaving him, had covered his head with his knapsack and thrown three trusses of hay on top of him. Another tells of a faithful dog that helped a man back to life after a great shell had mangled him and buried him up to the neck in a shattered trench. Still another is the modest narrative of a mortally wounded mechanic who went out in his automobile with only a single companion one night and stopped two German machine guns that were trying to flank the French position. Again there are swift glimpses of the horrors of war:

But the things we have seen! I saw an officer—his brain was shattered by his eye. And the black corpses and the bloated horses! It's the night that's the saddest, you hear cries "Help, help!" Some of them are calling for their mothers. No one answers.

But in its total effect Abbe Klein's book is inspiring rather than harrowing. By its emotional quality and its graphic simplicity it brings the war very close to the reader.

SEARCHLIGHTS

SEARCHLIGHTS: A Play in Three Acts. By Horace Amory Vachell. New York: George H. Doran Company, \$1.

MR. VACHELL, author of "The Hill" and many other good novels, seems to be turning his attention increasingly to the drama. Two of his plays are to be presented in America this Fall, and in "Searchlights" he offers a third in book form. "Searchlights" is a drama of English home life of the present day, with the great war as one of the forces that determine the action.

In its printed form, at least, the character drawing in this play seems superior to the dramatic suspense. The author has achieved a remarkable clearness and variety of characterization in the three couples who play the chief parts. At the heart of the action stand Robert Blaine, a grim British capitalist; the Hon. Mrs. Blaine, his ambitious

wife, and Harry Blaine, the gay, selfish, spendthrift son. Early in the play the audience is made aware of the fact that Harry is Mrs. Blaine's son, but not the son of his supposed father, and that the grim financier's suspicions on this point have reached the point of certainty. The main suspense lies in the relations between him and his unfaithful wife, and in the question of what he is going to do with her and her reckless son, whom she loves greatly and spoils outrageously.

The secondary theme is the love-making between Harry Blaine and Phoebe Schmalz, daughter of Sir Adalbert and Lady Schmalz, who are also wealthy. Sir Adalbert is an odd and interesting creature, a staunch Briton who talks with a broad German accent, because he was born and reared in Germany. All his money is invested in that country, and Mr. Vachell adds a touch of the heroic to his likable character when he depicts him as calmly abandoning both fortune and name for the British cause at the outbreak of the war.

It is the war that throws searchlights into the hearts of the various characters and cuts several Gordian knots. The reader must be left to discover for himself what happens when Harry, with all his debts and selfish frivolity, goes away to fight in Belgium and France. Harry is well drawn, but he will not help the popularity of the play in the United States. The British and American views of such a glided youth are widely different. We must see that sort of young man do something overwhelmingly worth while before we can relinquish the desire to shake him. The author seems to believe that a few weeks of war entitle Harry to all the rewards that life can offer.

The main theme, however, is handled with skill and a good deal of power. One may prefer one's dramas in a footlight setting and yet be quite unable to lay down this book unfinished.

NINETEENTH CENTURY GERMANY

GERMANY IN THE NINETEENTH CENTURY. By S. Paul, B. Bosanquet and F. Bonavia. London: Longmans, Green & Co. \$1.25.

In 1911 a course of lectures was given at the University of Manchester, and later published, in the belief that "appreciations by

British scholars of the part played by Germany in the development of modern civilization might serve to promote more friendly feelings between the two nations. The success of the volume, both in England and Germany, led the university to prepare a second series to cover in part that of the vast field of German endeavor in the nineteenth century upon which the first volume had not touched. Dr. Bosanquet contributed a study of nineteenth century philosophy. Professor Feike of the German theologians of the period, and Mr. Ferruccio Bonavia the musician. These studies were all in type before the outbreak of the war, and apart from the fact of their immense informative and literary value they stand as an interesting historical document. They show what a group of British scholars "thought, and in essentials still think, was a just tribute to pay to the activities of the German nation." The Germany of militant aggression, of violated faith, of cynical self-seeking, and disregard of the honorable traditions of civilized warfare is new to them, as, in its extreme manifestations, it is to the world at large.

SOCIALIZED GERMANY

SOCIALIZED GERMANY. By Frederic C. Howe. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons. \$1.50.

Dr. Howe's study of German efficiency was reviewed at length in *THE NEW YORK TIMES* Magazine of Sept. 12, so that a brief notice here will suffice. It is one of the significant books of the day, written with the same motive of discovering the greatest good for the greatest number as this author's earlier studies of American cities. The war is not discussed further than to condemn the evil part which the Prussian autocracy has played in this respect. Dr. Howe devotes his energies to marshaling and analyzing the social benefits that have grown out of Germany's unique system of State Socialism, and to indicating how some of these methods might be adopted in the United States without injury to our democratic ideals. His chief point is that the "German peril" for us is a peace peril, and that we may have to meet it industrially with an inferior organization when the war is over. The volume deserves the attention it will undoubtedly command among thoughtful readers.

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POPULAR STORIES OF ANCIENT EGYPT. By Sir G. Maspero, K. C. B. D. C. C. Translated by Mrs. C. M. W. Jones from the fourth French edition. Edited by the author. New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons. London: H. Greville & Co. \$2.50.

AN ENGLISHMAN'S RECOLLECTIONS OF EGYPT, 1882 to 1887. With an Epilogue dealing with the Present Time. By Baron de Kusel. (Dey.) With thirty-two illustrations and a map. New York: John Lane Company. \$3.

TALES that make the red blood stir in mummies are these "Popular Stories of Ancient Egypt." They are filled with the lays of stirring days, with the gulls of the old serpent of the Nile, with the inscrutable mystery of the East.

In their content they greatly resemble the "Arabian Nights Entertainment," and yet there is a certain flavor which is all Egyptian. There could be no more violent contrast between two volumes than this assemblage of legends of the ancient land and the recollections of Baron de Kusel, also noticed here, which relate to the Egypt of this day and generation.

The only points of contact which they seem to have is in their very frank portrayal of Egyptian morals as being far from desirable. Ethical standards did not seem to have changed much along the Nile since the hieroglyphics were first made, and they continue to this present day to be beneath the notice of the Young Person.

But, to return to our mummies—the mummies which are veritably reincarnated in these stories of the ancient land which seems ever here. The first story was discovered about 1822, and it was not until the Pharaonic period occasioned great surprise, even among those scholars who believed that they knew ancient Egypt and all her ways, which were far from those of pleasantness and peace.

Some of the material in these stories has already been employed in fanciful flights by Ebers and by Miss Marie Corelli. The stories were assembled by Sir G. Maspero, holder of various academic degrees, whose name as an archaeologist is world wide, and the translation by Mrs. John is apparently faithful and accurate.

It is to be regretted that so much attention is given to the gloss that the text is almost obscured in a growth of annotative verbiage. One of these days some one with the spirit of the land of the pyramids stirring in his veins after all these centuries may rise and have his fling among the ceremonies of the spiced past of the Egypt of Maspero and all the antiquarians. The translations of the Popular Stories are painfully literal in places, but occasionally they rise to the fervor of an adaptation which shows the men and women of Egypt as they were. For the general reader the wine and the passions of the sons and daughters of the Nile are perhaps too frankly stated, but in spite of its ponderous learning and its superabundant notes, this book of Egypt will hold the interest of any one. There are movement and action in the story of "The High Emprise for the Cuirass," which stirs the pulses. One can see the fighting men of the High Lord of Amen and hear the clash of arms. How at last the talker is restored to its rightful owner is indeed a dramatic recital.

The stories of the Old Testament receive illumination from this book of stories, and after reading them one may better understand the career of Joseph and the difficulties he encountered in the loyal service of Potiphar. Here are stories of magicians and of rods and serpents which have their counterpart in the narratives of the sacred books. "The Adventure of Sarni-Khampsu with Mummies" is a story of Egyptian

love primitive and barbaric. In the tale of "The Doomed Prince" there is an outcropping of Oriental fatalism.

From the point of view of the staid scholar there is much to commend itself in this painstaking gathering of the corn of Egyptian lore into the granary of romance. Perhaps one day some one will make a properly expurgated volume for the general public, with the ponderous notes relegated to the back and nothing to stem the onrush of a free and untrammelled translation. The wizardry of Scheherazade has come to us through carefully filtered translations until now we have in permanent literary form a very respectable version of Aladdin and of Sindbad the Sailor. The tales of Egypt, would no doubt yield well to a similar treatment, and one of these days perhaps the publishers will favor us with an edition in really popular guise which will give the requisite atmosphere.

A most valuable book on modern Egypt, especially at this time, is "An Englishman's Recollections of Egypt, 1882 to 1887." The manuscript was completed about the time the European war broke out, and the author has added an epilogue. It is rather misleading to limit the compass of the book in the title to the twenty-five years mentioned, for the additional matter brings the work absolutely to the present date. Baron de Kusel is typically English in his view of Egypt. He went to the land of the pyramids in 1882 to join a mercantile firm, but later he entered the Customs Service and by his close application to the business in hand rose to preferment. He was in charge of the British Customs at the time of the revolt of Arabi Pasha. His book is of especial interest now that England has lightened her protectorate and there have been momentous changes.

Baron de Kusel seems to have known nearly everybody of consequence in Egypt, and he speaks of them in an offhand, easy way which shows a deep familiarity with all that had transpired in Egypt. If the opportunity comes for a revision of this work, a second edition would be much improved by the amplifying of the accounts of some of the important happenings. The account of the opening of the Suez Canal, at which the author was present, hardly seems adequate, in view of his wonderful facilities for observing this event.

The book is intensely autobiographical. In one passage the Baron dwells with the fondness of a connoisseur upon the fine cigar

which the Khédive gave him, by far the finest weed of the kind he had ever had. He tells again how he had the honor of being invited by "his Highness Tewfik Pasha" to his first grand ball and reception and adds that he had the honor also of having received a very friendly greeting from his Highness, whom he had known personally when his Highness was heir apparent.

The Baron dismisses his impressions of the Egyptian Sphinx with a few words, but he has much to say about Lady Meux. His account of the taking away of Cleopatra's Needle is interesting and circumstantial. One of the most illuminating chapters tells of the Baron's occupancy of the post of American Consul General at Cairo for three months during the absence of a regular incumbent, and he gives a good insight into the methods of Americans. He had to answer a prodigious number of letters, not only from the department but also from American manufacturers and merchants, for, as he says, "these latter rarely require much of their Consuls." The author of the recollections finally

left Egypt for the more pleasant land of Italy.

The book is copiously illustrated and is replete with valuable notes bearing on Egyptian history.

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THE ANGELS OF MONS

THE publication, during the last few days, of a little volume entitled "The Bowmen, and Other Legends of the War," by ARTHUR MACHEN (G. P. Putnam's Sons) brings a new element of controversy into the curious touch of supernaturalism that has recently developed regarding the battlefields at Mons in the latter half of August, 1914. The story goes that at the crisis of the fighting, when the French and English were growing disheartened by their ineffectual efforts to overcome the enemy, certain celestial beings, in the midst of whom was St. George, suddenly appeared between the armies and by their timely aid brought victory to the Allies. For some months past varying versions of this story have been finding their way into the newspapers. It has been given as fact—if fact can be predicated of apparition—with witnesses cited to vouch for its authenticity, until now there are doubtless many who believe that the "Angels of Mons" did actually appear in the battlefields during those fateful days of August. The whole occurrence was affirmatively given in the Occult Review for last August in an article that was reviewed at length in THE NEW YORK TIMES for last Sunday. This article, entitled "The Angelic Leaders," is by Miss PHYLIS CAMPBELL, a nurse in a French hospital at the front, and gives the details and variants of the legend together with much corroborative testimony as to its truth. Now comes Mr. MACHEN's volume of legends, and with it an account of the origin of "The Angels of Mons" that quite robs the latter of their miraculous quality. For the whole "apparition," Mr. MACHEN tells us in a lengthy introduction, was conceived and written by him in prosaic London, on the last Sunday of August, 1914, immediately after reading of the retreat from Mons, and this story, for which he chose the title "The Bowmen," was published in The Evening News of Sept. 29, the same year. Having disposed of his story Mr. MACHEN naturally thought he had heard the end of it. But the readers of "The Bowmen"—many of them—were determined to find more than fiction in the "legend."

In a few days from its publication the editor of The Occult Review wrote to me. He wanted to know whether the story had any foundation in fact. I told him that it had no foundation in fact of any kind or sort; I forgot whether I added that it had no foundation in rumor, but I should think not, since to the best of my belief there were no rumors of heavenly interposition in existence at that time. Certainly I had heard of none. Soon after the editor of Light wrote asking a like question, and I made him a like reply. It seemed to me that I had stifled any "Bowmen" myths in the hour of its birth.

After these first denials, however, of a supernatural agency the amazed author of

"The Bowmen" found himself barely at the beginning of trouble.

MR. MACHEN'S entire experience with this fascinating "legend" of his, as he now tells it to us, forms a remarkable document in the psychology of belief. His readers were bound to find "fact" in his story and he was powerless to prevent them. "The Bowmen" was reprinted in various religious periodicals, attained an immense circulation, and was apparently accepted as "true," even in spite of the author's protests to the contrary. Thus, to cite one instance, Mr. MACHEN assured the editor of one of these magazines, to whom he had accorded permission to reprint the story, that "The Bowmen" was "pure invention."

The priest wrote again, suggesting—to my amazement—that I must be mistaken, that the "mystic facts" of "The Bowmen" must be true, that my share in the matter must surely have been confined to the elaboration and decoration of a veridical history. It seemed that my light fiction had been accepted by the congregation of this particular church as the solidest of facts; and it was then that it began to dawn on me that if I had failed in the art of letters I had succeeded, unwittingly, in the art of deceit. This happened, I should think, some time in April, and the snowball of rumor, that was then set rolling has been rolling ever since, growing bigger and bigger, till it is now of a monstrous size.

It was after the month of April that Mr. MACHEN noticed the variants that were being made of his story, but he finds no difficulty in tracing the genesis of all these. A postscript to his book is written after reading the advance proof sheets of Miss CAMPBELL's article on "The Angelic Leaders," in the August number of The Occult Review. He assures us that the latter "has not shaken my incredulity," and comments humorously upon this new "evidence." Mr. MACHEN's little volume contains in all four "legends." They are well worth reading for their own intrinsic value. As the beginning of an interesting "mythos" they will have a permanent place in the literature of the war.

THE retirement of Professor GEORGE SAINTSBURY from the Chair of English Literature in the University of Edinburgh marks a change that is not necessarily regrettable in a career that has for years been a helpful influence in the study of literature in Great Britain and America. Now that he is relieved from the routine of his professional duties he will have the more time to devote to studies intended for a wider audience than one assembled within the walls of a university. Before taking up his work at the university Professor SAINTSBURY had played a leading part in the critical literature of his day. He was active in journalism, and the daily familiarity that this gave him with the affairs of life undoubtedly helped to free his purely literary studies from the scholasticism that they easily might have acquired. Literature has been to him a vital matter, not a subject to be confined to the philologist's study. His essays in criticism have been effective for good in our own institutions of learning, where the mature works resulting from his long experience in literary controversy will be awaited with interest.

THAT the true realist is abnormally sensitive to the mere words that form the vehicle of his craft has more than once furnished the theme for literary reminiscence. FLAUBERT polished and repolished his lines with such painstaking labor that he is said to have turned out rarely more than a page of manuscript a day; BALZAC and Tolstoy covered their pages with such spider's webs of verbal corrections that the resulting misery endured by those whose task it was to decipher their work is still matter for pleasant gossip. And now it appears that Mr. GEORGE MOORE, true to this idiosyncrasy of realism, in superintending a complete edition of his works became so disgusted with the title of one of his stories that he seriously considered omitting the volume containing it from the collection. The title was "A Drama in Muslim." This, Mr. MOORE felt, was "vulgar." It is reported that, before killing the book outright, he tried "Mousseline" and "Bal Bianca"—but this is doubtless a calumny. Finally it occurred to him to try a compromise—hence, the book has been retained under the title "Muslim." According to Mr. MOORE, the English language is no longer a fit medium for literary art.

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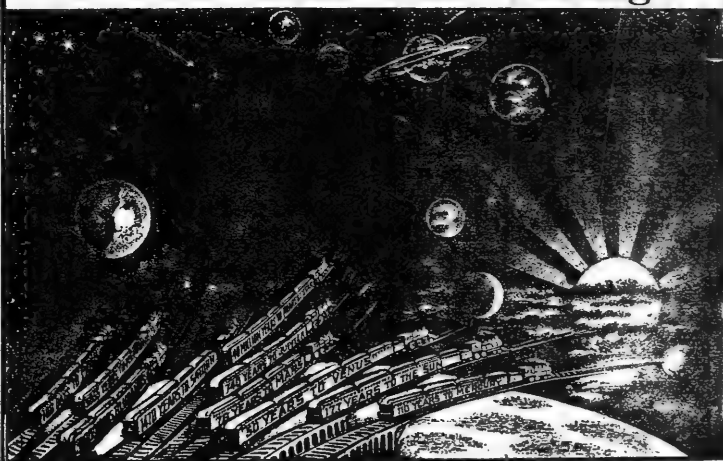
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BREAKING POINT. By Michael Artzibasheff. W. W. Heinemann, \$1.50.

IT is by a long tradition has been to the northern races a "woman-country, wooded, not walled," infinitely tender and beloved, Russia, for the brighter space in which she has revealed herself to us, has been our femme incomprise, with all the difficulty and the fascination inherent in the type. Now she blows hot, now cold. Here we have seen in her a pilgrim humbly journeying in the dust to holy places, again a mighty and kindly mother, then a swift angel of destruction. Who is she? What is she? These are questions which the Russians themselves, with a curiosity as great as our own and a frequently apparent more detached impartiality, are continually asking. And because the Russian does possess, beyond all others, this intense and gnawing curiosity concerning his own and his nation's future, whether, why, and therefore, he has produced a mass of prose fiction powerful beyond any other in the world.

Up to the present year only a few, peaks rose out of this mass into the vision of most English and American readers—Turgenev, Tolstoy, Dostoevski, with here and there a lesser, say Gorky, whose voice among us has been in a sense one of accident. Even Gogol, the acknowledged father of the Russian realistic novel, who did for Russia what Cervantes did for Spain, is scarcely more than a name to the man in the street. Yet the war has changed all that. Translators and publishers have anticipated the demand brought about by changed conditions, and this Autumn translations, old and new, of Russian authors known and (to us) previously unknown, fall from the presses as thick, if not so gay, as the leaves in Valerius or along the Hudson.

In any consideration of these recent translations Gogol's name should, like the Arab's, "lead all the rest," not only because in point of time and originality he actually does lead, but because he is a broader, more international in spirit, than the later writers whom we have agreed to call, with a not altogether flattering intention, typically "Russian." In fact, Prosper Mérimée ranks him among English rather than Russian readers; other "dead souls"—I mean, serfs who had died since the last census was taken, but whose names would remain on the tax lists until the next census, some years hence. By this stroke of business the landowner, who was formerly paying taxes on non-existent property and Tchitchikoff would be in possession of duly registered, authentic bills of sale of serfs, running into thousands of rubles, on which he should be able to borrow money from the Government. In other words, Tchitchikoff was the first and greatest shoe-string financier in literature, compared with whom the Get-Rich-Quick Wallingfords of our own day are a feeble and degenerate race.

In pursuance of his brilliant scheme "Tchitchikoff travels through Russia and foremansters with rich and poor, with landowners and peasants, with nobles, magistrates, local governors, a constantly changing, many-colored throng. We see them as we might see a busy, gay crowd at a fair, yet each character, no matter how slight his part in the scene, is so individualized that he could never be mistaken for anybody else. Gogol's art is so great that we forget it is art—we take it for life. And through it all, in and out, runs the author's eternal wonder, his curiosity about the Russian character. Sometimes it is expressed half-sarcastically, as where he points out that "it must be stated, to our hero's credit, that he had a compassionate heart, and could not refrain from giving a copper coin to a poor man" at the same moment when he was meditating a colossal fraud. Sometimes he observed with bitterness:

"It sometimes seems to me that the Russian is a lost being. He wants to do everything, and can do nothing. He keeps thinking that he will be on the life in the morning, but nothing comes of it. On that very same day he is already about himself, so that he can do nothing but whimper and cannot manage his tongue."

And again he forgets the sloth, the venality, the self-delusion which he sees on every hand, but in his heart he is so indignant, so sparing humor, and breaks into a lyric cry to Russia under the figure of the Troika—the bird troika.

"Dead Souls" is not merely a picturesque romance, though it is one of the most entertaining of that class; neither is it destructive

criticism of Russia, though the faults of Russian character are mercilessly laid bare. Still less is it the work of a Slavophile, though Gogol's love for the broad steppe and for the dwellers upon it, roguish and honest men alike, is little less than a passion. The book is in the highest sense constructive, and underneath the humor and the play of whim and incident runs the moral, all the more effective for not being insisted upon, that true happiness, for a Russian or for any one else, consists in creation of some sort—for the Russian preferably the creation of two blades of grass where none grew before.

Gogol is the great pioneer. He laid out the road of a realism that, instead of wandering aimlessly in a desert, is the shortest way to the land known of but by few, where the romantic is real and the real is dyed deep in romance. But lanterns have been brought to bear, and in their flickering light many branching roads have been discovered. It is always so, and it is a good thing, in the main, making against monotony. Every now and then we follow one to its end and find it is only a blind alley filled with dead cats, and we regret the broad highway and the kindly darkness that hid all from us but the stars above; but now and then, too, we strike an by-way that leads us up to heights where we cannot only see the stars but hear them sing together.

It is such a path we tread with Dostoevski. The Russian critic, Mershtovski, has drawn an interesting comparison between Dostoevski and Tolstoy, showing how the one fulfilled, involuntarily, and by the brute force of circumstances and his own nature, the ideals of poverty, long-suffering, under despite, fortitude under pain, love and charity to all, which the other strove toward all his life, but was prevented, by the brute force of circumstances and his own nature, from ever personally attaining.

Probably no author ever wrote under greater handicaps than did Dostoevski.

From boyhood he had been poverty-stricken, sickly and miserable. But the worst of it was that he was not a romanticist, who could dream himself into happiness and write of the sun while rain pelted him. The diffidence which made it impossible for him to write at all except of the most trifling, knew from actual experience and observation made him a great realist. In "Poor Polk," for instance, we feel that the author has lived, day by day and night by night, with the vodka-cured petty officials, the literary hacks, the shattered human fragments at the bottom of the ladder, who figure in it. It is the story of a poor, broken-down old clerk, who drinks, who aspires after literary style, who goes without food and shoes that he may buy small luxuries for a seamstress on whom he lavishes a doting love, and who at the first opportunity marries and leaves her simple-hearted slave to sink deeper and deeper into poverty, loneliness, and despair. This was the first of Dostoevski's works to meet with success. In his humility he had feared that the editor to whom he sent it would not even read it, and the visit of Grigorovich and the poet Nekrasov to the miserable room of the young man—he was only 25—at 4 o'clock in the morning, after a night spent in reading the manuscript, to awaken the unknown author and find upon his neck with tears and congratulations, not only one of the most dramatic incidents in literature, but also one that could not possibly have happened in any other land than Russia.

The tale harks back to Gogol markedly, and Dostoevski has shown his consciousness of the debt very cleverly by making the naive old hero recognize his own portrait in Gogol's short story "The Clerk," and resent it.

"The Gambler," equally with "Poor Polk," is a tale of close observation and, at its best points, of experience. It will never rank with the greater novels, but contains some unforgettable portraits, as of the grandmother, the imperious, independent old lady who fell a victim to the fever of gambling while trying to reclaim others, and of the young Russian tutor, who tells the story and was himself the hopeless slave of the green tables. In this story, Dostoevski attempts, to some extent, the analysis of types alien to himself and to Russia—to write as a cosmopolitan—and he succeeds, where Turgenev would have succeeded. Fortunately, it was an attempt he seldom made. It is in the portrayal of the passions, the vices, the misfortunes, and the aspirations of "an un-Russian—un-Russian," the Russian, the extraordinary French courtier in "The Gambler" calls

its hero, that Dostoevski finds his road among the stars.

In a recent clever essay on Michael Artzibasheff, Mr. James Huneker has characterized "Breaking Point" as "the most poignant and intolerable book I ever read." Considering the extent of the adventures of Mr. Huneker's soul among masterpieces—and others—this is a broad indictment, but it is none too broad. The mature reader of the book gets the same sort of impression from it that filled him when at 14 he sat flat on the library floor and fed upon the play of "Titus Andronicus," too grieved with horrors to know or care that the foot curled under him was asleep or that the edge of the bookcase was cutting into his oblivious back. This while reading. At the end of the book and after a pause for meditation and a mental calculation that out of the fifteen or so characters seven deliberately kill themselves, three die natural deaths of detailed ghastliness, and that every woman in the book, except one who is dying of consumption when it opens, is seduced during the course of the story, one finds it as hard to take it seriously as one does a bad dream recounted as a memory.

Yet "Breaking Point" possesses significance, both in itself and as marking a stage in its author's development. For Artzibasheff is a man of extraordinary power, and the direction which it takes is a matter of no small importance to the world.

One of the most interesting things about "Breaking Point" is the offhand fashion in which it confounds the critic, admiring and otherwise, who has read it, and made up their minds firmly about its author. In that book Artzibasheff was the Russian moralist par excellence, preaching the dogma of morality; a devil's advocate; a formidable opponent of Tolstoy, arguing against his doctrine of charity and non-resistance in Tolstoy's own best manner. "Sanine" brought the superman down from the realms of the abstract to everyday life; it was the book that nullified individualism.

But in "Breaking Point" the bubble the individualist blows is pricked; the weak point in "Sanine" is located, emphasized, one might say danced upon, if any act so gay and so easily to be associated with "Breaking Point" is a good, acknowledged, but it is not an endless good. There lies the trouble. As long as we could see Sanine proceeding from one conquest to another, never wearying of conquest, drinking champagne and vodka continuously as routine without acquiring cirrhosis of the liver—in brief, eating his cake and having his cake—the doctrine of ruthless individualism had come to be a practical ideal. But now we learn that this, too, is vanity. At the turn of every lane sanity lurks.

Dchenieff, the artist, whom all women love and who loves the woman in all women, is Sanine carried to a logical conclusion. He has been called a weakling, but his weakness is only the normal reaction of his environment, the return of his own deeds upon himself, which the hero of the earlier book lacked. His logical conclusion is, of course, the only recourse of a soul emptied of belief in world peopled with ghosts.

"Breaking Point," though frequently intolerable, though its hesped-up tragedy sometimes comes dangerously near producing the recoil into comedy in the mind of the reader which naturally follows an exaggerated glow, remains a far deeper and richer work than "Sanine," and one of the most remarkable produced in any country in many years. There is no use in trying to reconcile it with any of our accepted theories. It stands as possibly the strongest exposition of pure intellectual nihilism known to modern readers. Political nihilism is brushed aside, and the measure of the author's contempt for Socialists is found in the fact that Dchenieff, the haunted sensualist, on the last terrible night of his life, is brought so low as to envy them:

"My God, how I envy these dull Socialists who believe in their program and are so convinced that they only live in order to provide everybody with a fowl in their soup in the forty-second century! But there is nothing in my soul—do you understand?—nothing!"

Individualism, the doctrine of the superman, breaks down not only because of intrinsic weakness, but because, in the relation of the sexes, where individualism is most useful and precious to a man, woman is not only never individualistic enough herself, but cannot understand the quality in him. Which leads to many of the embarrassments and most of the tragedies of life, a fact emphasized more strongly in "Breaking Point" than in any other book we can think of.

Many of the incidents in Artzibasheff's novel are so needlessly horrifying to our Western taste that we involuntarily cry out against him for leading us from Gogol's

spacious highway into his blind alley, among the carcasses of worn-out pleasures and the shards of shattered ideals. But even at its worst the alley does not wind aimlessly, nor, wholly without purpose, clutter itself with garbage. Here and there it touches most unexpectedly Dostoevski's path among the stars. Dostoevski, like Tolstoy, preached redemption through suffering. Without pain no man progresses, only through anguish does he see God. As to the suffering, and even as to its purpose, Artzibasheff agrees with him perfectly:

"Suffering is the cause of progress. Give me happiness and we shall stand still. The whole history of the world is one uninterrupted stream of sorrow, pain, hate, and all that is dark in human imagination. That is the life of man."

Then, without warning, the path dips away again:

"But why shall man go on suffering forever? It is high time people understood that they have no right to condemn the endless generations of the future to the same sufferings that afflict those who have gone before have already lived through."

In other words, though progress is the reward of pain, the game is not worth the candle.

Upon the premise of the universality of suffering, the usefulness of suffering, even a certain curiosity and to us morbid and inverted delight that grows out of suffering, Artzibasheff tradition means so little that it apparently has never occurred to him to fear that in the final sleep dreams may come. Yet his skepticism is so great that it embraces even itself. Naumoff, the exponent of the cult of the bare bodkin, is a moralist, half fanatic, half fraud, who himself finds too much joy in preaching self-destruction to destroy himself, and we are left gasping into the void without the assurance that even that is safe from the touch of Artzibasheff's corroding irony.

It is a peculiarity of Russian novelists, true to nothing like the same extent of those of any other land, that no matter how remarkable their novels may be, their own lives surpass them in what, if it were not so real, we might call fictional interest. "Dead Souls" is a work rich in contrast, but it contains no contrast so deep as that between the Gogol who could write it with such frank parody and abandon and the Gogol who, in the last years of his life, burned the par still unpublished and turned, like Tolstoy, to an asceticism that denied beauty and denied himself joy; between his best, his adventurous pilgrimages through Russia and the painful pilgrimage that, in his last days, led his own unsatisfied soul to Jerusalem and back—still unsatisfied.

"Poor Polk" is a tale unparalleled in its unaffected simplicity and pathos, but not in it nor in any other book did Dostoevski portray a character more unfortunate, more single-minded, more beat upon by fate, or who rose, spite of his misfortunes, to greater strictures.

Of Artzibasheff's life we know too little to pursue the analogy. Since it is difficult to picture him out-Herod his own Herod at the game of death, we rather enjoy imagining him a philosophic, meditative observer of the game of life, extracting pleasure from simple things—the songs of birds, children, and a family hearthstone. "Sanine" and "Breaking Point" have excited our appetite for drama—and he has left no possible thrill of drama remaining to us other than the spectacle of their author cheerfully cultivating his garden and rearing a happy brood in the precepts of conventional morality.

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THE GREAT UNREST. By P. R. Mills Young. New York: John Lane Company. \$1.30.

The hero of Miss Mills Young's story spends a year in South Africa, in close association with the labor troubles of 1913 and 1914 in Johannesburg, and a brief psychological aside concerning them gives her the title. The young man recognizes that "the struggle was the outcome of the unrest of the age—the great unrest in the blood. He felt it stirring in his own—the love of violence, of violent emotions—a sort of instinctive revolt against the established order of things." Draycott Arthur Manners—"Dam" for short, and the sobriquet seems to reflect something of the aggressive independence of his nature—gets his full length picture drawn and his story told with very considerable skill and interest. It begins, in approved English style, with his boyhood and follows him rapidly through his school years and a year or so at Oxford, where, after the manner of young men at universities in English fiction, he has no end of a good time and contracts almost no end of debts. Without any doubt, if the historian of the future looks to the present day English novels for light upon the manners and customs of the time, he will decide that the whole English educational system, public schools, universities and all, was devised and administered for the sole purpose of unfitting the students for any reasonable, useful kind of life. On this side the Atlantic one can only read these novels with amazement and wonder if they are trying to picture truly a real state of affairs. For the one thing above all others that the modern English novel aims to achieve is realism.

But "Dam" is suddenly brought up with a short turn when his father has financial reverses and he goes forth to prove whether or not he can make good, a bulldog sort of quarrel with his father having made impossible the acceptance of any help from home. He goes to South Africa and his experiences there during the labor troubles and with women with whom he thinks he is in love fill the middle third of the book. One sees upon him the liberating, develop-

ing influence of the larger, freer life, which strikes off from his mind many of the shackles imposed upon it by the training and environment of his childhood and youth. Inevitably, the freedom, and the consciousness of it go to his head and he does things of which he is presently ashamed. And, of course, the latter part of the story tells of the opening of the war and of his going to the front to plunge the ardor of his "great unrest" into the fighting line.

A SOUL ON FIRE

A SOUL ON FIRE. By Frances Fenwick Williams. New York: John Lane Company. \$1.30.

"A Soul on Fire" is considerably better than its title. The name of this new novel by the author of "The Arch-Salutist" may be dismissed with the brief statement that there is no excuse for it. To be sure, it is quoted from Omar Khayyam. But even that cannot justify it. Nothing can.

The book is a really interesting story, founded on various theories as to pre-natal influence and the sub-conscious self and the curative power of psycho-analysis. It presents a beautiful young woman from England, heiress to an ancient West-Country estate and to an ancient West-Country legend, believing herself to be the inheritor of an ancient West-Country curse. The plot moves through the discovery of her "powers" and the ruin she lays about her, to the tracing of the causes for her "supernatural" qualities, and the final laying of her "ghost." Considered as a superstructure of fiction on the foundation of up-to-the-minute studies in the sub-conscious the story is entertaining and not too improbable; but the author introduces an element of fatal weakness in insisting upon reincarnating her witch, whether or no, and in bringing scientists and clergymen to attest the witch's avatar. In style Mrs. Williams alternates between the epigrammatic sentences of the "witty society novel" and the melodramatic phrasing that is better suited to her theme. Her social climbers and gossips are often funny, but their rather pointless conversations and the author's wit at their expense serve to retard the action of a story whose action remains its chief claim to the reader's attention. If Mrs. Williams laid aside her cleverness and told her story in the direct narrative that its incident demands, her novel—which may be summed up as a semi-scientific melodrama—would be more absorbing reading.

HAPPY DAYS

HAPPY DAYS. By A. A. Milne. George H. Doran Company. \$1.25 net.

A number of short sketches and burlesques, selected from Mr. Milne's contributions to "Punch" make up the contents of this entertaining volume. They range over a very wide variety of topics, from the difficulties of playing the piano and being an amateur uncle, to golf, gardening, seaside literature, physical culture, and plays "intended for amateur production." There are only six possible plots for amateur plays, and Mr. Milne gives us examples of these six—with stage directions and comments. The tragedy of the lost railway ticket, the "amusements" of an informal evening in the suburbs, and the making of a Christmas short story which must have in it trickery, holly, mistletoe, and a wasmall bowl, in order that it may fit the already ordered illustrations—these are some of the many topics touched upon. Dog

lovers will enjoy the accounts of Chum, the black cocker spaniel, his charms, and his intrigues, and readers of popular magazines should appreciate the series of papers on "Successful Men"—a series designed, says Mr. Milne, "to assist parents in choosing a career for their sons."

Although these skits were originally intended for English readers, they should appeal to American ones as well. And light-hearted and amusing as these glimpses of "Happy Days" are, they are given a certain pathos by the fact that their author is now with the English Army in the trenches.

PRIVATE SPUD TAMSON

PRIVATE SPUD TAMSON. By Captain W. R. Campbell. New York: D. Appleton & Co. \$1.

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An Editor of a Magazine for Young People Analyzes Current Juvenile Literature—Letters from Readers of The Book Review

The New York Times Review of Books:

I HAVE read the letters of Miss Grace Blanchard and of Mr. William Heyliger with reference to juvenile books written in series. It is a gratification to see that the important subject of books for boys to read is receiving deserved attention, though in this instance a less important feature is touched upon. I am prepared to admit that the series is, in the words of a certain small boy's definition of a lie, "an abomination in the sight of the Lord but a very present help in time of trouble." But, then, so is cereal breakfast food. Neither would exist but for the demand.

Book publishers believe, among a number of other things which are not so, that a boy's book will not sell unless it has compellingness—unless there are, in short, a whole litter of them. Inasmuch as book publishers hold the key to the door of paradise for authors, and inasmuch as it is the publishers who publish and not so rarely authors a level-appreciable at times—above peapay, the authors must write what the publishers will print. Therefore we must be resigned to the series until some literary Billy Sunday can get the tribe of publishers into his tent and convert them with a hot blast of eloquence.

My way of thinking, as an author, as one of the editors of *The American Boy*, and as a reader of boys' books, the series is not malignant—it is simply one of the minor nuisances. Boys like them—and boys have a way of liking things which are nuisances. My own boys are the owners of an *Alfreda* puppy with an unrestrained appetite for rugs. So let the boys have them, and let Miss Blanchard, Mr. Heyliger, and myself devote our time to discussing features of our modern juveniles which are worth getting into a stew about.

For instance, let us consider what the boy reads, and not how many of it.

So long as a boy's book is bound in cloth, is illustrated, is issued by a reputable firm, and sells for a dollar or upward, neither parent nor critic gives a hoot what the book is about, how it is written, what are its ideals, or the sort of disease of the imagination that afflicts its author.

Parents and uncles and aunts buy tons of boys' books every year, without having the slightest idea what they are buying. It may be chance by such a splendid book as Hayden Carruth's "Frank's 25th," or one of James Willard Schultz's classics. But the chances are it will not, for those books are on a shelf back of the picture postal card rack, while "The Zeppelin Boys in the Moon" or other books of its class, with attractive illustrations of a lad pursued by a wall-eyed hocus-pocus on the banks of a Manhattan canal, are displayed on the table of honor.

I used to read "Frank Morriwell" in pikelet form behind the barn, because the dime novel was looked upon by my parents as little better than petty larceny; however, "Frank" was issued in a book with cloth covers, and my uncle gave it to me, and my father and mother smiled with satisfaction when I stayed at home of nights to read it—and there you are.

Parental criticism of juveniles never gets past the cover and the title mark. It would seem to me to be a more valuable work for Miss Blanchard and Heyliger and myself—and the invaluable New York Times Book Review—if all of us might present this new and astounding matter to adults. To adults who are so pernickety about style and strength and literary quality in their own books—but who fail to admit that these same things can exist in a juvenile.

It is more important for a boy to develop by reading such books—a taste for worthy books, than it is for his mother to go to the Literary Club and read a paper on the

Esoteric Appeal of Hilda Lessways' Method of Turning a Door Knob.

Lastly, fifty per cent of the books which have battled through fifty years of life to immortality have done so because of their juvenile-boy juvenile—element. It is worth while to write good juveniles—in series or out. Swift proved it in "Gulliver's Travels," which died as a satire before the ink was dry, but which will live as a juvenile till it is supplanted by cinematography. Robert Louis Stevenson never wrote anything but juveniles—in the line of fiction. "The Jungle Books" will be alive when "The Light That Failed" has ceased even to smoke. The best part of Thackeray is a juvenile—"Henry Esmond." The first eight chapters of "The Orders of Richard Feveril" are splendid juvenile writing, and nowhere did Meredith equal them. Mark Twain would never have worn a scarlet cloak if it had not been for a certain series of juvenile books, nor would Alexandre Dumas amount to a great deal to us if it were not for another series.

So long as the quality is there, and buyers can be made to bother their heads about its presence or absence, it doesn't matter a tinker's dam whether the book be as isolated as St. Simon Stylites or one of a series of fifty.

ALFRED BUDINGTON KELLAND.
Wilmington, Vt., Oct. 12.

FIRST LADY NOVELIST

The New York Times Review of Books:

I WAS surprised to find from an article in *This Book Review* for Oct. 10 that you seem to accept as fact that Eliza Haywood, whose dates, according to the Britannica, are 1693-1756, was really the "first lady novelist" in English literature. My surprise comes from the fact that any manual on the development of the English novel or the Encyclopedia Britannica or the Dictionary of National Biography could have told you that Mrs. Haywood was merely the third in the list and perhaps not really so well known as either of the others. Mrs. Aphra Behn, who lived from 1640 to 1688, and Mrs. Mary Manley, whose dates are from 1663 to 1724, had completed their work and achieved distinction in their own times before Mrs. Haywood was known at all. Mrs. Manley's scandalous "histories" might perhaps better be ignored, except by the special student of the novel; but even the general reader, who aspires to be merely generally intelligent, need not, and should not, ignore Mrs. Behn's famous novel "Oroonoko, or the History of the Royal Slave," first published in 1688. It was here, for the first time in literature, that we find anything like a complete expression of a sympathy for slaves, of that sentimental exaltation of the life of nature which we conventionally attribute to Rousseau. It was apparently Dryden who invented the term, the "Noble Savage" in 1672. It was Mrs. Behn, however, who gave flesh and blood to this conception in what was really a remarkable novel, if we consider her lack of models and the dearth of decent fiction throughout the seventeenth century. Mrs. Behn's novels have recently been republished in a single volume, in the Library of Early Novelists.

edited by R. A. Baker, (New York, 1913.) On Page 4 of this edition, you will find:

And "the most evident and plain that simple Nature is the most harmless, inoffensive and virtuous mistress. It is she alone, if she were permitted, that better instructs the world than all the novations of man."

Professor Saintsbury, in his new volume on the English novel, pokes fun at those who would attribute to Mrs. Behn any definite intention of preaching a crusade against slavery or in favor of the simple life. Yet I, for one, am convinced after a recent re-reading of "Oroonoko" that Mrs. Behn was in earnest and at least temporarily honest in her advocacy of the superiority of the state of nature and her condemnation of the evils of slavery. She deserves credit not only for writing a first-rate novel, considering her times, but also for leading the way ahead of such great ones as Rousseau, Wilberforce, and Mrs. Stowe. Mrs. Behn was the "first lady novelist." GEORGE MORSE MILLER.
Washburn College, Crawfordsville, Ind., Oct. 17.

[EDITORIAL NOTE.—There is no doubt that Mrs. Behn and Mrs. Manley, both of whom wrote fiction, were prior to Mrs. Haywood. The latter, however, was by profession a writer of prose fiction, while Mrs. Behn and Mrs. Manley were better known in their day as writers for the stage. It was in this sense that Mrs. Haywood was considered the "first lady novelist." In Professor Wither's monograph on Mrs. Haywood, to the review of which Professor Miller refers, we are told:

Of all the anachronisms of prose fiction who in a long struggle with neglect and disparagement demonstrated the fitness of their sex to follow the novelist's calling, none was more persistent, more adaptable, or more closely identified with the development of the novel than Mrs. Haywood. Mrs. Behn and Mrs. Manley must be given credit as pioneers in fiction, but much of their best work was written for the stage. Eliza Haywood, on the other hand, added little to her reputation by her few dramatic performances. She achieved her success first and last as a writer of romances and novels.]

ARTZIBASHEF

The New York Times Review of Books:

I HAVE an extract from *THE TIMES* Book Review about "The Millionaire," by Artzibashef, calling attention to the latter's force and consummate artistry and admirable restraint. I am surprised that he should be regarded as the "Prophet of Fatalism," when he distinctly says that the outlook of a student of humanity is, in his viewpoint, liable to constant change; "each day, each hour even," he says, "has its message for us."

It appears so plain to me that, while he is acutely sensible of the unfortunate environment of thousands of human beings, and to the apparent injustice of fate, he is only portraying a few of the millions of humanity. And I observe that critics are prone to mistake the sentiments that he attributes to the passing emotions of his characters for his own opinions and beliefs. And it is deplorable that this confusion is accentuated in the translation of his writings. It is gratifying, however, to see that his American critics as a unit do recognize the fact that he is essentially clean-minded. He has nothing but contempt for glaucosity. The character of Sainio, for instance, instead of condoning immorality, as some have fancied,

is intended to warn us that no man can be sure of himself, as, in the author's view, we are all in the tails of temptation.

There are some gifts that I have not seen commented upon, or very lightly touched. One may observe his remarkable and acute sensitiveness to sounds and odors—he so frequently alludes to the fragrance of yucca!—and when in the company of peasant farmers he detects an exhalation from them suggesting leather and apples, as he oddly expresses it—not the slightest sign of the breeze or tremor of the leaves escapes him. And, above all, there is his great gift of word-painting of Nature. I speak from a wide range of reading, and in this line I find no one to equal him. READER.

Chicago, Oct. 17.

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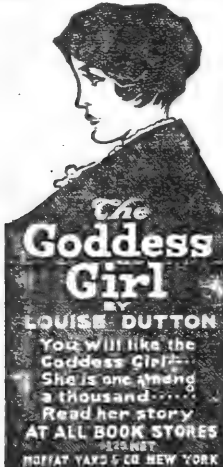
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QUERIES AND ANSWERS FROM READER'S

COMMUNICATIONS for these columns should be addressed to the Editor of *Queries and Answers*, New York Times Review of Books. They should be written on only one side of the paper and must contain the name and address of the writer. If the inquirer prefers, initials only will be printed with the communication.

ANSWERS BY THE EDITOR

L. B. K.—Reference is made in "The Caxtons" to a book called "The Life of Robert Hall." Is this a fictitious name? If not, where can the book be obtained?

Robert Hall was a preacher. He was born in Arnsby, Leicestershire, England, on May 2, 1764, and died on Feb. 21, 1831. A "Memor of Robert Hall," by O. G. Gregory, is printed in Volume II. of "Hall's Works." "Robert Hall as a Preacher," by J. Foster, and "Reminiscences of Robert Hall," by J. Greene, are published in Volume III. of the same work. A six-volume edition of "Hall's Works" was published in 1832. These works have been long out of print.

INQUIRER.—Will you please publish in your Review or Books what A. G. Gardiner has written besides the "Pillars of Society," and who he is professionally?

Alfred G. Gardiner has been editor of *The Daily News* of London, England, since 1902. He was born at Chelmsford in 1865, and was educated privately. He began his journalistic career on the staff of "The Essex County Chronicle," and for fifteen years was associated with "The Northern Daily Telegraph" at Blackburn. He is the author of "Prophets, Priests, and Kings," and has written many pamphlets on political and social matters.

H. H.—Is there a translation of Dostoevsky's "The House of the Dead" and will you kindly tell me if "Dracula," by Bram Stoker, has been published in this country?

A translation of "The House of the Dead, or, Prison Life in Siberia," by Fedor Mikhailovitch Dostoevsky, was published as a volume in Everyman's Library by E. P. Dutton & Co., New York. "Dracula," by Bram Stoker, is published by Doubleday, Page & Co., Garden City, N. Y.

S. L. WHITLOCK.—Can you tell me where I can find the volume "Beauchamp, or, The Tragedy of Kentucky," written by G. Simms, once published as No. 16 of the John W. Lovell Company Library, Vesey Street, New York? I would like to know the volume of that old library, if I could find them.

"Beauchamp" is out of print. The John W. Lovell Company is no longer in existence. Copies of the library volumes might be found in the store of some dealer in old books.

R. S. S.—Will you kindly tell me the value of a four-volume set of "National Portraits," published in 1846 by James B. Longacre, Philadelphia? The set is bound in red leather. The set has fetched from \$6 to \$17 at auction.

ANSWERS FROM READERS

IDA S. PIERO.—In reply to the query of H. Walter, in your issue of Oct. 3, in relation to the inscription over the door of the hotel at the Grand Canyon of the Colorado in Arizona, would you say that I asked the same question when in April, 1914, I stopped at the hotel and was told by some one, I think the young woman in charge of the art room, that it was a traveling man who thought out the beautiful lines?

LOUELLA D. EVERETT.—The verse beginning "And I, too, sing the song of all creation," quoted by Muriel Siegel in "The Review of Oct. 3," is from the poem "The Telemaster," by Herbert H. Bushford.

JAMES SHAND.—In answer to the query of your correspondent "E. S." in your issue of Sept. 12 regarding some lines quoted—not quite correctly—let me say that they are from Burns' "Lament for James, Earl of Glencairn," the last stanza of which reads as follows:

The bridegrooms may forget the bride
He made a wedded wife yestern;
That on his head an hour hath been
The monarch may forget the crown;
The mither may forget the bairn
She croons and sae aye on her knee;
But I'll remember thee, Glencairn,
And a' that thou hast done for me.

This appeal was also answered by James Rink, New York; Mrs. William Burgess, Elton, N. Y.; Emil D. S. Berger, Pelham, N. Y.; Imogene Lee, Brooklyn; John R. Driscoll, Saugatuck, Conn.; William Grant, New York; D. McClure, Astoria, N. Y.; Ernest G. Gould, Seneca Falls, N. Y.; Charles Thom, West Nyack, N. Y.; James McColl, New York; James Rohr, New York; "Law-

rence," Kingston, N. Y.; "K. D. S.," Birmingham, Ala.; "H. L. A.," West Orange, N. J., and Ida Montgomery, Nantucket, Mass.

APPEALS TO READERS

F. R. G.—Will some reader tell me the author of an old poem entitled "Basil Renaud," and furnish the latter part of the first verse, the first half of which runs thus:

The sun forsakes my dunceon walls,
Across the nook no shadow falls,
I hear no answer to my calls,
Basil Renaud!

M. S. S.—Can any of your readers tell me who is the author of this quotation:

God said I'm tired of kings,
I suffer them no more.

I found this quotation at the close of William Dean Howells' article, "The Archangelic Censorship," in "The North American Review" for October, 1914.

ESTHER TUTIN.—I would like to ask if any one can give me the name of the author and where I can find the poem in which these lines occur:

Even the snowflake lets a shadow fall
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Get on, you dog, get on!

J. G. H.—Can any of your readers give me the current form of the quotation which stands as follows: "Lay ye, therefore, bricks upon brick, or it may be, 'Build ye, therefore, stumps upon stone,' and it concludes by warn-

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THIS concluding novel in Arnold Bennett's "Clayhanger" trilogy, "These Twain," is promised for Nov. 6 by the George H. Doran Company. It will deal with the married life of Clayhanger and Hilda Lessways, showing the morass of little daily misunderstandings through which they had to struggle before they could reach the firm ground of mutual faith, tolerance, and understanding. There is further development in the book of other characters in the two preceding volumes, and the Five Towns region is carried through a slow rebellion against mid-Victorian ideas, manners, and customs. The story, however, is complete in itself and does not require for understanding and enjoyment knowledge of its predecessors in the trilogy.

On the same day the Dorans will have ready also "Old Judge Frist," by Irvin S. Cobb, a book of short stories set in Kentucky, in which the chief character of Mr. Cobb's "Back Home" is again the centre of attraction, and "The Thirty-nine Steps," by John Buchan, a story of crime and mystery and the chase of a man by the London police through various parts of England and Scotland.

Frank R. Adams, whose rollicking story of "Five Fridays" was one of last Spring's novels, has written "Molly and I; or, The Silver Ring," another tale of madcap pranks, absurd situations, and comic complexities, which Small, Maynard & Co. have ready for immediate issue.

Little, Brown & Co. are publishing at once "The Stirrup Latch," by Sidney McCall, the story of an old Southern home in which a conflict is going on between early Victorian and ultra-modern ideals.

Alfred A. Knopf will publish shortly a translation by Thomas Seltzer from the Polish of a novel said to be the most important work of the greatest living Polish writer. It is "Homo Sapientis," by Stanislaw Frybyswski-pronounced "Fahs-be-shoff-ski—a story in which the hero is not even the most modern of the men of today, but rather the coming man, the man of day after tomorrow. Mr. Knopf has prepared a booklet on the work of this author which he will send free to any one who will write to him for it.

For early publication Henry Holt & Co. announce "Burkies Army," by Julie M. Lippmann, in which Amy, instead of going to Europe for a Summer of diversion, stays with her father in New York and helps him in some east side work, which leads her into the paths of romance.

The Century Company has ready for immediate publication Jean Webster's "Dear Enemy," whose chief character was in "Daddy Long-Legs," although it is in no sense a sequel to that story.

Mary Johnston's "The Fortunes of Garin" is just published by Houghton Mifflin Company, who are bringing out at once also "Smugglers' Island," by Clarence A. Knopeland, and "Two American Boys in the War Zone," by L. Worthington Green, both stories for young people.

"H. R.," by Edwin Lefevre, which the Harpers are bringing out at once, is an audacious satirical novel in which a book clerk sets New York agog and makes his

Impress upon the nation. "Flashers Mend," by Compton Mackenzie, another immediate Harper publication, is the story of the love between a young English poet and a victor's daughter and of the complications brought about by temperament.

Albert Bushnell Hart, Professor of the Science of Government in Harvard University, is the author of "The Monroe Doctrine: An Interpretation," which Little, Brown & Co. will publish at once. The aim of the author is to set forth what the Monroe Doctrine has meant at different times in our history, what it means at the present time, and what are the difficulties in the way of making it work under present world conditions. This house has ready also "Democracy in the Making," by George W. Coleman and eighteen others, an account of what has been done during the last seven years at the Open Forum carried on in Boston at Ford Hall.

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Hamlin Garland has returned to New York for the winter months. He is scheduled to deliver an address soon in Albany on "Farm and School Life on the Prairies."

Miss Mary Johnston has leased her home at Warm Springs, Va., and will spend the winter in New York City.

Harry A. Franck has recently returned from four years of wandering adventure on foot in South America, and will now settle down to the arranging of his notes into a new volume of vagabond journeying.

Emile Verhaeren's "Belgium's Agony" appears frequently in public library lists of non-fiction books most in demand.

Credo Harris's "Toby" has been made into a picture play and will soon be seen at the morning-picture theatres.

Howard V. Sutherland, for some time with Rand, McNally & Co. and author of

several novels, has gone West for his health, and is in the meantime writing a boys' story of adventure in Alaska, where he spent many years.

Owen Wister's "The Pentecost of Calamity" is proving so popular that an edition a week has been necessary ever since it was published in August.

Marie C. Sadler's "Mamma's Angel Child in Toyland" is in process of being made into a comic opera. Miss Sadler is writing a second volume of similar stories.

The corrected proof sheets of Richard Pryce's new novel, "David Penstephen," of which Houghton Mifflin Company are the American publishers, were twice mailed to them by the author in England and twice went down on vessels that were submerged.

Robert Frost's volume of poems, "North of Boston," has been adopted as a text for required reading in English literature by the University of Minnesota. Its publishers, Henry Holt & Co., report the book to be selling better than any novel on their list for the last month.

While Algernon Blackwood was in New York, where he once arrived penniless after varied wanderings, he made a living for a time by posing for Gibson, Cox, and Zogbaum. He also worked on several New York newspapers and served as private secretary to James Speyer.

Kathleen Norris thinks that what is most needed for the solution of many present-day social problems is "a new race of mothers," who would "believe in simplicity and unpretentiousness and old-fashioned goodness."

The King of the Belgians recently told a Swiss journalist in the course of an interview that Emil Waxweiler's "Belgium Neutral and Loyal" is a book "such as I love,

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Burton E. Stevenson's novel of the Belgian invasion, "Little Comrade," is running serially in a Copenhagen paper and is soon to appear in book form in Sweden, in Norway, and in Denmark.

The Princess Lazarovich-Hrebellanovich, by birth Eleanor Calhoun, an American, whose book of reminiscences, "Pleasures and Pains," is a Fall publication, was responsible for securing the help of the Rockefeller Foundation for the relief work in Serbia last Summer. It was she who first laid the plight of the Serbians before the Foundation, and then, at the request of its officers, prepared a comprehensive statement of conditions and needs.



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THE WEEK ON THE VARIOUS WAR FRONTS IN EUROPE

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THE week past has seen the Teutonic-Bulgarian campaign in full swing. The Teutons have followed the plan, indicated by their opening moves, of conducting a general offensive over the whole of the Northern Serbian front, but driving particularly from Belgrade and Semendria toward Velika Plana and from there to the Nish junction.

In this they have been able to advance but slowly, the Serbs fighting desperately as they retreat. The Teutons have reached a point not much more than ten miles inside the Serbian frontier—less than one mile a day since the Danube and the Sava were crossed. The Serbs, however, are steadily yielding to the pressure and, if Bulgarian successes continue, must soon give way more rapidly until their mountain positions are reached.

The Bulgarian operations indicate a change from the plan that apparently they were going to follow. At the outset it seemed that they also were to drive directly at Nish and, arriving there, either hold the junction, while their operations in the south were proceeding, until the Teutons were able to come down from the north and join them, or advance up the railroad in an effort to take the Serbians in the rear. The danger, however, of English and French assistance reaching the Serbians by way of the Saloniki-Nish railroad evidently made this road of the greatest immediate importance.

The Bulgarian main attack, therefore, was directed at Vranja, about sixty miles south of Nish, and at Vilandovo, twenty miles southwest of Strumitza, the two points where the railroad winds nearest to the Bulgarian border. Vranja is about twenty miles from the frontier, Vilandovo not more than five. Vilandovo was the first point at which Bulgaria struck. As if anticipating such action, the Allies struck in behind the Bulgarian troops at the fortified town of Strumitza. Thus threatened in flank and rear, the Bulgarians fell back, abandoned their move against Vilandovo, and began operations toward Vranja. In this they were more successful. The small Serbian Army, trying to defend such a long line, was stretched too thin, and the Allies were unable to get reinforcements so far up the railroad. The result was that the Bulgarians had little trouble in reaching the city and thereby cutting the railroad.

Meanwhile the originally planned move against Nish has not been entirely thrust aside, but has proceeded as scheduled, only the rate of advance has been much slower, due to the extremely mountainous nature of the country. As a part of this general operation there have been three attacks made, which are still being pushed, each of them along railroad lines running into the main Belgrade-Nish line from the east.

Beginning at the north and taking them in order, the first is against Zalecar, a well-fortified town controlling the approach of the railroad from the east that reaches the main line at Paratchin, about forty miles south of Velika Plana. As this latter is the nearest point to the German forces coming down from the north, Zalecar may be considered the key to the junction with the Germans, which fact alone is sufficient to explain its importance to the general plan. Some twenty miles further south, about ten miles inside the Serbian frontier, is the town of Kniassevo, which is reached from Bulgaria by a highway through the mountain pass of Kadiboga. This town is the second point of attack and is on the railroad which parallels the border and comes into Nish from the northeast. The third point is Piro, on the Nish-Sofia road,

Serbs' Meeting Advance of German and Austrian Invading Armies with Desperate Resistance--Bulgarians Pressing Onward Into Serbia Along Several Lines of Attack--Situation on Western and Eastern Battle Fronts Favorable to the Allies.

about half way between these two cities and twelve miles inside the Serbian border. From Piro there is also an excellent highway running west and connecting with the Nish-Saloniki road at Leskovatz, about the same distance from Nish—about thirty-five miles—as is Paratchin, the junction point of the road from Zalecar.

From each of the three points mentioned, however, toward the railroad, is one continuous mountain belt. In many cases the line of advance is through deep gorges, in others over rocky mountain passes. Here, much more than at Vranja, where the country is almost open, the defending Serbs will have a great advantage and will cause the Bulgarians no end of trouble. Their advance so far has been almost negligible and is sure to be slow unless the army which has taken Vranja succeeds in advancing up the railway and so flanks the Serbs out of position. In that case Nish would fall and the Serbs would have to retreat to the mountains in the vicinity of Krusevac,

the Bulgarian border, the country is much more open, with only the foothills of the Balkan mountains to contend with. Here deployment of troops over a considerable front is entirely feasible and could readily result in the occupation of a considerable section of Southeastern Serbia.

As a result of this combination of movements, the situation of the Serbs seems desperate. After the long typhoid siege of the Winter, their forces are small in number and are faced by numbers several times greater. Their allies either cannot get to them at all or can reach them only by a wide detour through the western mountains, and even this route is threatened.

The Allies, in the meantime, have not as yet shown their hand, and no one can tell what they are going to do or how they are going about it. It is doubtful, indeed, if they have any hand to show. The whole Balkan situation with respect to the Allies seems for some reason shrouded in mystery.

could not give Bulgaria what she demanded even if the war should be decided in their favor. Germany could, and promised it. Moreover, the prestige of the German victories over Russia, empty as they were, and of the inability of the Allies in the west to do much more than hold the Germans in their trenches, naturally impressed Bulgaria with the idea that the German chance of ultimate victory was greater than that of the Allies.

Bulgaria's move, therefore, was not entirely unlooked for, and it should have been anticipated by the British home Government. With a stolidity and conceit quite characteristic, based apparently on the stupidity of German diplomacy rather than on the strength of Great Britain's own, the Home Office, if we may judge from what has not been done, has let the present situation fall on them as if it were entirely unexpected. It finds them unprepared to meet it.

Now all Britain, Government and press alike, seems to be affected with

blinded the British Admiralty to a military fact which has been recognized by military men since navies have existed. Naval operations against land forces cannot be successfully carried on without co-operation of the military on land. Churchill's navy was not amphibious but, believing that because of its great strength and efficiency it could alone conquer the Dardanelles, defenses, force the passage of the strait and take Constantinople, it was sent on the most impossible manoeuvres which a navy had ever attempted. The result was a foregone conclusion.

The Turks were warned that Constantinople was to be an objective of the Allies weeks before a soldier was landed, they had all that time to prepare their defenses and bring up their supplies and the allied fleet lost some of its most powerful ships of war. When the chance had passed, the Allies realized the hopeless futility of the navy operating alone. This error, like the failure to send the promised help to Belgium has cost the British Army hundreds of thousands of men, and the British Army is still in front of the Achi Baba position at Krithia where it has been for months. But whether the result is success or failure, the movement has justified itself not only by offsetting Turkish combination with the Teutons but by influencing Russia in the days of Russia's adversity when the undercurrent of Russian opinion was that Britain was not doing her part, and by influencing the Balkan States.

But Great Britain is alarmed, needlessly and hysterically alarmed, over the Eastern situation, and, while in this condition, may make a still more serious blunder. The report is current in London that the Allies are going to force Greece to make a decision, either to war with the Allies or with the Teutons, just as Germany forced Belgium to decide, and this in spite of the fall of the Venizelos Cabinet, in spite not only of the personal friendship but of the family relationship which exists between the Greeks to Serbia's aid provided England is sufficiently close to the temper of the Greek people to know that they would revolt rather than take up arms against the Entente. And this England cannot know. The very fact that they are forced may change the temper of a people over night. Greece neutral is less dangerous than Greece hostile. Probably, however, before her loss of peace can result in irreparable damage British equilibrium will be restored and the Government will be able to see the situation in its true proportions. The simple fact is this: whichever way the fortunes of war may go, the decision will not be reached either on the Nile, on the Red Sea, or at the Golden Horn, but in France or in Russia.

On both the eastern and western fronts, the situation is not displeasing to the Entente's sympathizers. Particularly is this true of the east, where the Russian future was looked at in fear and trembling. But the Russians, except at Riga, are more than holding their own, giving blows, somewhat harder than they are receiving, inflicting heavy punishment on the invaders and weekly capturing large numbers of prisoners. Just a month ago, the Germans, with plans carefully made and ready for execution, had the Russians apparently trapped in the triangle which has Vilna, Lida, and Moileczno for its vertices. There seemed no escape, and yet when the trap was sprung, when the Vilna salient was crushed in, the Russians

had escaped. This move having failed, the Germans then turned to Dyvinsk, a point of considerable strategic importance because of the fact that it is the junction of the Vilna-Petrograd road with the road to Riga, and the Germans need the road to Riga as they need its continuation all the way south to Rovno.

Against Dyvinsk were concentrated the forces that had been battling to trap the Russians in the Vilna salient, and in addition reinforcements were drawn from different parts of the line further south. From Sept. 25 to the latter part of last week the battle raged around the city. Then the Germans, after sacrificing an enormous number of men in the effort, found the tank beyond their strength and admitted their defeat by turning again to the Riga sector where they had abandoned a similar offensive some time before. It is against Riga that

their efforts during this past week have been exerted. The main elements of the Riga situation were described at length several weeks ago in these columns. It will be necessary therefore only to refer to them briefly.

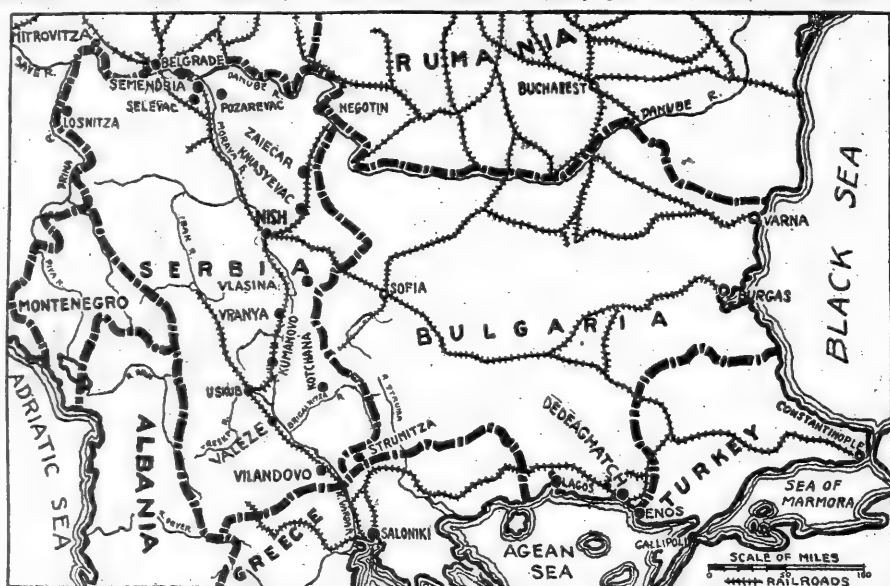
Riga is on the east bank and at the mouth of the Dvina River. From it three railroads radiate—one south to Mitau, paralleling a good dirt road, one southeast to Dyvinsk, and one northeast to Petrograd. On the west bank of the Dvina, about sixty miles from Riga, is the town of Friedrichstadt, constituting a bridgehead defending the crossing of the river. From Mitau a railroad runs due east joining the Riga-Vilna road at Jacobstadt. Between this road for a distance of forty miles there is a broad marsh belt varying in width from five to thirty miles, and between Riga and Friedrichstadt there is not a single road of any description running across this belt to the Vilna railroad. On the other side of the latter road there is also a complete absence of roads, the country being a hopeless tangle of hills, forests, and streams.

This is all there is to the position.

The Germans hold Friedrichstadt—have held it for some time, and hold also a small section of the railroad, but have been able to make but little advance beyond this point. They are also advancing along the Mitau-Jacobstadt railroad and have reached the town of Gross Eckau, about twenty miles from Mitau. The object of this advance is to reach the first dirt road that runs across the marsh belt toward the Dvina River, reaching it at Sennen, another bridgehead town, thirty miles from Riga.

The Germans are reported to have an almost overwhelming force operating in this section. At least a quarter of a million men. Official reports of the movement are neither specific nor clear. Apparently, however, the Germans are advancing somewhat, but it does not seem that the situation is any nearer a solution than it was some months ago when the first threat against Riga was in process of execution.

Interesting developments seem to be under way in Galicia as well as in other parts of the front from Dyvinsk south. In the present stage, however, any comment would be pure conjecture and the function of these articles is rather with things as they are than with things as they may be. A review of these sections of the front will therefore be deferred until next week when the situation has assumed a more tangible form.



The Serbian Battle Area, Showing the Strategic Railroad Lines.

one of their greatest natural strongholds.

Further south, in the valley of the Brigantia River, the Bulgarians are driving against the Saloniki railroad from Ystib, just twenty-five miles west of Strumitza. This operation may prove the most serious to the Allies of any of those now in progress. The taking of Vranja, while it cuts the most direct route from Saloniki to the Serbian fronts, still leaves open a railroad which, though it branches off considerably to the west, nevertheless reaches not only Nish, but also the Nish-Belgrade road at several points north of Nish. This railroad leaves the Nish-Saloniki road at Uskub some distance north of Ystib.

If, therefore, advancing from Ystib, the Bulgarians were able to reach the railroad and cut it south of Uskub, neither the British nor the French would be able to get reinforcements to the Serbian front at all. Moreover, the character of the country in this two places is very different. At Vranja the railroad runs through a valley and is entirely controlled from the heights on either side. It is impossible, therefore, to extend a front for the purpose of a general occupation of this section. South of Uskub, near

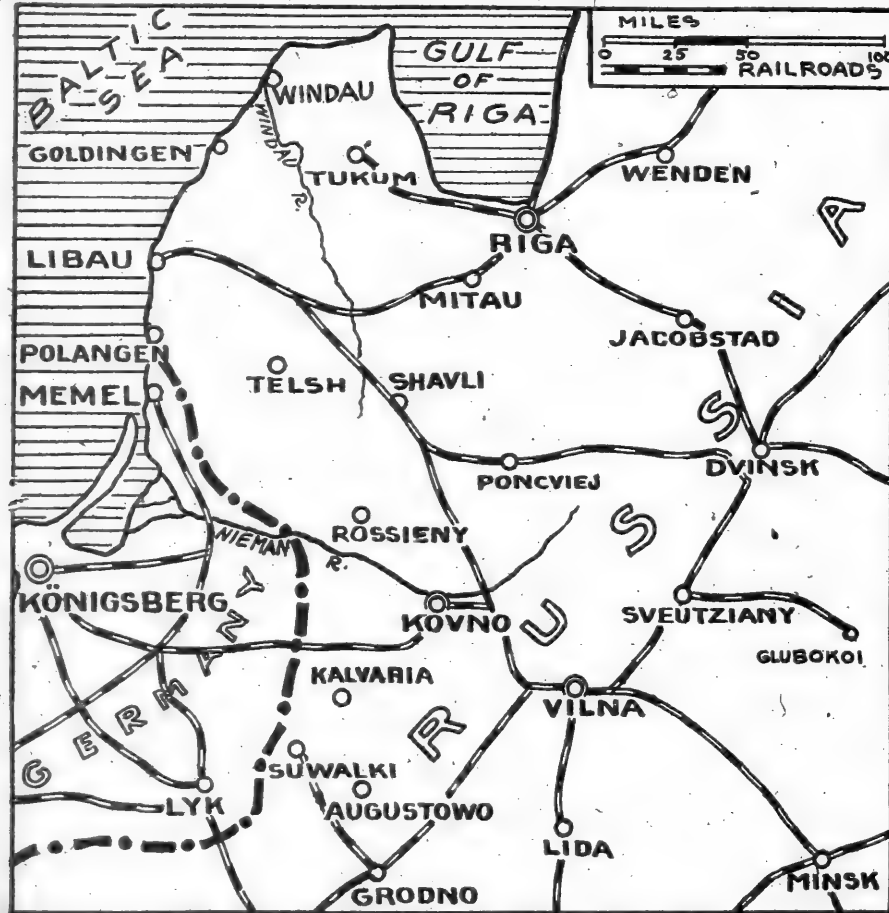
The Balkan puzzle seemed solved when Bulgaria entered the war, but, instead, this action only made it more difficult to find the solution.

Everything points to another blunder similar to the one committed in Belgium. In the case of Belgium, British reinforcements were promised to Belgium by a certain date, and the Belgians were requested to make every sacrifice in order to delay the invaders. At the last minute the promised troops were shifted south to France, and Belgium left to stem the tide alone. No reason was given; none has since been discovered why help was not sent to Belgium. But it was a stupid, inexcusable blunder, for which both British and French are now paying dearly with the lives of their soldiery.

Previous to the invasion of Serbia and the declaration of war by Bulgaria, the Allies made much of their readiness to assist the Serbs and of their ability to counteract the effect of Bulgaria's army in case Bulgaria should enter the war. They landed a number of troops at Saloniki, ostensibly for this purpose. But when the blow fell, Germany alone was prepared. It was no blunder on the part of British diplomacy that Bulgaria sided with the Teutons. The Allies

a sort of hysteria over the possible direful results that may follow. The British Cabinet is on the verge of disruption; the British Parliament is openly discussing the advisability of discontinuing the operations in the Dardanelles. It is obvious to those far away from local influence that the British judgment is warped by too great proximity to the trouble itself. To abandon the operations on Gallipoli might be a political blunder, in so far as it might affect Greece and Rumania, and the sentiment in Russia. From a military standpoint, the Dardanelles movement was never anything more than a side issue, an incident entirely subsidiary to the main issue. If given up now it may mean a possible loss in prestige, but no loss in military strength.

If the Allies had forced the passage of the strait the war would have been shortened undoubtedly, but it would not have been ended. Whether successful or not, the landing of a force has accomplished a purpose which completely justifies it from a military standpoint. It has completely neutralized Turkey and has occupied her entire attention almost from the day she joined the central powers. The original plan was of course an egregious blunder. Only British conceit



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PRICES OF PARIS CLOTHES NOW HIGHER THAN EVER

THE dressmakers who went to Paris for the Autumn and Winter models are still complaining over the high price of all such merchandise. The French designers explained the rise in price, if not in values, by the excuse that fabrics were exceedingly difficult to get and clothes were turned out at more cost.

That does not sound plausible, but no protests on the part of our buyers had any influence on the conditions; it was pay that price or leave the gowns, and no buyer could afford to do the latter after having risked his life to cross the ocean.

Everyone knows that the sewing women of Paris have been the object of almost unlimited charity from America, their plight was brought to the attention of those who had money to give by the various papers or concerns who had intimate dealings with this class of workers in France, and it is only natural to suppose that the sewing people there reaped quite a little harvest from the wild epidemic of fashion shows that swept our continent since last October.

There were several reasons for giving these shows, not all of which was charity, unless it was the kind that begins at home; but whatever the motive of self-aggrandizement or advertisement, the fact remains that America liberally supported the class in Paris that makes the models for the States.

Money Across the Sea. One magazine here had turned over \$20,000 in a few weeks last Winter and that was only one draft resulting from two entertainments; multiply this by the hundreds and you will form some idea of what went on across the seas. Now, judging from this constant performance the last twelve months, one would think that the midnights, the embroiderers, the cutters and fitters, would have been enchanted to get work for three months at their regular wages and that the mills which have so much material stored away, and the shops with thousands of yards of materials on their shelves since last September, would have sold the stock out at half price, if necessary.

Instead of that, everything was

raised in price. The buyers paid more for a gown made during this slack time of work than they did in the height of splendor in Paris, all on the excuse that workers and materials were to be paid more.

It makes little difference to the average American that Paris saw her opportunity to reap a harvest during the one-half season in order that she might not starve for three months; every country would do the same with the same opportunity, but what will happen to us if the already exorbitant prices for first-class clothes are raised?

Will we be able to have more than one frock? Won't one hat be compelled to do duty for all occasions? Won't the expensive dressmakers defeat their own aim, for American women are not compelled to buy as were the American buyers in Paris who went there for that purpose, and that only.

The safety spot lies in the department stores and the small simply priced specialty shops which are rising up like mushrooms. They produce copies of any French costume in less expensive fabrics at one-fifth the price, sometimes less.

Interesting Situation in Clothes.

The Autumn, which promised to be quite dull in the clothes department, struck a lively tune from the opening day, and anger, irritation, hope, discouragement followed each other in rapid succession among those whose business it is to supply the nation with its seasonable wearing apparel. Wall Street produced the first series of thrills. The overnight fortunes made there sounded like the old days to those who have luxuries to sell, such as Paris gowns and automobiles, square sapphires and Fragonards. Some one had rubbed Aladdin's lamp and the glow promised to bring the warmth of hope in the hearts of those who had been cast down for three years.

No more did people gather around and deplore the days when women ordered twelve gowns at \$350 apiece, and needed furs and jewels for each costume; they rubbed their hands and said among themselves with glee that if one man made a million in a week

in Wall Street, and brokers were

None of the New Fabrics Is Difficult to Obtain, Nor Are the Gowns Complicated, but Cost Continues to Soar—Most of the Fashions Not Yet Decided Upon.

fainting from overwork, and men who couldn't send their boys to school last Winter were now able to give them motor cars and suites in dormitories at expensive colleges, something out of this sudden affluence would come their way.

All through the dressmaking world there was an air of great expectation. A tiny bit of the old haughty manner came back, the manner that was acquired through dealing with multi-millionaires, the manner that was dampened and made limp by reverses of most of the rich in the last three years.

The air of anxiety that these brows had worn was smoothed into one of mastery. The past was to return. The coffers were to be full again. As one Fifth Avenue dressmaker of Continental renown put it: "Wall Street is our barometer. When speculation is rampant and quotations soaring, when the ticker is jumping up, up, up, then our sewing machines hum, the line of motors lengthens before our doors, we buy a better car for ourselves, and the receiving teller at the bank smiles at our bookkeepers."

The epoch outlined was on the eve of returning when October dawned. Then came the tailors' strike. They, too, saw prosperity breaking in the sky, and not waiting for it, they anticipated it by making demands for an increase, and then walked out in several large and arguing bodies.

How Women's Clothes Were Held.

So it happened that, at the very first flush of pink prosperity in the gray skies of depression, the dressmakers and shops were left without workers. Orders had passed expectation. Prices were going up, of course, as the dressmakers had intended they should do with the excuse of Paris that clothes must cost more on account of the scarcity of workers and fabrics, the larger amount of materials each garment needed, and the tax on human life occasioning by going through the war zone for the Paris models.

Then everything was left cold and dead by the strike. No one remained to finish a garment that was ordered. Instead of the motor cars increasing before the doors on Fifth Avenue, there was an increasing line of policemen, keeping in line groups of strikers. Women and men who had risked lives and gambled with thousands of dollars on the chance of presenting a vast variety of apparel to the American woman were wringing their hands and wondering how they were going to placate all those irritated and angry women who had ordered warm clothes for cold weather and couldn't get them.

The gray skies returned. The chance of making "a killing," as they express it, was dwindling away. It looked as though the hand of destiny was laid at their throats.

This was the condition in New York where the American fashions are set. Women were furious, to put it strongly. The shops reaped the benefit in selling ready-to-wear clothes which were excellent copies of all the new French clothes, the wider facilities of the large organizations enabling them to copy imports in half the time that the small and exclusive houses could do it.

Even this latter fact was an added thorn in the flesh of the dressmakers, for what use was it to provide expensive copies of French gowns if the same thing could be found by their clientele at half the price in large shops. They knew full well that every one should know that it is the perfection of the fit that makes or mars a good gown, and that it is not possible to get this in a frock that was made for the majority.

Maybe the dawn of wealth is only



TASSELS AND FUR BUTTONS.

Georgette suit model of blue velvet with large collar and cuffs of silver fox.

delayed, however, and we shall yet see a new and amazing condition crystallize in American affairs; also, the season and the clothes for it coming together. Now we are so forehanded that we wear straw hats with the first snow and furs with the first heat. We evidently like this piquant contrast between the thermometer and the fashions. We must like it or it would not have been possible for women to have gone about on days of record September heat in sealskin collars and muffs.

Fashions Still Swing To and Fro.

There is no settlement of the fashion question yet. Happily, the various styles which were brought over for our selection are swinging from one silhouette to another like a pendulum. There is reason to be happy about it, because it spells a certain degree of safety for the woman who knows what she wants and can find it in the heterogeneous assortment that is offered.

Some of the best American designers are insisting on the moderately narrow skirt, but the skirt of last Autumn is definitely done for and must

be shelved. The wide tunic over the skimpy underskirt belongs to a day that is done. The coats of last Autumn are not as hopeless as the skirts and bodices, but possibly it is easier to get a new suit than alter an old skirt.

However, no one can lay a finger on any one fashion and say it is the ruling one. There seems still to be uncertainty as regards the best fashion to choose for an established Winter style.

The cuirass bodice is one of the revived fashions that women greet with approval. It saves one the need of worry about the waistline. No matter what the new corsets are unable to do to flesh that has hardened into stubbornness, the mediaeval bodice, made of any cloth, hides a thick line and leaves the onlooker ignorant of the size of the waist beneath.

The metal cloth is preferred by

Jenny for these bodices and she uses them over voluminous skirts of tulle or lace. Sometimes the lace is of metal over a taffeta foundation, and the bodice is of heavily brocaded satin or velvet. Blue predominates as a color. Black is rarely used in this kind of a frock, although Premet has sent over a model with a white tulle skirt embroidered in rhinestones that has a bodice of black plush. This has straight lines at the side and the mediaeval décolletage, but it does not extend as low on the hips as most of these bodices do.

Doeuillet has sent over a remarkably good looking gown which has a pink velvet skirt with a train and a straight cuirass of colored crystals closely studded on net. There are no sleeves, merely shoulder straps. This bodice may have been suggested by one worn by the famous dancer, Otello, in Paris. She had asked her maid to make her a jeweled cuirass in order to display at one time all the gems that had been given her by various admirers.

This Doeuillet gown is too brilliant for the average woman and occasion; it must be worn by one who has enough personality to carry it off and to an occasion that is worthy of so much glitter.

The woman who wants to incorporate this kind of gown into her everyday wardrobe will find that black velvet and lace can be combined into an admirable afternoon frock, and broadcloth and velveteen can be used for a street frock.

Variations on the High Collar.

The epidemic of coachman's collars which came into fashion with the high crown postilion hat have been so commonly worn that a large number of women have insisted that furriers and dressmakers should invent something else. The consequence is that all kinds of chin-enveloping collars have made their appearance.

Georgette has a wonderfully successful suit of king's blue velvet with a partly pleated skirt over which is a knee-length coat, owing its distinction to an exaggerated version of the high



DANCING FROCK BY PREMET.

Bodice of black plush and tulle skirt embroidered in beads and brilliants.

turnover collar that we have borrowed from the costumery of men during the French and the American revolutions. Nearly all the cuffs used on these coats are large enough to serve as a muff, and it is quite the fashion now for women to slip their hands into their sleeves, Chinese fashion.

On this blue velvet model the cuffs and collar are of silver fox, but it has been copied for everyday use in rough homespun with collar and cuffs of lynx.

Bernard has projected a popular suit into the Autumn costumery which is made of black velvet with white fox collar and cuffs. The skirt is mod-

erately narrow, the coat extravagant-ly full from the waist down. The collar is the chief feature of the coat. It is high enough to reach the hat in coats the back and deep enough to cover the shoulder at sides and back and reach to the one huge button that marks the waistline.

This collar is significant because it marks a new era in neckwear; each week the collar to a coat assumes the proportion of a cape; it stands well away from the neck and is strongly reminiscent of the end of the eighteenth century. This is a good point to watch well. It is bound to develop.

FASHION'S FADS AND FOIBLES

WHITE crêpe de chine blouse of the newest cut shows eyelid embroidery, quite like that worked on a Madeira tea napkin, worked in white silk on sleeves and front.

One of the new blouses is made of plaid taffeta, with straps and pockets of heavy blue serge, trimmed with buttons.

Children's hats, with down-turning brims, are trimmed with a band of braid or silk and a long tassel hangs down at one side.

Plaid ribbons, in bright colors, are shown in the shops. They are used for trimming hats, and frocks as well.

A pretty belt is made of white kid with strips of colored silk drawn through slits in the kid to make a plaid.

Tiny gilt buttons are used for trimming blouses of chiffon and also of fine colored linen.

Wide stripes, even wider than awning width, in silk are made into trousers diagonally, both sleeves running diagonally in the same direction.

and skirt and bodice made on the same basis.

Beads play an important part in hat trimming. On one hat they are embroidered on in the shape of a lizard—beads of a bronze-green shade.

Brown in many shades is fashionable this Autumn.

A big black velvet hat, tilted at just the right angle, trimmed with a single pink rose, is decidedly smart.

A blouse of black chiffon is made with a V-line in front, but with a

band of fur fastened about the throat, and above the fur band stiffened points of bright green satin.

White chinchilla coats are worn on cold days in the mountains and they are decidedly smart. Some of them have wide fur hems, in white, and some are trimmed with wide white silk braid.

A hat with a black velvet crown and a double brim of thin crêpe stretched on a wire frame is banded about the crown with a strip of heavy ribbon, ending in a bow at the back.



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Doeuillet model with jeweled bodice and old rose velvet skirt.



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IN THE PLAYHOUSES OF NEW YORK



SECOND THOUGHTS ON FIRST NIGHTS

Ethel Barrymore
and "Our Mrs. McChesney."

ETHEL BARRYMORE, looking uncommonly handsome, came back to town last Tuesday evening. The joyful occasion was the presentation before an impressive audience at the Lyceum Theatre of "Our Mrs. McChesney," obviously a dramatization of the short stories which have added so materially to the fame and fortune of Edna Ferber. As the traveling saleswoman of those stories, Miss Barrymore is most charming, and it is scarcely a matter for astonishment that the Lyceum has been sold out ever since.

It is impossible to speak of the play itself with enthusiasm. Here is a dramatic effort of no importance, and however delightful the appearance of Miss Barrymore in the leading role, that appearance is inevitably received with mingled feelings. You may feel a certain gratitude at the sight of such scanty and trivial material thus immeasurably enhanced, the while you experience a keen regret at the thought of so gifted an actress devoting a month of her time, let alone an entire season, to anything short of the best there is in the theatre.

We are indeed wasteful of the talents of the few actresses of the first rank who grace the American stage. It is scandalous economy which lets nearly three years pass without a single appearance of Mrs. Fiske on Broadway and that suffers Laurette Taylor to be confined to one rôle for four whole seasons. Elsie Ferguson, Frances Starr, Grace George, Margaret Anglin, Ethel Barrymore—there are not so many more than these. It is not a big company. They are too few and life is too short for one who really loves the theatre to see without a pang any one of them frittering away a single season.

It is an agreeable experience, then, to see Miss Barrymore as Emma McChesney. Of course it is. But there are many actresses who could meet the requirements of the rôle, and there are precious few in England or America who could even approach the superb performance which Ethel Barrymore gave at the Empire last season as the unloved woman in "The Shadow."

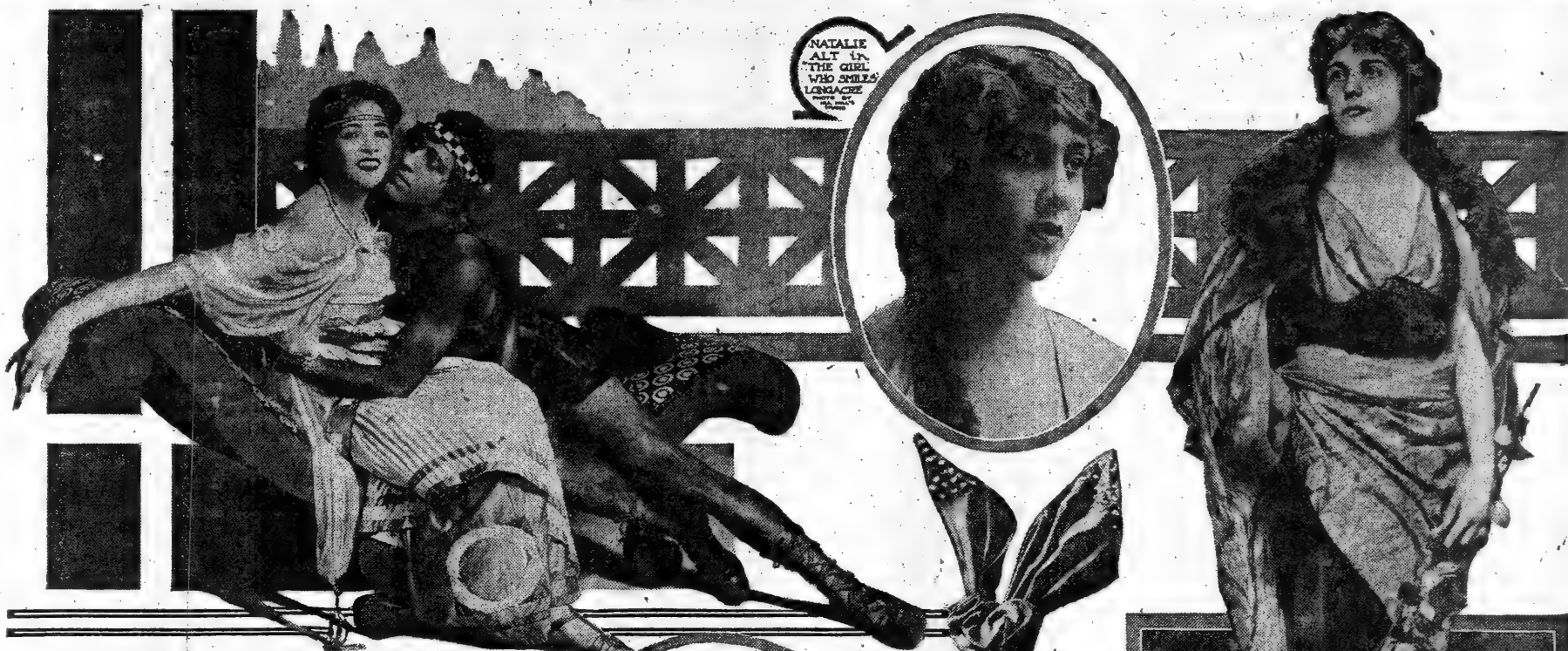
Be sure Miss Barrymore makes "Our Mrs. McChesney" good entertainment. Be sure she brings to it something more than beauty, radiant charm, and vocal sorcery. She expends it, it is true, little or no effort in characterization—far too little, as a matter of fact, although some light on this point is cast by Miss Ferber's own appreciation of Miss Barrymore, which is printed elsewhere on this page. But

to the one or two moments in the play that invite it she brings that genuine emotion which is acting in its best estate. Ethel Barrymore is a born actress, and this is true not because she comes of a tribe of famous players nor because with the passing years she has mastered the technique of her profession, but because she possesses to a rare degree what a thousand and one writers on things theatrical have taken refuge in calling the real fire. If ever in an idle moment you have foolishly said that Miss Barrymore brings only a pleasing personality to a part, go to the Lyceum and watch her work in the scene where she hears her boy is suspected of thieving, where she rallies her faith to his aid and is able to meet him soon with the charge disproved. Watch this, wipe your eyes, and then write your letter of object apology. It is rather too bad that the play has so very few such opportunities as this.

It is, unfortunately, a somewhat gawky and incoherent play which Miss Ferber and Mr. Hobart have made from the Emma McChesney stories, but the text is kept bright by Miss Ferber's own observant, kindly, and unflagging humor.

A comparison between the dramatization and the original stories offers an occasional illuminating instance of how surely your author coarsens and cheapens a situation for the stage. For instance, one is permitted to guess that one of the threads in the first act can be traced back to a certain story called something like "Under the High-Cut Vest," which demonstrated that the heart of Mrs. McChesney's son was in the right place, after all. It was a poignant study in maternal heartache, the dreary picture of Emma in a deary hotel where, while her son was tramping off on some party of his own, she waited alone through the college vacation she had joyfully anticipated spending with him. In the play Emma comes to join the boy, only to find that he has raised a check of hers and invested the proceeds in an impromptu marriage with a chorus girl.

There is no reason on earth why the Emma McChesney stories should not be worked into a comedy of the finest quality. Indeed, such a short story series, made coherent by the recurrence of an interesting and winning character, should present the dramatist with an easier task than the dramatization of a novel. The man who would make a play from a novel is inevitably bound hand and foot by a plot that more often than not is little suited to the confines or requirements of the



Noel Haddon and Harold Meltzer in
"Helena's Husband" Washington Sq. Players
Bandbox

stage. A short story series, however, leaves him freer. It gives him characters and color and then only a book full of incidents to use or discard at will.

The short story series of the variety has been tempting from the days of "Chimmie Fadden." "Sherlock Holmes" is a good example of the clever use of such material. "Wallingford" and "Potash & Perlmutter" offer more recent illustration of what popular success may attend such a venture. Last season saw the Corde-

lia Blossom stories go to disaster on the stage. If you look close enough you will find a short story series in the beginnings of the delightful "Young America," and even now Boston is witnessing the play made from the Judge Priest stories of the amiable Irvin Cobb. The blessed Old Chester tales, however, have remained on the shelf save as they aided in the stage version of "Helena Ritchie," and one is permitted to hope that at least the mighty adventures of Master Penrod Scofield will never be turned to the uses of the theatre.

THORNY PATH TO BROADWAY

THE road that leads to Broadway proved a long and tedious one for Otto Kruger, the pleasing juvenile of "Young America," whose performance as the young husband in one of the joys of the new season, Mr. Kruger trained for a place on the street of the midnight sun through years of hard work in stock and repertoire in the Middle West.

He began his stage career in Toledo, Ohio, where he was born, as a member of a stock company.

"I offered myself for better or for worse or for nothing," he says, "and was taken on those terms."

From stock he drifted into repertoire, playing with various companies over the Stair & Havlin circuit, a chain of theatres which begins up-State and loops out through the Middle West as far as Kansas City. In one of these companies he was up in thirteen plays, ready to go on in any one of them at a moment's notice, which he was often called upon to do, since the bill was never announced far ahead. Once he jumped from one company to another, and in the repertoire of the new company there was not one play of the thirteen he had learned for the other.

"All the time," Mr. Kruger said the other night in his dressing room at the Gaiety, "I was looking forward to the

time when I would get a chance on Broadway. I stayed away purposely for several years because I felt I wasn't ready yet. Finally I decided I was equipped to try it and when an offer came through an agent to come and play George Probert's rôle of the cadet in "The Lure" I jumped here, saw the play one night, learned the part and went on the next night. So at the beginning my stock and repertoire training stood me in good stead, for there were seventy-four sides to the part. Mr. Probert did not want to go to Chicago and that was why I got the chance. I played in Chicago and came back here after the run there.

"A year ago last June a special performance of Charles Sumner's play, 'The Natural Law,' was announced for the Fulton Theatre. It was a 'for sale' performance arranged so the managers could see the piece, and as such performances give new players an excellent opportunity of showing what they can do there were plenty to volunteer their services.

"I was fortunate enough to please the author to a degree sufficient to have him stipulate in the contract that the play could not be produced without me in the part I created. The same was true of Miss Holmes. Then the hardest thing I have ever had to do came. It

was a gamble whether the play would ever be produced. I knew if it should be my long-looked-for chance would come. I could not run the risk of taking a long engagement out of town, so all there was for it was to sit and wait, with a fine chance of starving during the process.

"I waited from June until the following April, and while 'The Natural Law' did not have a long run it gave me a Broadway hearing and my present rôle."

Mr. Kruger is a University of Michigan man. He was in school with Norman Hackett, an actor popular on the repertoire circuits of the West, and at one time the two acted in the same company.

Lectures on French Drama. A feature of the new season at the Théâtre Français will be a series of lectures or conferences to be given Monday mornings in preparation for the performances of literary plays Friday afternoons. These will be conducted along the lines of the conferences at the Odéon, Vaudeville and Femina theatres in Paris.

FASHION SHOW ON ICE.

Many Novelties at St. Nicholas Rink This Winter.

The St. Nicholas Ice Skating Rink will begin its twenty-second year next Saturday night. With the waning popularity of dancing and the introduction of the ice ballet at the Hippodrome ice skating bids fair to be something of a fad this winter.

Already several adaptations of modern dances have been made to be executed on skates. The ice waits, the snowball trot, the frosty hesitation, the ten-below tango, and the polar bear hug are some of the ice dances. One of the novel features will be a fashion exhibit in which skaters will wear furs, outing costumes, and skating dance gowns.

At the Century.

Singer's Midgels, a troupe of eighteen Lithuanian players, will take part in the concert tonight at the Century. Will Rogers, Lew Horn, Croes and Josephine, and Adelaide and Hughes will contribute to the bill.

Anna Held
Palace.

The First-Night Calendar.

"SHERMAN WAS RIGHT"—A new farce by Frank Mandel, with Hale Hamilton, Tuesday night in the Fulton Theatre.
"DER IDEALE GATTE"—Oscar Wilde's comedy acted in German, with Arnold Korff in the rôle of Lord Goring, Wednesday night in the Irving Place Theatre.

ANOTHER war play will be produced this week. It is called "Sherman Was Right," and differs from most of its predecessors in that it is farce and not more serious drama. Frank Mandel is the author of the play.

The farce is founded on a news item of March 11, 1915, which told of the converted cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich being interned at Newport News with 350 passengers captured from neutral vessels. The complications begin when John Smith, a New York broker, Teutonizes his name to Johann Schmitt for the sake of winning the love of a girl with decidedly German sympathies. The real Johann Schmitt, engaged in making munitions for the German Government, enters the plot and naturally things begin to happen.

H. H. Frazer is sponsor for Mr. Mandel's farce, and for the principal rôle he has chosen that expert and pleasing farceur of other Frazer productions, Hale Hamilton. With Mr. Hamilton will be seen Dorothy Dorr, Dodson Mitchell, Jean Shelby, Sam Sidman, George Lawrence, Ernest Cosart, Suzanne Wills, Regine Wallace, and Marvin Alsop.

The first performance will be given Tuesday night in the Fulton Theatre.

Oscar Wilde's comedy, "Der ideale Gatte," will be the offering of the German stock company at the Irving Place Theatre this week. Arnold Korff, the visiting star from the Hofburg-Theatre, Vienna, will stage the play and will appear in the rôle of Lord Goring. Jenny Vallere, Richard Felt, Heinrich Mathias, Emil Rub Foerster, Hertha Schoenfeld, Aranka Eben, Gustav Paul Schuetz, Iffi Engel, Willy Frey, and Henry Falk will be others in the cast. "Der ideale Gatte" will be given Wednesday night. The first two nights of the week Schoenher's interesting play, "Der Weibsteufel," will be acted.

David Bispham will repeat his performance of "Adelaide" tomorrow and Tuesday afternoon in the Harris Theatre. A performance was originally announced for this afternoon, but the action of the Sabbath Society necessitated changing the date. Mr. Bispham

has studied the statute under which the society acted and finds nothing in it against making an announcement today.

AT OTHER THEATRES.

STANDARD—"The Show Shop," James Forbes's amusing comedy of stage life, originally acted last season at the Hudson, with Zella Sears and George Sidney in the rôles they created.

YORK—"The Law of the Land," George Broadhurst's melodrama, seen last year in the Forty-eighth Street Theatre, with Adelaide French in Julia Dean's original rôle, and Coates Gwynne, Frank Stirling, Joseph Merrick, and A. T. Hendon in principal parts.

LEXINGTON—"The Natural Law," a melodrama by Charles Sumner, first presented last Spring in the Republic Theatre, the cast including Julie Herne, Teresa Maxwell Conover, Howard Hall, and Conrad Nagel.

BRONX OPERA HOUSE—"The Hauerbach-Primi musical comedy, 'High Jinks,' in which Emma Trentini was the prima donna when it was first presented.

COLUMBIA—George Stone and Etta Fildard at the head of the Social Mads company in a new burlesque production.

YORKVILLE—"The Frolics of 1915," a revue of last season's Broadway successes, with Arthur Connelly, Frank Wesson, and Anna Healey as the stars.

GARRICK—"The Blue Ribbon Girls" in two burlesques "At Palm Beach," and "Panama Frolics."

EDEN MUSEE—"The World in Wax" in the crypt and Kinemacolor pictures and band concerts in the concert hall.

Frappe Band Music, Charlotte and her companions of the skating scene, "Firing at St. Moritz" will appear at the Hippodrome tonight as a feature of the Sousa concert. Orville Harrold, Belle Storey, Nat M. Wills, Virginia Root, and Herbert L. Clarke will be the soloists. The Mirambe Band will also play.

Topping the Vaudeville Bills.

PALACE—Anna Held in a program of four new songs written for her in Paris and encores of some of her old favorites; the first appearance in vaudeville of David Sapirstein, the pianist; Harry Fox and Yansci Dolly making their last appearance together in vaudeville for the present; Amelia Stone and Armand Kalisz in an opera bouffe, "Mon Desir."

COLONIAL—Desiree Lubowska in Oriental dances; George Whiting and Sadie Burt in their offering, "Songsaysings"; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Barry in a rural playlet called "The Rube"; Fred V. Bowers and company in a song revue.

ALHAMBRA—Evelyn Nesbit and Jack Clifford in dances and a few songs; George McKay and Otis Ardine in a singing and talking skit which they call "On Broadway"; "Into the Light," a psychological fantasy by Frank Lyman, with Charlotte Parry in the principal part.

AMERICAN ROOF—Frank Bush, teller of tales; Charles Bachman and company in a dramatic sketch entitled "Blind Man's Buff"; the Melody Four in comedy and song.

HATS OFF TO THE BUSINESS WOMAN!

By EDNA FERBER.

Edna Ferber, with the assistance of George V. Hobart, has taken her widely known short stories of the traveling saleswoman and evolved therefrom a three-act comedy. This is called "Our Mrs. McChesney," and it was presented to New York last Tuesday evening at the Lyceum Theatre. Ethel Barrymore plays the leading rôle, and all signs point to a most prosperous engagement.

LADY—A woman of good breeding, education, and refinement of mind.

That's the Webster. Also, it's Emma McChesney. Incidentally, it is a definition of any one of those clever, capable, hard-working, quick-thinking blue-serve women who in the last ten years have shown themselves capable of earning between \$5,000 and \$15,000 a year in the business world. It's a cruel, dizzy, devil-take-the-hindmost sort of planet, that business world, and it revolves at the rate of a mile a minute. And I rise to remark that any woman who can keep her head and her salary in the midst of the whirl of it has got to have breeding, education, and refinement. Just as it is the college-bred, technically trained man who is commanding the five-figure salary today, so it is the well-read, intelligent, cultured, and low-voiced woman who is to be found busily engaged on the other side of that mahogany door marked "Private."

Six months ago Miss Ethel Barrymore, this country's foremost actress, who has played everything from a scrubwoman in "The Silver Box" to a paralytic in "The Shadow," announced that she would take the part of a traveling saleswoman in a play built around the Emma McChesney stories.

There arose a howl. Out of the hoarsest of it could be heard the words "Vulgar! Slangy! Common! Unrefined!" But Miss Barrymore, blessed with the Barrymore intelligence, knew better. She knew, as does any one who has been fortunate enough to meet one of those twentieth century American business women, that she would be called upon to portray a person of charm, poise, level-headedness, and quiet assurance. She knew that those ignorant ones who expected a slangy,

breazy, hello-kid type were going to be disappointed. And they were. And they deserved to be.

Some of those who have seen Miss Barrymore in "Our Mrs. McChesney" have said that it is impossible to tell where Emma McChesney begins and Ethel Barrymore stops. Which is as it should be.

"I shan't be playing a part in this," Miss Barrymore said, when she decided to play Emma. "For the first time in my life I'll be able to act, and talk, and walk, and dress just as I do every day of my life. I'll be taking the part of an American woman possessed of brains, and initiative, and a taste in clothes. It's going to be great fun."

They're as modern as the Woolworth Building, these business women of today. But they're as wholesome, and sane, and womanly as their mothers or grandmothers before them. You'll find them at the heads of departments, you'll find them as foreign buyers, you'll find them selling goods on the road, in insurance of-

fices, in real estate offices. Quiet, capable, well-dressed, poised. I love them. I like their humor. I admire their courage. They know so much about life, which means that they are so tolerant of men and women. Knowledge doesn't sour them. It mellows them. They're sympathetic and human and lovable. Show me a successful business woman between 30 and 40 years of age, and I'll show you as charming, and witty, and broad-minded and companionable a woman as there is in the world. Slang? She doesn't use it, though her vocabulary is crisp and brisk and entertaining. Vulgar? She's as far removed from it as any of her non-working sisters.

A year ago last August I returned from Europe just one jump ahead of the war. Two days after sailing from Southampton war was declared, and in twenty-four hours everybody on shipboard was talking to everybody else. The news united the entire passenger list. Among those on board was a woman of about 37, tall, dignified, charm-

TO BE CONTINUED

Play	Playhouse	Presented
Birth of a Nation (film)	Liberty	March 3
The Girl Who Smiles	Longacre	Aug. 9
The Boomerang	Belasco	Aug. 10
Under Fire	Hudson	Aug. 12
Chin-Chin (second year)	Globe	Aug. 16
Rolling Stones	Harris	Aug. 17
Common Clay	Republic	Aug. 26
Young America	Gaiety	Aug. 28
The House of Glass	Candler	Sept. 1
Battle Cry of Peace (film)	Vitagraph	Sept. 9
Hit-the-Trail Holiday	Astor	Sept. 13
Ned Wayburn's Town Topics	Century	Sept. 23
The New York Idea	Playhouse	Sept. 28
The Princess Pat	Cort	Sept. 29
Hip Hip Hooray	Hippodrome	Sept. 30
Four Playlets	Bandbox	Oct. 4
Miss Information	Cohan	Oct. 5
Sherlock Holmes	Empire	Oct. 11
Our Mrs. McChesney	Lyceum	Oct. 19



Elsie Janis in "Miss Information"—Cohan.

ON THE STAGE AND ON THE SCREEN

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THE GILBERT MEMORIAL

A MEMORIAL to Sir W. S. Gilbert has been unveiled in London. It is a bronze medallion bearing a profile relief of Gilbert's head and shoulders, on either side the figures of Comedy and Tragedy, and an inscription which reads: "W. S. Gilbert, 1836-1911. Playwright and Poet. His foe was folly and his weapon wit."

The medallion is the work of Sir George Frampton, R. A., and has been added to the group of sculpture in the Thames Embankment Gardens, in the shadow of the Adelphi Terrace, and about 200 yards from the memorial to Sir Arthur Sullivan. This is a marble pedestal about six feet high, crowned with a bust of the composer. At the base lies a mandolin, and leaning against the shaft is the half-draped figure of a woman in bronze. One arm is outstretched above her head, and in the other her face is hidden.

In a recent issue of Musical America Wallace L. Crowley has written interestingly of a visit he once made to the famous librettist. "I know only too well," writes Mr. Crowley, "what Gilbert would have had to say about it, if he had not lost his life that cold morning in his private bathing lake at Harrow Weald. He would have said that, like the report of Mark Twain's death, it was 'much exaggerated.' I never knew any one quite so difficult to flatter as Gilbert. And he was notoriously difficult to interview. The Pall Mall Gazette tried hard one winter, and at last this from his secretary: 'Sir W. S. G. writes to say that if you will send along that ugly looking chap who does your music stuff so badly, on Christmas Day, at 2 o'clock, he will give him a man-of-war quart d'heure.' Pleasant outlook for me! London to Harrow Weald, on the bleak Middlesex fringe of greater London, just as my Christmas turkey was at its zenith, with snow thrown in. The public doesn't care an idle where you get your material, so long as you get it, so, just to spite the spiteful Savoyards, I went. And he gave me a two-

hour talk, a rippin' lunch and a glass of old Tokay, the memory of which lingers with me yet. And then drove me, not into the cold, cold blast as I deserved, but up the hill to Bushey and to Sir Hubert Herkomer, R. A., and to a feast of art criticism which in all my experiences I had never met before and only once since. (This subsequent event was a courtesy exchange of deep philosophy and subtle badinage between the late Dr. Francis Hueffer, the great critic of the Times, then the leading Wagner protagonist in this country, and the excitable Gounod, to whom Wagner was then anathema.)

"But everything approaching publicity Gilbert hated, and I have been told that one of the things which contributed to the regrettable split between the Savoyards—all three gathered to their fathers—was D'Oyly Carte's methods of obtaining publicity. Sir Arthur Sullivan was much too gentle to protest against anything. "Fine as the memorial in bronze may be, the most remarkable thing is that, as the years roll by, the Gilbert and Sullivan operas grow in public favor, and it—as is manifest—we have no national grand opera, we have a very distinct and distinguished light opera which is entirely our own. No other native product of the same character has held the stage so long. History has always been kind to the efforts of these two gifted hands; that is to say that at intervals during the thirty-five years since the first of these works saw the light, something has occurred from time to time to give point to their satire when directed at some social weakness. The truth is they belong to all time.

"When, on Monday week, the D'Oyly Carte Company, performing the Gilbert and Sullivan operas, opened a fortnight's season at the Kensington Theatre, in a not very aristocratic suburb of London, the house was filled from floor to ceiling. The thirty-year-old 'Mikado' was chosen for the occasion, and it was as fresh and as fascinating as on the occasion of its first representation."

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SOUSA HAS LED HIS BAND MORE THAN 700,000 MILES

The Journeys Were Made in Short Marches, Which He Wrote, Played, and Heard in Every Corner of the World.

SOUSA and his band have come home to roost. After twenty-four years of wandering about the globe, during which time they have covered more than 700,000 miles, the March King and his men have settled down in the Hippodrome for the winter. In that mammoth playhouse of gargantuan spectacles the band provides a brief musical interlude in which measures of some of the most popular of the Sousa marches are mingled with snatches of other familiar American melodies.

The days when "Manhattan Beach" and "The Washington Post" occupied the place on the piano ledge now filled by Irving Berlin's "When I Leave the World Behind," or Jerome Kern's "The Land of Let's Pretend," and when every village band began its weekly concert in the courthouse square with "Semper Parado," and ended with "The Stars and Stripes Forever," may be gone, but they are not forgotten, as is evidenced by the bursts of applause that greet the first notes of every swinging march in the medley that accompanies the ballet of the States.

Sousa stands there, a little more of him than in earlier years, the waxed mustache and pointed beard a trifle grayer, but otherwise the same graceful, commanding figure. His arm swing in unison from the shoulder sockets with the precision of a metronome in the characteristic Sousa sweep, and the music rolls forth as if the movements released it.

When the bandmaster had changed from his regimentals to his "civils" the other day he sat and talked about marches and music generally. "Music, like other things," he said, "goes in cycles. For a period marches will be the prevailing form, then their popularity will wane and ballads will follow, or perhaps, the waltz, ragtime, or some other form of music. Then the cycle revolves and eventually repeats itself."

"In each phase of the cycle there will be some particular rhythm that is more popular than the others, that will be heard almost to the exclusion of all others. Of course there is always a place for the inspirational composition, and no matter what the prevailing rhythm may be, an inspired piece of music of any other form will be welcomed. The thing the real composers have to contend with is the imitators who spring up and with their uninspired imitations of the popular mode blunt the popular taste for the compositions of real merit. Finally the public suffers from curricular fatigue, and when the imitations die they die all over."

"How did it happen that you special-

ized in marches?" the reporter asked. "I think I must have got the inspiration in my boyhood days," Mr. Sousa replied. "As a boy I lived in Washington—I was born in the '50s—and the capital in those days was practically an armed camp. The days and nights were filled with marching troops, and the sight and sound of them left their impress on my youthful mind."

"You know I didn't begin as a bandmaster. That came about quite accidentally. I was a violinist and played in the orchestra that toured with Offenbach on his first visit to America. It was about '89 that I was musical conductor for Mr. Mackay, now one of the mainstays of the Actors' Fund, who was producing in the Chestnut Street Theatre in Philadelphia. I had written the music for a piece he had produced, and was conducting the orchestra one night when Colonel Charles G. McCauley, Commandant of the Marine Corps, who was in the city on his annual tour of inspection of the Navy, visited the theatre."

"He saw me conduct, and when he returned to Washington he called on my father and said: 'Sousa, I saw a young man with your name leading the orchestra in Philadelphia. Is he any relation to you?' My father replied that the young man was his son, whereupon Colonel McCauley said he wanted me for conductor of the Marine Band. Negotiations were begun; I could not leave, but I was about to go on tour, but when we got to Kansas City I got a substitute and went to Washington."

"I remained there as leader of the Marine Band for twelve years. During that time I wrote many of the marches that were largely responsible for the march vogue of the '90s. While I had studied the violin principally I had some knowledge of all the other instruments, and I took a great interest in the new work."

"I had written my first march, called 'Resumption,' named for the resumption

of specie payments, in '78, and after I took charge of the band others followed in rapid succession. In all I have written a hundred marches, and of these at least fifty are known throughout the world. When I went around the world at the head of my own organization the strains of 'The Stars and Stripes Forever' or 'Semper Parado' would invariably be greeted with applause of recognition whether we were playing in England, Germany, Sulu, or Africa. General Miles told me that once he stood with the Sultan watching the Turkish troops pass in review and as they passed the Sultan's stand the bands played 'The Liberty Bell' in Germany, France, and England some of the marches were often used by the army bands."

The reporter, to whom the writing of music has always seemed a gift of the gods beyond the power of ordinary mortals, asked Mr. Sousa what his method of composition was. "When I think of a subject," he said, "I sit down and write till finally I have the melody complete. Then I set it down on paper. I could write notes off by the yard and the music would be melodically correct, but you would never listen to it. Sometimes it comes quickly and easily, and again I have to keep at it for a long time. I often think there is something beyond me that furnishes the power, the inspiration to compose, and that this same mysterious something prepares the public mind for the new piece."

"I labored over 'King Cotton' for months before it finally came, while 'The Stars and Stripes Forever' was written in a week. That was the result of longing for my own country. I had been abroad with the band and was pretty homesick, and when I finally got aboard the Teutonic the strains of the march began to form themselves. I paced the deck for hours with battalions of soldiers marching through my brain. By the time we reached the Statue of Liberty 'The Stars and Stripes Forever' was ready to be transcribed. It bears the date Dec. 25, 1896. I think of all my marches I consider it the best, as it is the most popular."

"Then there was 'The Washington Post.' That newspaper was conducting an essay contest among the school children of the capital, and on the day of the award thousands of the entrants were to gather at the White House grounds. The Marine Band was to play, and my friend Frank Hutton, one of the proprietors of the paper, said he would be my friend for life if I would write something for the occasion. So I wrote the piece and dedicated it to the paper. It proved an instantaneous success. It so happened that the dancing masters had a new dance they had been trying to popularize which the composition just fitted, and the two-step and 'The Washington Post' came into popular favor together. The music became so closely identified with the two-step that in Germany the dance is known as the post. They didn't know what the title meant over there and I have been dancing programs with little pictures of a coach and four, which was their idea of it."

"What of ragtime, and will the march ever come back?" Mr. Sousa was asked. "As long as there are marching men or suffragists," he answered, "the march will be popular. As for ragtime, it, like the poor, is always with us, always has been. It is not alone of America, for the rhythm of ragtime is to be found in the music of many countries. It is syncopation, and that is an old form of rhythm."

"But ragtime is characteristically American, because it expresses so well the humor of the American character. Your American is essentially a sunshine animal. He will tell you that the country is going to the dogs, and will predict utter ruin for Mr. So and So is elected. But the moment he is elected he forgets all about it, and is as cheerful as before. So the syncopated rhythm of ragtime with its inherent comedy reflects the American nature, and we find it the form in vogue today."

"Ragtime suffers through having an unfortunate name. It is really a bright composition that should have a name suggestive of diamonds or satin, and not rags. Shakespeare's rose by any name might smell as sweet, but ragtime with another name unquestionably would sound sweeter to certain highbrows and sensitive souls whom its lowly name offends."

"It was in 1892 that David Blakeley persuaded me I was well enough known to have a band of my own. The band I organized then I have led to most of the countries of the world in which there are English-speaking people. There are still three men in the organization who have covered the 700,000 miles with me."

KNICKERBOCKER—"The Martyrs of the Alamo," a Griffith film; Julia Dean in "Matrimony"; Ford Sterling in "In His Father's Footsteps"; Robeco Arbuckle in "Pickle Patti's Fall."

GLOBE—Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Castle in "The Whirl of Life," at special matinees.

PARK—Twilight Sleep films.

STRAND—Blanche Ring in "The Yankee Girl."

BROADWAY—Blanche Sweet in "The Secret Sin."

SIXTH STREET—Mike Donlin in "Right Off the Bat."

ACADEMY OF MUSIC—Frederick Perry in "The Family Stain."

RIVERSIDE—Valeska Suratt in "The Soul of Broadway."

PROCTOR'S 23D STREET—Feature photodramas.

WEBER'S—German war pictures.

QUITE novel and decidedly amusing was the new photoplay exposed to private view last Tuesday morning at the Broadway Theatre, the first output of a company bearing the mysterious name Kulee. This sounds as if it might be the registered title of a corporation formed to do the business of a Chinese laundry on a large scale, but it is really the name of a new film-producing company. Its first photoplay is novel in that a notable array of stars from the fairly legitimate stage aided in its preparation. It was called "How Molly Made Good." It might have been called "Little Journeys to the Homes of Famous Players," as it might have been called "Wild Life on the Tribune."

The actors assisting were Leo Dittichstein, Robert Edeson, Julia Dean, May Robson, Cyril Scott, Julian Eltinge, Lulu Glaser, Henrietta Crozman, Henry Kolker, Charles J. Ross, and Mabel Benton. The scheme was to show them in their respective homes, and as they don't live in a neighborhood group at St. James, but are scattered exasperatingly over the territories of Westchester, Connecticut, Long Island, and New Jersey, the camera had to travel a good deal.

To take them all in, a special scenario was constructed by Burns Mantle, dramatic editor of The Evening Mail. He might have had these thespian homes visited by a traveling insurance agent, or by a roaming burglar, and so evolved "Little Journeys to the Second Stories of Famous Actors." But he selected a reporter as a properly reckless heroine, a little Irish girl assigned to an endless chain interview, who goes through the most harrowing experiences while assembling her story.

That is where The Tribune comes in. From time to time you see Molly tramping past the statue of Horace Greeley, but it is firmly believed that the incorrigibly romantic interior was devised in a studio and not found anywhere along Park Row.

An advertisement altered the career of Marguerite Clayton, the pretty blonde heroine of Essanay's "Broncho Billy" photoplays. Miss Clayton answered the ad in person and obtained a chance to appear in one of G. M. Anderson's pictures. She registered so well on the film that Mr. Anderson promptly engaged her for regular parts. And, although the Western Essanay's Western studio at Niles, Cal., is only a

short distance from the lure and lights of San Francisco, Miss Clayton prefers to stay in dusty old Niles studying that she may perfect herself in every detail of her work.

Fred E. Wright, who staged the Essanay production of F. Marion Crawford's "In the Palace of the Kings," chose the "soft pedal" method in directing the 6,000 individuals used in the production, as opposed to high-handed dictatorialism. Through his own enthusiasm he inspired the crowd with their individual responsibility—with the feeling that they were part and parcel of a huge force that lived and loved and fought in the times of old Don Philip II of Spain.

Mr. Wright established a camaraderie and then secured their co-operation by telling them the reasons for his instructions, rather than demanding that they "do this" or "do that." In other words, instead of "You are supposed to fight," it was, "This is your country, your King, your honor! Make the audience, make me, and make every one know that there is something in this for you and for you alone! Work as you have never worked before. There—there come the horsemen of the other monarch—you'll lose—run, fight—attack with the first fellow you come nearest to—and don't forget that beautiful Princess who is kept in captivity until you—who are not running fast enough there—you save that castle."

"How any one can go back to the speaking stage after playing in photoplays I cannot understand," says Edna Mayo, one of Essanay's leading women. "The terrible monotony of playing the same place night after night almost drives one to madness at times. In photoplays you feel when you have finished a play that you have accomplished something. It is there on the screen for all time, just as an artist's completed picture lives forever on canvas. Motion pictures are refreshing. The stage is nerve-shattering."

Harry La Pearl, one of the most celebrated of the old Hippodrome clowns, has been engaged by the Famous Players Film Company to appear in support of Marguerite Clark in a production of Edith Barnard Delano's "Six Waters." Much of the action of the story takes place under canvas, and it was for these scenes that Mr. La Pearl was engaged.

A BANDBOX BENEFIT.

Entertainment to be given for the Blue Cross Fund.

The Washington Square Players, assisted by other artists, will give a benefit performance in the Bandbox Theatre Tuesday night, Nov. 16, for the Blue Cross Fund. This is a branch of Our Dumb Friends' League of London, and has for its purpose the saving of horses wounded in the war. In France there are hospitals in which more than 700 horses can be taken care of at the same time. Since the war began more than 2,000 horses have been saved for the French Government, while many have been restored to the Italian Government. Mrs. Ephraim Maitland, of 329 Park Avenue, and Miss Beatrice Wanger, of 69 Park Avenue are in charge of the entertainment, which will be under distinguished patronage.

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Only two apartments on each floor.

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Furnished, \$1,440.

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Bet. B'way & Columbus Av.

A new 12-story fireproof apart-

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with southern exposure. One

apartment.

8 rooms, 2 baths,

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La Rochelle

57 West 75th St.

A handsome modern fireproof

building; large, light apartment;

long distance telephone in each

apartment.

7 rooms & bath,

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The Pamlico

97 Central Park West

Bet. 68th and 70th Sts.

Fireproof building; large and

airy apartments; very select

neighborhood; day and night ele-

vator service.

8 Rooms and Bath,

\$1,200 to \$1,500.

The Stuart

250 West 94th St.

S. W. Corner Broadway.

The apartments are well

planned and rooms are all large

and light; near transit lines.

8 & 9 Rooms, 1 & 2 Baths,

\$1,500.

Send for our 1915 Apartment House Directory, which contains information

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The Hamilton

420 Riverside Drive.

North Corner 114th St.

A new, absolutely fireproof

apartment house; overlooks Riv-

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8 & 9 Rooms, 2 & 3 Baths,

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S. W. Corner 60th St.

A nine-story fireproof building

with all latest improvements

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Harris & Vaughan, Inc.,
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ELEVATOR, ETC.
Liberal inducements to good tenants.
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Apply to proprietress, East on premises.
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HATFIELD HOUSE.
10 EAST 20TH STREET.
Two, two, two, three and four room apartments; modern, sunny.

SING SING 'ALUMNI'

TO ORGANIZE SOON

"Graduates" of Warden Osborne Plan Outside Mutual Welfare League.

PRISON TRAINING AS ASSET

Employment Bureau Will Recommend Members According to Owing Work.

The "Sing Sing Alumni Association" is completing plans for a permanent organization. The charter members of the association, who held a banquet at a New York hotel about a month ago in honor of Warden Thomas Mott Osborne of Sing Sing, intend to send out invitations to all graduates of the institution whose addresses can be found, urging them to affiliate with the new formation and to share its benefits and social advantages.

Among the benefits, according to an outline of the plans given to a Times reporter yesterday, the principal one at the outset will be the "Alumni Employment Bureau." The Alumni Committee in charge of this feature of the association will be called upon to keep in touch with manufacturers and business houses generally to find positions for new "graduates" as they leave Warden Osborne's institution and, in case it proves necessary, for older "graduates" who lose their jobs through no fault of their own.

Because of the wide variance of training and adaptability of the Sing Sing "graduates," it was explained, the Employment Bureau Committee will have to handle full to find just the right job for each man; it is also recognized that numerous problems will confront the association. For example, a number of the present members of the Mutual Welfare League in Sing Sing, out of which sprang the idea of the alumni, are now in the "graduates" who have been better trained as burglars than anything else before entering Sing Sing, and will not be one of the specialists on the "Alumni Association" list. This is where the Sing Sing training will be of great value.

Among the benefits and social advantages to be offered by the new association are named the clubroom, where members proposed to establish one where in New York, and the library and writing rooms to be connected with it. On the reading table, of course, The Star of Hope, the periodical now published in Sing Sing, will find prominent place, with other periodicals of the day calculated to be of particular interest to the members. It is also proposed to provide games and other paraphernalia of an up-to-date club, so that the ex-convicts—that is, the "graduates"—will have a place to while away evenings together and talk over the good old "school days."

One of the noteworthy proposals that has met with approval among the alumni, thus far, is an annual banquet, at which the members will have their former jailers as guests of honor. Through it, it is said, a sound little "strange" Deputy Warden Church of Sing Sing, said last night, in the absence of Warden Osborne, "there is a good, sound thing underlying the proposition, and that is the well known watching. Until the association held its dinner in honor of Warden Osborne a month ago, the members were accustomed to hide the fact that they had been in prison as long as they could. When they were found to be ex-convicts they were often discharged, and thus often discouraged and ultimately driven back to crime. These men have decided to make a clean breast of their records before the public and their employers, and to help along the other prisoners who might otherwise fall into the old paths. They will consider their Sing Sing training an asset, and they will be proud to admit membership in the 'alumni association' to protect it, it can at least be said that the probability of men going straight will be greatly increased."

Tangible Results

October 8, 1915

Since my conversation with your representative relative to the merits of various newspapers as mediums for hotel advertising, I have looked into the matter of results obtained from the present campaign of the several hotels in which I am interested and the record is most gratifying to me and should be to you since most of the actual business done is directly traceable to the Times advertisement.

We have had many callers here at the Bristol in response to the advertisement as well as inquiries from many points throughout the State for reservations.

The Hotel Arlington holds the record for results at minimum cost. From an expenditure of \$65.00, with the Times rental aggregating \$100.00, have been closed, which means that the advertising expense is less than 4% of the gross earnings therefrom.

The Hotel Rutledge campaign only two weeks old has been phenomenal, which is partly explained by the fact that the hotel is conducted exclusively for women at very moderate rates. The announcement of many women to the hotel, who explained that they had seen it in the Times. So many in fact that at times it overtaxed the ability of the clerks to show them over the house and many went away before they could be interviewed. Had a great many letters been received from out of town women requesting reservations.

Especially satisfactory results have been obtained by the Hotel Van Buren and it would seem that there is a tendency on the part of the public to seek winter quarters in high class family hotels.

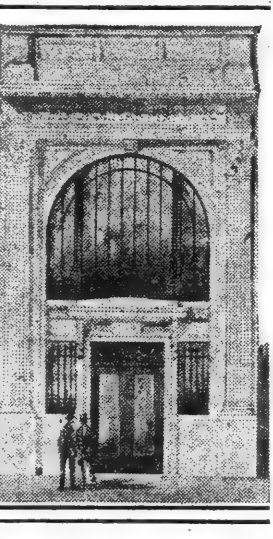
The Times is undoubtedly the leader.

Very truly yours,
J. E. Sullivan
President and Manager.

The New York Times in the nine months, from January 1 to September 30, 1915, printed 175,044 agate lines of Hotel and Restaurant advertising—more than 20,000 agate lines over the next newspaper.

NEW BANKING OFFICES.

Metropolitan Trust Company's Up-town Branch at 716 Fifth Avenue.



The Metropolitan Trust Company will open its new up-town branch at 716 Fifth Avenue about Feb. 1 next. The building, an artistic two-story structure, adjoins the southwest corner of Fifty-sixth Street, and the lease of the property was recently taken out by the banking concern.

The facade of the building will be extensively altered and work is now under way. Holmes & Winslow are the architects. The front will be of white marble in a classic design. The main banking floor will be 24 feet high, lighted by a large window on Fifth Avenue, and a decorative skylight in the ceiling. The basement will be used for the safe deposit vaults.

The Metropolitan Trust Company, whose main office is at 49 Wall Street, has been established thirty-four years. George C. Van Tuyl, Jr., in the President, Beverly Chey, Vice President, and Edwin F. Rohrbach, Second Vice President.

COUNTRY HOUSE LEASES.

S. S. Walstrom, Gordon & Forman have leased for Nelson Zabriskie his residence at 127 Prospect Street, Ridgewood, N. J., to Capt. Francis Metcalf, and for William Crossley his residence at 51 South Irving Street to G. A. Schmid.

Fish & Marvin have leased the residence of Mrs. William D. Nichols at Scarborough to Mrs. C. B. Orcutt of Elizabeth, N. J. The property consists of three acres and is very near the Briarcliff Lodge.

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EVERY CONVENIENCE AND COMFORT
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THE UNITED SERVICE.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Capt. G. L. Townsend, 22d Inf., to Albany, N. Y., with organized militia and by letter to Chief of M. Affairs, War Dept.

Major F. W. Sladen, 15th Inf., Letterman Hosp., to San Fran., and about Dec. 8 to join his station.

Major E. W. Rich, M. C., from Galveston, Texas, to Ft. Clark, Texas.

Major E. W. Schulz, O. P., in addition to duties assigned him in orders of Aug. 21, will report to Camp, Gen. Staff, for duty, relieving Lt. Col. J. W. Joyce, Oct. 21.

Capt. W. H. Clayton, Jr., 13th Cav., to service in M. C., Nov. 1, vice Capt. R. Harper, M. C., relieved, Oct. 31.

1st Lt. W. C. Davenport, M. C., to San Fran. and sail on first transport for the Philippines for duty.

THE CIVIL SERVICE.

City.

The eligible list for Assistant Fire Marshal is announced. The examination was held Nov. 25. There were 1,200 applicants. Sixty-one passed the test. There are four vacancies to be filled at once. Three are in the Fire Marshal's office; the fourth will be a special investigator. The pay is \$1,500 a year. Those who obtained a rating of more than 70 are as follows:

W. B. Northrup, 85; J. C. Cushman, Jr., 84.60; W. S. Copeland, 82.20; P. J. Martin, 81.10; W. C. Zerbe, 78; J. A. Tierney, 77.90; E. F. Croker, Jr., 77.20; A. M. Flamm, 77.20; A. Cohn, 77.20; J. Tracy, 77.10; J. Winkler, 77; J. West, 76.80; W. B. Hill, 76; T. Mohoney, 75.80; B. F. Donovan, 75.50; M. Cohn, 75.60; A. McAllister, 74.60; E. Guterman, 74.30.

The Commission announces for Nov. 2 an examination for senior mechanical engineer, grade 1, for men only, to fill vacancies as they may occur. The examination will be held at the Commission under the act providing for the valuation of the property of common carriers, at the rate of \$1,500 per annum, with necessary expenses thereon, and the examination will be held at the Commission. The examination will be held at the Commission. The examination will be held at the Commission.

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Three Grand Tours through the "Confines of Opportunity" via West Indies and Panama Canal, visiting the "A. B. C." countries, Peru and Bolivia, the "Top of the World," etc. Leave by "Great White Fleet" Nov. 24, Feb. 2 and 16. Complete itinerary. Experienced escort. Travel Dec.

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Last Opportunities to See the Great Expositions

The Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco and the Panama-California Exposition in San Diego will definitely close in December. Acknowledged to be the most marvelous Expositions of all time, they will probably not be equalled for fifty years. Our tours include both Expositions, California resorts, Apache Trail, Grand Canyon, Colorado. Departures October 27, and Nov. 3, 17, 20, Dec. 14 and later

WONDERFUL CRUISES to the West Indies, Panama and Central America. Jan. 29, Feb. 15 and Mar. 11, 1916

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*Cameronia, Fri., Nov. 5, 4 P. M.

*Saxonia, Sat., Nov. 13, 10 A. M.

*Tuscania, Sat., Nov. 20, 10 A. M.

*Saxonia, Sun., Nov. 27, 10 A. M.

*Tuscania, Mon., Dec. 4, 10 A. M.

*Saxonia, Mon., Dec. 11, 10 A. M.

*Tuscania, Tue., Dec. 18, 10 A. M.

*Saxonia, Tue., Dec. 25, 10 A. M.

*Tuscania, Wed., Jan. 1, 10 A. M.

*Saxonia, Wed., Jan. 8, 10 A. M.

*Tuscania, Thu., Jan. 15, 10 A. M.

*Saxonia, Thu., Jan. 22, 10 A. M.

*Tuscania, Fri., Jan. 29, 10 A. M.

*Saxonia, Fri., Feb. 5, 10 A. M.

*Tuscania, Sat., Feb. 12, 10 A. M.

*Saxonia, Sat., Feb. 19, 10 A. M.

*Tuscania, Sun., Feb. 26, 10 A. M.

*Saxonia, Sun., Mar. 5, 10 A. M.

*Tuscania, Mon., Mar. 12, 10 A. M.

*Saxonia, Mon., Mar. 19, 10 A. M.

*Tuscania, Tue., Mar. 26, 10 A. M.

*Saxonia, Tue., Apr. 2, 10 A. M.

*Tuscania, Wed., Apr. 9, 10 A. M.

*Saxonia, Wed., Apr. 16, 10 A. M.

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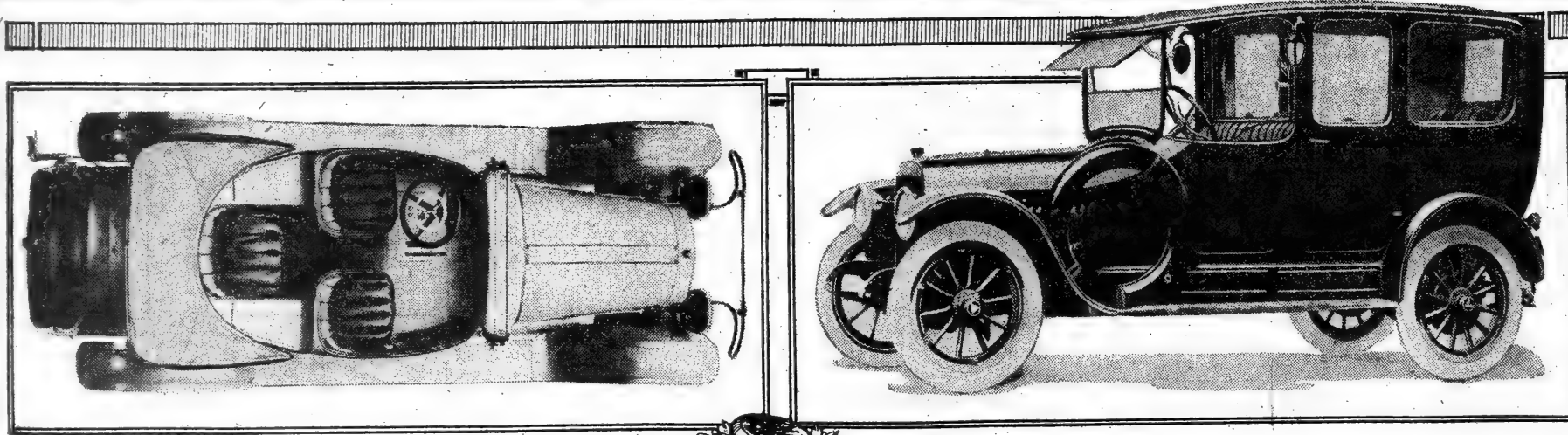
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TOPICS OF INTEREST TO THE MOTORIST



A NOVEL ROADSTER AND A LIMOUSINE, EACH OF THE VINTAGE OF 1916.

On the left is the new Marmon roadster of the "clover leaf" or "club" model, seating three passengers. The design gives space for carrying luggage, and the third passenger comes under the protection of the top in bad weather, which is not the case when a rumble seat is used. On the right is a Hudson limousine, one of the five types of closed bodies to be put on view shortly by the local branch of the company. This body may be had in a choice of colors, and is to sell for \$2,400.

STANDARDIZATION AIDS QUANTITY PRODUCTION

Important Work of S. A. E. Explained by Zimmerschied, Who Tells Value of Standards in the Manufacture of Automobiles.

At the organization meeting of the Midwest Section of the Society of Automobile Engineers, held in Chicago last week, Karl W. Zimmerschied, Chairman of the Standards Committee of the Society, delivered an address on the value of standards in the manufacture of automobiles. Mr. Zimmerschied expressed the view that the most potent single factor in the brilliant rise of the mechanical industry of America was the almost universal adoption of the principles of interchangeable manufacture, pointing out that there were underlying economic reasons for the opportunities which had arisen continually before us, but that no nation with so few skilled mechanics as ours would ever have taken advantage of these opportunities so adequately without possessing the genius to conceive the idea of assembling things from parts wholly produced by automatic machinery.

He stated that even such genius could not have brought success had the final conception failed to include the masterly yet simple provision that all such automatically produced parts should be so alike as to be perfectly interchangeable from one assembly to another. Given this system in its present stage of development, problems of vast quantity production at remarkably low costs, of easy and rapid assembling, and of inexpensive maintenance become fascinating play. The seeming miracles of such intricate though widespread products as the sewing machine, the harvester, the talking machine, the dollar watch, and

the automobile become but the obvious fruits of a natural evolution. "Interchangeable manufacture has many interesting phases," he said. "We will limit our discussion to only one of them. It is evident that the whole scheme of interchangeable manufacture is based upon the use, conscious or not, of standards—standards of measure, of form, of material quality, of workmanship. It is needless to dwell upon the indispensableness of the fundamental standards of length, mass, time, energy and work. We constantly take cognizance, in one way or another, of these ultimate conceptions of measurement—the purest types of standards."

"Another widely accepted class of standards is that which deals with the elements entering universally into mechanical assembly. Among these are: The sizes in which bar stock and pipe are sold, gauges of plates and wire, pipe and bolt threads, forms of gear, teeth and essential details as to size and form necessary to secure interchangeability of thousands of miscellaneous fittings and tools. The economies resulting from the existence of these standards are incalculable; our modern system of plumbing, for instance, could never have become so nearly universal without the standard pipe thread. More complicated but still familiar standards, which are of marked benefit to the public, are those established by the Master Car Builders, including track gauge, car couplings and hose couplings for brakes. Had these not been accepted generally by all railroads, the present

system of through shipment of freight would have been impossible; material in transportation would have necessarily been handled from car to car whenever passing from one road to another.

"In the automobile industry it was soon found that many of the older established standards were inadequate for the more exacting conditions encountered in the building and maintenance of high-duty road mechanisms. Finer threads had to be provided in order to take full advantage of the strength of bolt stock and to prevent loosening of nuts subject to unusual vibration. Later a number of common essentials were standardized as to form, such as yoke and rod ends, carburetor flanges, broaches and taper fittings, flywheel housings, and details of several other units ordinarily made in one plant and assembled with the products of another.

"The examples cited concern almost entirely matters of form. It was found necessary to establish standards of material quality also in a number of instances. On account of the necessity of limiting car weights, the unit stresses increased to such an extent that the ordinary varieties of steel in use had to be regulated more closely as to composition in order to insure greater uniformity and dependability. In addition, new varieties of steel capable of developing much higher strengths than those hitherto employed were standardized, as well as the composition of many non-ferrous alloys. These specifications eliminated the mystery which had surrounded many high-grade alloy steels, with the result that they are now sold competitively to specification instead of at fancy prices under various trade names.

"All of the standards mentioned belong to what might be called the inter-factory type—standards for products which pass from one factory to another and have been established for the purpose of avoiding confusion between makers and users, and

of preventing useless multiplication of such non-essential individual features as add to cost but not to quality. Another type, which can be named internal factory standards, relates only to the internal details of a mechanism, such as the manufacturing tolerances usually specified on detail drawings, character of material used, and workmanship, finish, and appearance generally. The line of demarcation between the two classes of standards specified is not a fixed one throughout the industry, as it is dependent upon how many of the component parts are produced in one factory. An illustration of this can be found in the recent demand for standard dimensions of piston rings and piston ring grooves for the benefit of engine makers who do not manufacture their own piston rings.

"The Society of Automobile Engineers has established first standards of the inter-factory type, harmonizing features of design involved in the attachment of the products of one factory to those of another. In this way remarkable economies are being effected for the industry as a whole, without undue interference with internal factory practice as to workmanship or with those features of design which express the real individuality of different engineers and manufacturers. Economies resulting from the use of such standards are manifested in a number of connections.

"In the drawing room they save much detail work on new designs. By

making available to the draftsman certain standard constructions, they not only save the cost of redesigning such details over and over again, but insure greater satisfaction with the final design because the standards have been established by specialists of wide experience.

"The society also endeavors to promulgate information concerning standards in as great detail as is feasible. In addition to the fundamental dimensions, many pertinent data relating to tolerance and limits have been included in the reports of the Standards Committee. For purchasing departments the existence of standard products naturally enlarges the number of possible sources of supply. This is true of sources for not only raw materials, but also the various units entering into the production of finished cars. By making the information concerning the essential details more or less common property of all manufacturers, standards increase the ease with which not materials alone, but units from different manufacturers, can be substituted for each other without necessitating expensive or complicated changes in the design of a car. As between S. A. E. standard products and those which are non-standard, purchasing agents are much more likely to find stocks of standard products ready at hand, and the prices also considerably lower. These conditions make for free competition and consequent reduction in buying costs.

"In manufacturing processes con-

centration on relatively few standard types makes available to parts manufacturers the well-known economies of quantity production. Even where standards affect only a small portion of a given unit such, for instance, as the broached hole in a universal joint, they make possible the use of standard tools for machining at that point. Savings are also evidenced in the difference between the cost of purchasing reamers, dies, broaches and other tools for producing standard-size holes and threads, and the cost of making special tools. Standardization reduced not only the cost of each tool but the number of tools required as well. If special tools are employed, their usefulness is limited to the operations for which they were designed, whereas standard tools are available for other analogous operations.

"In selling products which conform to S. A. E. standards, the labor is very much less than that required to move special constructions. The statement that a mechanical detail is of S. A. E. standard form or that a material is of S. A. E. specification is prima facie evidence that it is acceptable to the purchaser, and establishes a feeling of confidence without further explanation or argument. The fact that an accessory or part in question can be attached or employed without making any changes from established and standardized constructions, acts as an incentive to an engineer to give the article a trial, rather than as a hindrance to bar its consideration. The existence of standards permits the accumulation of very considerable stocks without the usual danger of being unable to move them, thus making safe a more uniform employment of a factory's capacity, attracting the best class of workmen, and lowering unit costs."

Electric Coupe Demonstrates Ability.

That the electric pleasure vehicle is admirably adapted for suburban runs was demonstrated by a recent run made by Walter Neumuller of the New York Edison Company, from Spring Lake, N. J., to Spout Beach, Conn. The distance covered by Mr. Neumuller in this run was 103 miles and the actual running time was four hours and seventeen minutes. The first leg of the trip was from Spring Lake to Central Park West and the second from Central Park West to Spout Beach, where the car was given an hour's boost.

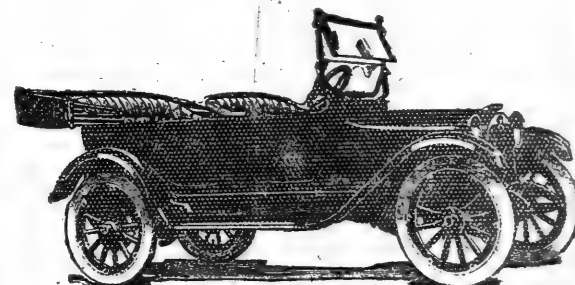
Extraordinary claims have not, as you know, played any part in creating this demand, which must therefore be directly due to the performance of the car.

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CURRENT NEWS AND NOTES OF THE AUTOMOBILE WORLD

MUCH TIME SAVED BY NEW METHODS OF BODY PAINTING

"Stream Flowing" with Varnishes and Other Modern Applications in the Paint Shop Produce Better Results at Lower Cost.

One of the most modern methods of applying the body finish to automobiles is described in the current issue of Iron Age by George D. Babcock. It is called "stream flowing" and Mr. Babcock says of it:

"This process is the application of liquid coatings by means of a wide flat nozzle through which the coating is forced to flow continuously upon the surface in a wide ribbon-like stream.

"As in all new processes skepticism early took the place of scientific study, and the questions of durability, cleanliness, and brilliancy were long debated before the present practical adoption of the methods. The virtue of these late methods has been proved conclusively for each of the above-mentioned points.

"The protection of the exposed surfaces of automobiles from the elements affecting them has required most intensive study since the beginning of the industry. Different kinds of oils, as well as different conditions of air, do not act alike on protective coatings. The continuous exposure of these coatings on the automobile requires that they be not only perfectly prepared and applied, but selected to resist the special destructive influences.

"Japaning or painting aluminum surfaces presents now no particular problem to secure permanency and luster. Steel and wood have long since ceased to be troublesome. Ten-day rubbing varnishes are dried in four and one-half hours with improved luster, cleanliness, and durability. The flowing of varnishes with the nozzle method leaves a coating as thick as will adhere to the surface.

"Air drying required many coats relatively thin. High temperature drying with humidity control and frequent air change gives better results by a thoroughly oxidized, tough, thick varnish film. After such drying the film does not seem to crack or alligator as do numbers of thin air-dried coats.

"The top outlines of the body are first brushed, to prevent spattering on the interior, and then the wide flowing nozzle is passed over the entire surface until the varnish not only washes off any dirt upon the surface, but flows in a thick uniform coat. The body is then allowed to drip and after a short period of air drying is put into the drying ovens, which are heated and humidified. This varnish coat dries in four and one-half hours. The varnish which drips from the body flows back through a filter into a retainer, and

at frequent intervals it is separated by means of a separator.

"This cleanses the varnish and it is used repeatedly, the new varnish being continuously added to that in use. The lead coat is applied with the atomizing air brush. A ventilating hood covers the work to take off the fumes. One hose to the brush leads from the air pressure tank and the other from the liquid finish to be applied. The air brush spray is moved rapidly over the surface and gives a smooth uniform stippled coating.

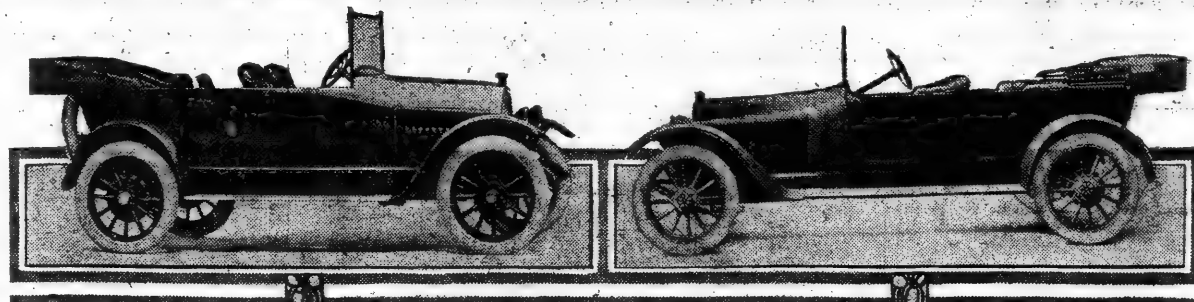
"Wheels are charged to an air brush hood by means of the rolling conveyor. After the varnish coats are applied the wheels are placed in a revolving dryer, where the varnish is allowed to set by air drying. The uniformity of the coat is maintained by the continuous rotation of the wheels. After air drying, the wheels are heated in ovens. Japaning plays an important part in the protective coatings of an automobile. After dipping in the Japan, the parts are hooked upon trolleys suspended by brackets from the ceiling and allowed to drip over the pans. They are then run into the drying ovens and baked."

DANES TEST MOTOR PLOWS.

Trial Last Summer Proved Economy Over Horse Plowing.

At the agricultural fair held at Vejle, Denmark, last Summer a demonstration was given of three different motor plows—one manufactured in Denmark, one in Sweden, and one in America. These plows were of the smaller type, suitable for an average-sized farm. Two of the outfits were equipped with 16 horse power engines and one with a 12 horse power engine; their traveling speeds ranged between 1 1/2 and 2 miles per hour. All were of the one-man type. When the necessary attachments are at hand the same tractors can be used for pulling binders. Two of them can be used for thrashing purposes or other belt work without any changes, while in order to do this with the Danish tractor an extended shaft with pulley is required.

No calculation was made at this demonstration, according to the report of United States Consul General E. D. Winslow, stationed at Copenhagen, as to what the cost of plowing per acre would be, but it is clearly evident that power plowing is considerably cheaper than when horses are employed, considering that horses at the present moment are very expensive and that feed and labor are high. At present there are in Denmark quite a few larger plowing outfits at work, and while these smaller outfits seemed to arouse considerable interest among the owners of average-sized farms, it is yet to be seen to what extent they can be sold.



TWO OF THE SEASON'S NEW CAR OFFERINGS ARE HERE SHOWN.

On the left is the new Jeffery four-cylinder touring model, fitted with a high-speed motor with light reciprocating parts. The price is \$1,000. On the right is the Briscoe model for 1916, with a wheelbase of 114 inches, which can be had with either a four or an eight cylinder motor, each of 38 horse power, at \$750 and \$950, respectively.

TO TEST VALIDITY OF SPEED LIMIT

T. N. Rhinelanders Plans to Fight Presumption of Careless Driving—Case Begun.

When the motor-cycle policeman of the Township of Oyster Bay, L. I., arrested, on Oct. 10, Thomas N. Rhinelanders for breaking the speed limit on the Old Country Road between Westbury and Hicksville he caught a Tartar, metaphorically speaking. Mr. Rhinelanders proposes to fight the case against him through as many successive courts as may be necessary, and, incidentally, or perhaps primarily, to test the worth of the section of the motor vehicle law which relates to speed.

At a hearing last week before Justice of the Peace Steinert at Hicksville, and in the presence of representatives of the Automobile Club of America and of newspaper men, it was brought out both by the testimony of the motor-cycle officer under direct examination and his replies on the cross-examination of Mr. Rhinelanders, who is a lawyer in this city, that the latter's driving at the time he was arrested did not put in peril the life, limb, or property of any one on the highway. The sole charge against him was that he was driving his machine, for the distance of three-tenths of a mile, at a speed of 36 miles an hour.

Section 287 of the motor vehicle law, however, which Mr. Rhinelanders is charged with violating, reads: "Every person operating a motor vehicle on the public highway of this State shall drive the same in a careful and prudent manner and at a rate of speed so as not to endanger the property of another or the life or limb of any person; provided, that a rate of speed in excess of 30 miles an hour for a distance of one-fourth of a mile shall be presumptive evidence of driving at a rate of speed which is not careful and prudent."

Mr. Rhinelanders, who is connected with the National Highway Protective Society and warmly interested in safety on the public roads, does not deny

that he was driving at more than thirty miles an hour. He does, however, seek to rebut the presumption in the law that that rate of speed under all circumstances is evidence of careless or imprudent driving. The Old Country Road at the point at which he was arrested, and indeed all the way from Westbury to Hicksville, runs through sparsely settled, open country. The road itself is broad, of smooth surface, and nearly straight, with nothing to impede the vision. During the time the motor-cycle officer was following him he passed but one vehicle.

Under these or similar circumstances he holds that the law's presumption is unjust, or at any rate the construction of that clause in the law which is usually followed by Magistrates. In this case, as in others of a like character, the Magistrate nearly always appears to construe "presumptive" evidence as "conclusive" evidence and to decide against the offender without further ado.

SALE OF TRUCKS HEAVY.

Estimate of 37,000 in Last Year Made—Many New Contracts.

Because almost every motor truck company in the United States has been running at full capacity for the past year and some have declined to give their output figures there has been little opportunity to make accurate estimates on the year's total output. The most authoritative estimate, made by a man who has confidential relations with most of the manufacturers, is that 37,000 motor trucks were marketed during the preceding twelve months.

An indication of what the coming year's output will be is given by a statement appearing in the current number of The Internal Gear Drive News, the official organ of the Internal Gear Drive Association, with headquarters in Detroit. This statement is that three members of the association who manufacture motor-truck axles will turn out during the coming year in excess of 15,000 axles. This number is based on contracts already in existence in which definite delivery dates are named, and does not include contracts yet to be signed, nor the output of any companies that intend to manufacture their own axles.

GOOD ROADS PART OF PREPAREDNESS

Several States Urge Upon Congress Need for Military Highways.

That military preparedness for defense includes extensive roads construction, viewed from the standpoint of the country as a whole, is made apparent in sentiment which comes from the Atlantic Seacoast, the Pacific Slope, and even the Gulf of Mexico.

Recently the Alabama Legislature unanimously passed a joint resolution, prepared by John Craft of the State Highway Department and assented to by Governor Henderson, which calls upon the President and Congress of the United States "to take such steps as in their wisdom appear to be most expedient to bring about at the earliest possible moment the construction of a national system of good roads."

It is set forth in the preamble that "a great war now being waged in Europe demonstrates that a national system of good roads is essential to the successful protection of a country in the event of war."

At the recent Pan-American Roads Congress in Oakland, Cal., among the resolutions adopted was one in which the congress recommended "to the Congress of the United States the advisability of investigating the necessity of building a hard-surface highway along the Pacific Ocean side, from Mexico to British Columbia, and other national highways, to be used as military and commercial highways."

Earlier in the year, at a meeting of the Maine Automobile Association, the Chairman of the State Highway Commission contended that the first Federal money spent in that State should be in connection with a system of roads paralleling the coast, to serve particularly in case of military necessity. At the October meeting of the

Executive Board of the American Automobile Association, with President John A. Wilson presiding, a resolution was passed, at the suggestion of Chairman Diehl of its National Good Roads Board, "that the A. A. A. respectfully asks the Congress, in its consideration of Federal aid in good roads to the several States, to bear in mind that highways constructed in seacoast and border States should possess a relationship to the military preparedness of the country which is demanding such widespread attention."

The State and local clubs of the American Automobile Association are calling to the attention of their representatives in Congress this action of the national automobile body, and also asking that a bill shall be passed providing for an annual Federal appropriation, divided among the several States on the basis of area, population, and road mileage, to be supplemented by a like amount of money from the States, and the total to be expended on post and military roads, selected through the co-operation of the respective State Highway Departments.

Tires Scarce in the Netherlands.

Tires for automobiles and motor cycles are now almost unobtainable in the Netherlands. Imports are not one-fourth of the requirements. Whenever any are imported at all they must be consigned to the Netherlands Overseas Trust, which distributes them sparingly direct to consumers, who must bring up and deliver an old tire for each new one received, and who must give a bank guaranty that the tires will not be exported, and in any case no more than six tires will be delivered to one applicant.

Goshen, Ind., Builds Brick Road.

At a meeting of the City Council of Goshen, Ind., held recently after a detailed inspection of the Lincoln Highway, it was definitely decided to permanently improve in hard-surfaced construction this route to a uniform width of twenty-seven feet as far as the electric sign at the main entrance to the city, and twenty-four feet from that point west to the city limits. Brick will be the material used. Grading is now in progress.

POLITICAL AUTO IN KANSAS MUST HAVE TRAILING ROPES

Section 418, Chapter 11a, of the Kansas General Statutes of 1905, relating to automobiles, propounds the following solemn mandate:

"That the term 'automobile' and 'motor vehicle,' as used in this act shall be construed to include all types and grades of motor vehicles propelled by electricity, steam, gasoline, or other sources of energy, commonly known as automobiles, motor vehicles, or horseless carriages, using the public highways and not running on rails or tracks. Nothing in this section shall be construed as in any way preventing, obstructing, impeding, embarrassing, or in any other manner or form infringing upon the prerogative of any political chauffeur to run an automobilous hand-wagon at any rate he sees fit compatible with the safety of the occupants thereof; provided, however, that not less than ten more than twenty ropes be allowed at all times to trail behind this vehicle when in motion, in order to permit those who have been so fortunate as to escape with their political lives an opportunity to be dragged to death. And provided further that whenever a mangled and bleeding political corpse implores mercy, the driver of the vehicle shall, in accordance with the provisions of this bill, 'Throw out the life line'."

SCOTCH LIKE OUR AUTOS.

Success of American Product of Low Price is Reported.

A representative of an automobile manufacturing company in the United States recently visited Scotland, partly on business, but chiefly to shoot grouse. While staying at a shooting lodge in a northern county he sent to an American friend in Edinburgh, according to United States Consul Rufus Fleming, an account of his exploits on the moors, and added these observations on the automobile trade:

"In my tour of Scotland I find evidences everywhere of the satisfaction our car and—to be entirely candid—other American motor cars are giving to all users. Since the beginning of the war low-priced American cars have been in great demand, and one sees them on almost every road in the lowlands and highlands and islands. They seem to be especially in favor here in the north, where not many people think they can afford to pay more than \$1,000 for a car. Moreover, the doctors, judges, and lawyers have long distances to travel and horses are scarce and 'traps' an abomination, and a reliable motor car of low initial cost is a boon.

Higher-priced American cars are also securing an important position in the market, and some of these owe their introduction largely to the fact that all American automobiles have been well advertised by the pronounced success of the cheaper cars among every class of buyers, the logic of the case being that a country that turns out durable and dependable little cars must also produce durable and dependable big cars. So you see that we representatives of different types of American machines are helping one another. Of course, the war has tied up several British makers, whose works are now shell factories; but this does not by any means fully

account for the advance of American cars in the British markets, as we were going ahead rapidly before the war started. There's nothing like getting a reputation for giving customers the value of their money, and we have that reputation and expect to keep it. So long as we continue to build cars that meet the requirements of the American market we can sell them in Great Britain."

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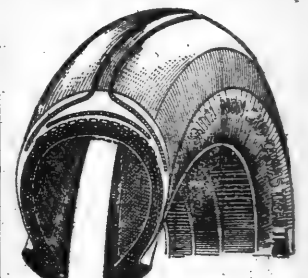
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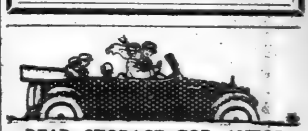
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And from the point of refinement, comfort, class and up-to-dateness in its construction and design, the 1916 Cole Eight recognizes no peer.

You owe yourself the opportunity to be thoroughly informed on this car. May we arrange a demonstration?

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But it has been INCREASED in wheelbase from 108 to 113 inches. It has been INCREASED in capacity from five to SEVEN passengers. It has been INCREASED in motor from 3 1/4 x 5 to 3 1/2 x 5 inch bore x 5 inch strokes. It has been INCREASED in tires from 33 x 4 to 34 x 4 Goodrich.

The upholstery is the finest grade of genuine, hand-buffed, straight-grain, semi-glossed leather on the market. The body-finishing operations have been INCREASED from 20 to 25 in number. The steering-knuckle is forged of chrome-vanadium steel, and high-grade alloy steels have been lavishly used throughout the car. The motor bearings have been made oversize. The radiator, gas passages, propeller shaft, rear axle housing have been increased in size.

Wherever a change in materials was made BETTER materials were used.

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INTERESTING HAPPENINGS IN MOTORDOM.

AUTOMOBILE OUTLOOK IS ROSY, SAYS HUGO

Secretary of State Predicts Further Improvements in Car Types, Solution of Fuel Problem, and New Growth.

Francis M. Hugo, Secretary of State, who was guest of honor last week at the Troy Automobile Show "Society Night," delivered a short address on a number of subjects of special interest to motorists. He pointed out the tremendous influence of the motor car, declaring that every day made a forecast of its eventual effects all the more difficult.

"There has probably never been such a revolution in the history of locomotion—not even the coming of the railways," he said, "which has produced so few inconveniences and in which the few inconveniences produced have so quickly begun to be removed. Moreover, the dustless road is not only in sight, but is now known to be only a question of better highway engineering combined with the first outlay of capital necessary for the change from the use of dusty to dustless roads."

In speaking of the Troy exhibit, he declared that every thoughtful visitor who appreciated the niceties of construction found himself surrounded by evidence of the immense care and labor bestowed upon the perfection of details and the wealth of invention brought to bear upon every automobile.

"The command of the vast resources of modern applied science, moreover," said Mr. Hugo, "has enabled this industry, still young, to develop with remarkable rapidity, but it seems probable that the ingenuity of motor-car engineers will be largely directed into a new channel by the conditions of the fuel market. The industry at present, depending upon gasoline, but as the price of this commodity is already double what it was not long ago the problem now, and perhaps the most urgent that the industry has to solve, is to devise satisfactory methods of propulsion by cheaper fuels."

The Secretary said that many writers would lead the public to believe

from time to time that the finality had almost been reached in the matter of motor-car design, and that a sort of millennium had arrived in which there was no need of further alterations.

"But this assumption of fact," he said, "is very far from the truth. All the year around and every year, in laboratories, work and drawing shops, motor-car problems are being worked out, new ideas experimented with, and, in fact, most of the leading manufacturers have in mind improvements years ahead now under consideration, for the laying of plans in advance is one of the secrets of the successful manufacturer and designer of today who are bearing a worthy part in its world-wide development."

"If the extraordinary popular interest in motor vehicles be merely a craze, as some think, it is lasting with unusual vitality. As a matter of fact, however, it is something more than that, for we are witnessing a wonderful industrial revolution, as shown by registration statistics in my office, where over 70,000 more cars have been registered so far this year over the same period in 1914. Next year will, no doubt, show a still greater increase over 1915, and the fact that no less than 2,200,000 cars were in use throughout the country during the first six months of the present year further reveals the triumph achieved by the motor car before its fifteenth birthday. It is safe, therefore, to predict that its public use will continue to grow with unexampled rapidity."

STOCK CARS MAKE TESTS.

Speed of 72 Miles an Hour on Track—Mexico to Canada Without Stop.

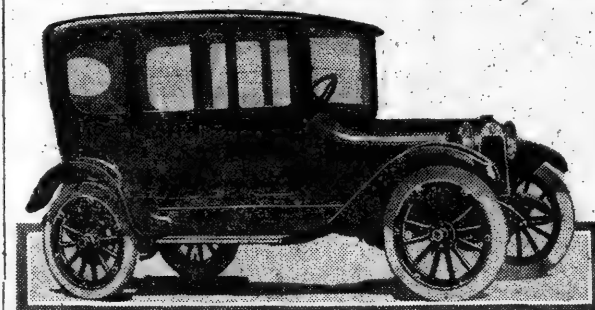
During the last week the results of two unusual tests of stock cars of different makes have been made public. In a series of tests at the Chicago and Indianapolis speedways, under the official auspices of the Technical Committee of the Automobile Club of America, two Cadillac eight-cylinder cars were tried on top speed and gasoline consumption at various rates of speed. Each of the cars showed a speed of more than 70 miles an hour for an hour's continuous running, one of them making 100 miles in 1 hour 22 minutes 49 seconds, or an average of 72.49 an hour. An interesting relation between gasoline consumption and rate of speed was shown in further trials, as indicated by the following table:

Speed, Miles Per Hour.	Gasoline Consumption, Gallons Per Hour.
14.5	43.5
18.3	32.9
24.5	19.2
33.0	12.8

The other stock car trial already referred to was the feat of driving 2,050 miles not only without stopping the motor but also without stopping the car itself. This was accomplished when a party of five men brought a Chandler light six from Tia Juana, Mexico, to Vancouver, B. C., in five and one-half days. In order that the car might not be stopped for even a second it was driven three miles across the railroad bridge over the Columbia River.

Only 1 Spaniard in 2,000 Owns Car

The Eco de Asturias, published in Madrid, states that the total number of private automobiles registered in Spain on Jan. 1, 1915, was 10,548. The Province of Madrid led with 2,405 registrations. The population of Spain is about 20,000,000.



DEMOUNTABLE TOP MAKES WINTER BODY.

The new Winter cars which are announced by the Dodge Brothers, like that shown above, have detachable superstructure, which is both rain and wind tight. With each car the Summer mohair top is furnished as regular equipment.

CARS SEEN ON SHORT RUN.

Eastern New England Roads Show License Tags from 21 States.

A member of the American Automobile Association whose experiences in touring make him a fair judge of like situations expresses the view that the 250 miles from the east coast of Massachusetts to New York City is a stretch of road used by more cars from other States than any like distance in the country. This opinion was rendered after a recent two-day leisurely trip over that section en route from Boston to the national headquarters of the A. A. A. in Washington.

With a desire really to see the country along the way—not rushing through because of the temptations of the "excellent road conditions"—he stopped at any place that gave a good view, or that was otherwise interesting. During these stops, and while driving, he made a point of noticing the license plates of the passing cars, but, in fairness to the point of view he had in mind, he ignored all States east of the Alleghenies and north of the Mason and Dixon line.

In going over the list he found represented during those two days, by those touring New England, Arizona, California, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Missouri, Ohio, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, West Virginia, and Quebec, Ontario.

Undoubtedly these cars were going to or from general tours of New England, thus showing the value of capitalizing scenery and history by building good roads. The two largest touring sections in this country are New England and California. Each has scenery and each has history—so have many other sections of these United States, but nowhere else have these two factors been turned into such large assets by capitalizing them with an embrace and connected mileage of modern roads.

NEWS AND NOTES OF THE AUTOMOBILE TRADE

Dr. John W. Beardsley, a practicing physician at Lenawee County, Mich., petitions the court to be adjudicated a bankrupt and thus be relieved of the burden of his debts. Among his assets is his Ford runabout, and he prays that this be considered exempt (insane as it is) "necessary and indispensable to carry on his practice." It will be interesting to see what opinion the court holds of the Ford car as an indispensable utility necessary to livelihood.

One thousand employees of F. B. Stearns Company, Cleveland, Ohio, makers of Stearns-Knight cars, will receive a comparative increase in salary for a shorter hour schedule. Beginning Oct. 18 the men will work 48 hours a week and receive pay for 48 hours at the rate of time and a half for each hour over 48. The night shift is to get straight time and a half.

In a test recently conducted by the Royal Automobile Club of London, England, a Model 31 Overland touring car covered a distance of 75 miles over a rolling country, on three and three-quarters gallons (imperial) of gasoline.

A. Frederick A. Harris of Detroit has acquired a substantial financial interest in the Mutual Motors Company at Jackson, Mich. At a meeting of the Directors of the company last week Mr. Harris was elected Vice President.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Chalmers Motor Company last week, Paul Smith was elected one of the Vice Presidents of the company. He is Vice President in charge of the sales, service, and advertising departments. Smith will fill the position held by Leo Gilwell, who recently resigned.

Robert Lurie of Robert Lurie & Co., 19 West Sixtieth Street, has secured the Eastern representation of the Metz car. He announces that in the 1916 model the car is much larger, is electrically equipped, using the Gray & Davis system, and has Bosch high-tension magnets. The price is \$800.

At the annual meeting of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce held in New York last week the Empire Automobile Company of Indianapolis was elected to membership in the organization. By terms of an agreement made at the meeting, the company is to have exclusive rights in the Empire in the metropolitan district. The first cars of the new model have been received, and are now on display at the distributor's salesroom, 1178 Broadway. Two models make up the line for 1916—a four-cylinder model which lists at \$895 and a light six at \$1,095.

The Bronx has now an addition to its own little Automobile Row. It's a Studebaker branch run by Head Reed, Inc., at 307 East 149th Street, between Third and Courtland Avenues.

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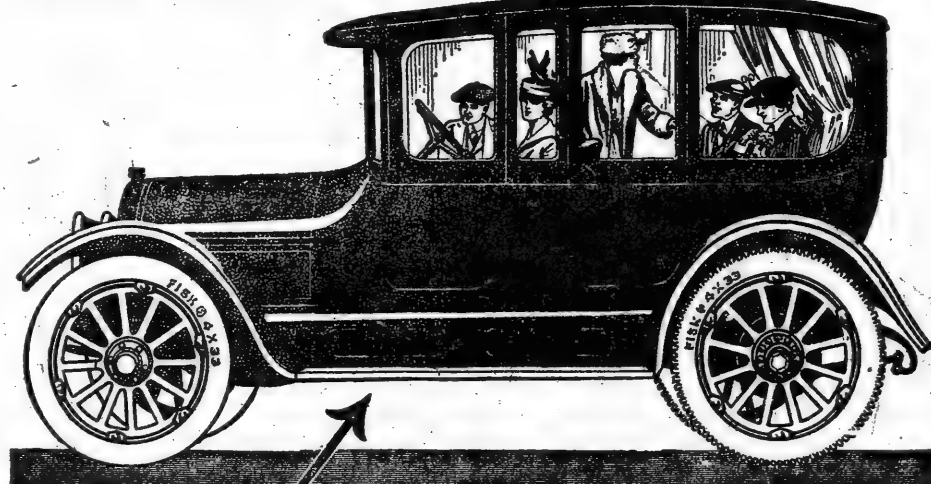
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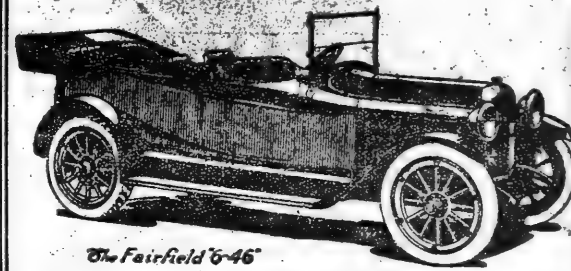
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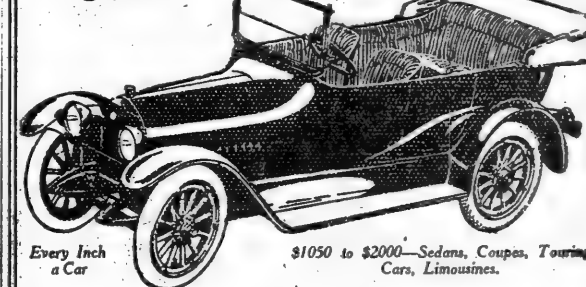
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keeping as near to the street car as they could, until the two suspects got off. Grantwood, who was the first to alight, came up rapidly, followed by the other, who was carrying a large package. The latter, according to the police, was something believed to be a bomb, made in the model of a suitcase. The other, carrying an iron pipe four inches in diameter. Within it was another pipe, and still another, and it is believed that the space between was to have been filled with explosives.

Detailed Map of New York Harbor.

The two men were taken back to the Weehawken Station, where they were still being questioned by the Secret Service men at midnight. Meanwhile others of the party of Federal and local officers went back to the apartment on Fifth Street and searched it. There, they say, they found a number of packages, the connection of Fay with the German Army and the German Foreign Office. They found a letter from a German, mostly addressed to Fay, which is now in the possession of the Secret Service. The letter was dated Oct. 19, and they found a United States Coast Survey map showing New York Harbor and all its docks and piers in great detail.

There was a raised platform in one of the rooms on the second floor, a considerable number of mechanics of various kinds which the police believe to be intended for the manufacture of bombs. There were also four suitcases containing twenty-five sticks of dynamite and a large quantity of other materials, which is one of the highest of known explosives, and is the one used in most of the recent explosions. This is more powerful than anything in the outfit of Erich Muentzer, alias Frank Holt, the German anarchist who last July set off a bomb in the Capitol at Washington and later committed suicide in the jail at Leavenworth. It had been used in an attempt to murder J. P. Morgan.

Information obtained in the observation of previous days and confirmed by papers found in the apartment occupied by the two men, the police thereupon went to the Victor Storage Warehouse at 245 Clinton Avenue, Hoboken, where they found five packing cases which it is said Fay and Scholz had put away there.

Mines to Blow Up Ships.

In these cases, according to the police, were five explosive mines, contained in metal cases, which were designed for fastening the mines to the rudders of steamships. It is the theory of the Secret Service that the mechanism, that the rush of water from the propeller would start a clockwork device which would explode on the explosion of the mine at a certain time.

There were also, according to the police, other bombs which might have been intended for placing inside ships. The device would explode on the explosion of the mine at a certain time.

In Degnan's boat, on the Hudson, they found a high-power motor boat, which would explode on the explosion of the mine at a certain time.

It is believed that the explosives were somewhere near Grantwood, and the police are now searching for them in the neighborhood in the hope of finding some clue which may lead them to the plant.

The factory where the explosives were made was a two-story building at 27 Fifth Street, Weehawken, where Fay and Scholz made their home, and where they had their office. The men prior to their appearance at his house about a week ago, when they announced their intention of leaving him no difficulty with them and that they had been quiet and unobtrusive.

Fay Cool Under Grilling.

The two made not the slightest resistance when arrested. Fay, indeed, gave himself up with a quiet smile to the detectives, and remained untroubled after hours of grilling by Secret Service men and the New York police. Deputy Police Commissioner Scholz, who himself was formerly in the Secret Service, was still at it at midnight.

When the statement that Scholz was Fay's brother-in-law, the police are inclined to believe that he was only a subordinate and that Fay is the principal and the brainy man of the two. Neither of the men would say anything about the night, and no other connections in Germany could be obtained from those which the police found in their correspondence.

When it was suggested that a man named Scholz had been in an intimate connection with the personal entourage of Emperor William II, the Secret Service men were not at all surprised to believe that this was the man.

The bombs which have been exploded from the ship, and which were in the cargoes of outward-bound liners carrying munitions of war have been set off by clockwork as far as is known, although as a rule no fragments of the infernal machine have been found. But clockwork is not always water, such as those found in the Clinton Avenue storage warehouse are believed to be, have been invented very rarely.

It was some idea that was conceived by Bushy, the inventor of the first submarine, who planned to attach mines to be exploded by clockwork to the British ships off the west coast of the Revolutionary War; and a similar plan was entertained by Robert

Fulton when he experimented with submarines in the war of 1812.

But with the development of electrical appliances, engineers ingeniously ran more to contact mines or those exploded from the shore by an electric cable, and the clockwork mine as an implement of warfare against warships has practically disappeared.

For the purpose of being fastened under the stern of a merchant ship, however, the clockwork mine is a better device than the clockwork mine, as long as the vessel is lying at dock, but only being used by the Russian Air Force, the proper when the ship steams out to sea.

Find More Bomb Material.

Early this morning, working on admissions which it is said Fay made while being questioned, the police went back to Degnan's boat, near the West Shore Ferry, where they found a number of wooden boxes lined with tin, eight feet long and three feet square, which contained a number of sticks of chlorate of potash. This is one of the ingredients of sugar bombs.

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Yesterday the two detectives got back to the apartment in the tree and continued their experiments with detonating caps, using under the name of "Sugar Bombs" a better quality than what they had previously employed. They were found when the detectives came on them.

Had Plenty of Money.

Deputy Police Commissioner Scholz denied early this morning the report that either of the men had confessed to any crime. He said, however, that Fay had talked very freely with the police, and that he had made a number of important statements; but that these were of such a general nature that it was impossible to indicate their character.

It is believed that the two men were first arrested, Fay attempted to bribe Detective Lieutenant Barnette to let them go. Fay had about \$800 on him when arrested, and there was \$400 more in his trunk. Both men, it is said, were well supplied with money.

Scholz, since coming to this country, has worked as a farmer, as a salesman and as a clerk. He has been in the employ of the Lackawanna Railroad. Fay admitted that since he came here, he had been in the employ of the Lackawanna Railroad. Fay admitted that since he came here, he had been in the employ of the Lackawanna Railroad.

While the two prisoners will be arraigned before Judge Dwyer this morning in the Weehawken Town Hall, it is believed that there will be no hearing. The case will be turned over to the Federal authorities.

BOMBS FIRED MANY SHIPS.

Explosion on Minnehaha Always Blamed on German Conspirators.

There has been an alarming number of fires on board ships in recent months which are thought to have had their origin in incendiary bombs, and bombs and dynamite have been found on other vessels sailing from American ports to Europe. In nearly every case the vessel was carrying munitions or men for the secret service.

One ship fire that caused much speculation and alarm was that on board the Atlantic liner Minnehaha, which was on the coast of Halifax on July 7. It was thought that this fire was caused by a bomb placed on the ship by Erich Muentzer, alias Frank Holt, who shot J. P. Morgan and later committed suicide. The fire was caused by a bomb placed on the ship by Erich Muentzer, alias Frank Holt, who shot J. P. Morgan and later committed suicide.

An earlier fire was that on the French liner steamer Touraine on March 6, 1915, when the ship was on the coast of the Irish coast. After trying to destroy the ship, the fire was got under control, while the ship proceeded under its own steam to Liverpool. The steamer docked in Harve on March 8.

The origin of the fire was never determined, but there were suspicions that a fire bomb had been placed on board the boat by clockwork. The French Government began an inquiry from which no report has been made as yet.

The fire on board the Touraine was thought for a time to have been caused by Raymond Brodsky, but this charge was later abandoned. Brodsky was recently discharged from prison in Paris and a dispatch from Paris dated yesterday said that he had been expelled from France by the Government.

The Fabre Line steamer Saint Anna, bound for New York from Marseilles with 1,704 passengers, caught fire 1,000 miles off the coast of Halifax on Sept. 15. It was thought that the fire was caused by a bomb placed on the ship by Erich Muentzer, alias Frank Holt, who shot J. P. Morgan and later committed suicide.

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number of these explosions has been greater in the months of this year than before. Many investigators have concluded that the explosions were responsible for these explosions, and that the explosions were caused by a bomb placed on the ship by Erich Muentzer, alias Frank Holt, who shot J. P. Morgan and later committed suicide.

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severely crippled for perhaps three weeks. The fire originated in the main power plant, and the explosion of the works.

GERMANS STORM TOWN NEAR DVINSK

Capture Iloukst, Scene of Long
Fighting, After Fierce Bat-
tle in the Streets.

GERMAN POST DESTROYED

Russian Landing on Courland
Coast Blocked Attempt to
Open Gulf of Riga.

CZAR KEEPS UP ATTACKS

Germans Forced Out of Many
Positions South of Dvinsk and
in the Centre.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—Iloukst, about fifteen miles northwest of Dvinsk, has been taken by General von Hindenburg. It is a contested town, and the fighting there has been very fierce. The German attempt to seize the Dvina and Dvinsk has been carried on here for several weeks with heavy fighting. Hindenburg reports the capture of 3,000 prisoners when the Russian positions were taken by storm. The resistance with which the Germans are attacking in this region shows the importance they attach to the capture of Dvinsk and Riga and the line of the Dvina River before winter sets in.

The official report of the German War Office is as follows:
Northwest of Dvinsk our troops ejected the enemy, with great losses, from his positions at Schlossberg, and the Iloukst. The Russian forces left 18 officers and 2,400 men and 10 machine guns and 1 mine thrower in our hands.

Street Fighting in Iloukst.
The Russian communication admits the loss of Iloukst, and adds that it was accompanied by fierce fighting in the streets. Southward from Dvinsk the Russians continue their attacks. The text of the communication follows:

On the western front on the right bank of the lower Dvina, north of the village of Kalintzen, (southwest of Riga) we repulsed the Germans. On an action near the village of Repe, southeast of Riga, the Germans succeeded in effecting the capture of the village of Repe. The Russian forces repulsed the attack. On many sectors of the Riga front the artillery fire has been extremely close. On both sides the fighting has been very fierce. The Russian forces repulsed the attack. On many sectors of the Riga front the artillery fire has been extremely close. On both sides the fighting has been very fierce.

On the Dvinsk front fighting was renewed yesterday in many sectors. The enemy concentrated his artillery fire with particular violence on the region west of Iloukst. The Russian forces repulsed the attack. On many sectors of the Riga front the artillery fire has been extremely close. On both sides the fighting has been very fierce.

An artillery action of great intensity was fought yesterday near the village of Medun, northeast of Novo Alexandrovsk. East of Lake Puth the Russian forces repulsed the attack. On many sectors of the Riga front the artillery fire has been extremely close. On both sides the fighting has been very fierce.

CZAR WALKS WITHOUT GUARDS
Frequently Appears in Headquarters
Town with His Young Son.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
RUSSIAN HEADQUARTERS, Oct. 22, (Dispatch to THE NEW YORK TIMES).—The czar personally goes to the front to military affairs, leading a line of the greatest simplicity and winning ovations from the troops. He is almost invariably accompanied by his young son.

OFFICIALS DEFEND CAVELL SHOOTING

Continued from Page 1.

Death. Were special considerations shown to women we should open the door wide to such activities on the part of women, who are often more clever in such matters than the provisions of the law. The man who is in a position of responsibility must do that, but unconcerned about the world's judgment, he must often follow the difficult path of duty.

Merely for Others Under Discussion.

"If, despite these considerations, it is now being discussed whether they shall be shown the rest of those convicted, and if the life which they have forfeited under recognized law is given back to them, you can derive from that how earnestly we are striving to bring our feelings of humanity in accord with the commandments of stern duty. The others are pardoned it will be at the expense of the security of our armies, for it is to be feared that new attempts will be made to harm us when it is believed that offenders will go unpunished or suffer only a light penalty. It is a pity for the guilty can lead to such pardons; they will not be an admission that the suspended sentence was too stern.

Dr. Zimmermann said in conclusion that there was no word of ruth in the report that the soldiers at first refused to shoot Miss Cavell, and then aimed so badly that an officer was forced to give the coup de grace.

SAY FRENCH EXECUTED TWO.

Inspired German Dispatch Names
Women Killed at Nancy and
Boniger.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 4, (via London).—The following inspired French dispatch received from Berlin by way of Brussels, dealing with the execution of Miss Cavell, is published here today.
"As the foreign press is discussing in an incorrect and exaggerated manner the execution of the Englishwoman,

RUSSIANS DEMOLISH POST ON RIGA GULF

Remove Obstructions to
Fleet Operations.

Germans There Were Trying to

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
PETHOGRAD, Oct. 24, (Dispatch to THE NEW YORK TIMES).—The Russian command on the Gulf of Riga sent a landing party ashore on Friday to demolish the German post established in the neighborhood of Cape Domankas. The landing was successfully accomplished and the German post no longer exists. One officer and forty-two men were found dead on the field after the fight, and the remainder were made prisoners. All German apparatus and stores were taken and either destroyed or removed. Cape Domankas commands the entrance to the Gulf of Riga and the presence there of a German post was nothing to do with military plans of the Germans in Courland. The Germans were there for purposes connected with naval movements which the Russians have effectually stopped.

During the week following the naval fight in the Gulf of Riga, the Russian Baltic fleet cruised well away to the west, including the German territorial waters; apparently looking for a fight, but not making any attacks themselves. They were, in fact, merely covering certain important operations being carried out at the entrance to the Gulf of Riga, which required unimpeded effort and celerity.

When these were completed in the course of a week the Gulf of Riga became impracticable for German naval attempts. It still remains so. The Germans, after a very careful examination from aeroplanes and hydroplanes, and the German command decided to attempt to remove the obstruction by working parties from shore. With the Russian command on the Baltic outside and the Gulf of Riga inside, this is a sufficiently hazardous undertaking. The Russians have no mind to see their work undone, hence the landing party and the destruction of the German post at Cape Domankas.

BERLIN, Oct. 24, (via London).—The German official report contains the following:
In the advance of the German troops the Russian forces which had been landed at Domankas returned to their ships.

RUSSIANS EXPECT
TO ADVANCE AGAIN

Crisis Safely Past and Army Is
Not Broken, Says Representative
of General Staff.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
LONDON, Monday, Oct. 25.—The Times correspondent at Russian Headquarters has the following statement from a high authority representing the General Staff: "As representing the opinion of the Russian highest command."

Notwithstanding his obstinacy in fighting, the Russian army is still confronted by an army which fully retains its strength, morale and its ability only to offer a staunch and successful resistance. The Russian forces repulsed the attack. On many sectors of the Riga front the artillery fire has been extremely close. On both sides the fighting has been very fierce.

The crisis has passed favorably for us. We have issued safely from the difficult position in the advanced Vistula theatre, where we were enveloped on three sides, and now stand based upon the centre of our empire unharmed by the war. It is true that there is still much fierce and determined fighting ahead. There may be movements rearward, but there will certainly be advances also.

Our army lives in the expectation of a general offensive, and looks with full confidence to the armies of its allies.

CONFIDENCE IN ALEXIEFF.

Russians Consider Him Greatest
Military Genius.

LONDON, Monday, Oct. 25.—A correspondent of The Times with the Russian headquarters telegraphs:
"The situation in regard to the higher command probably is more satisfactory than it has been since the inception of the war. The opinion of virtually the entire Russian army is that in General Alexieff we have at our head the highest military ability that Russia possesses. The Russian forces repulsed the attack. On many sectors of the Riga front the artillery fire has been extremely close. On both sides the fighting has been very fierce.

Edith Cavell, for war treason, the circumstances in the case, according to the facts, may again be stated. It was proved after a long trial of the sentenced persons that they for some months past had been engaged in assisting the German military and naval forces in hostile armies, and in enabling French and English deserters to escape the country. They had many helpers and had organized branches.

The governor General has repeatedly issued warnings against such activity, pointing out that severe punishment would be meted out to any person who was found guilty of such activity. The guilty persons were sentenced in a public sitting according to the law. The provisions of the military penal code and the military penal code for war treason and espionage. No special law exists for Belgium, and no so-called 'usage of war' influenced the verdict of the court.

The English Government may remember the cruelties committed by the Boer war on women and children. Our present enemies do not need to protect their armies from the population and a hostile occupied country, nor are they under the necessity of procuring or executing such sentences as they have occupied so little hostile territory.

DUTCH CARTOON THE KAISER

Telegraph Pictures Him Scorning
Our Plea for Miss Cavell.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
LONDON, Monday, Oct. 25.—The Daily Express reproduces from the Amsterdam Telegraph a cartoon showing the Kaiser receiving an officer who reports that Miss Cavell has been executed. The Kaiser replies: "The English Minister."

Dutch Interceded for Miss Cavell.

PARIS, Oct. 24.—The Havas correspondent at The Hague says that, seconding the efforts of the American and Spanish Ministers in favor of Edith Cavell, the British news recently executed in Belgium, the Chancellor of the Netherlands Legation tried to obtain release for her and the others condemned at the same time.

NO HOUSES LEFT IN SOCHACZEW

Cemeteries Cover the Desolate
Country in Russian Tri-
angle of Death.

PEOPLE LIVE IN TRENCHES

Find in Them Good Shelter, Also
Timber with Which to Re-
build Their Homes.

JEWS SEND MESSAGES HERE

Patriarchs Ask American Cor-
respondent to Forward News of
Their Families to Relatives.

By JAMES O'DONNELL BENNETT.
SOCHACZEW, Russia, Sept. 26.—So much has happened since my winter visit to the triangle of death that coming back here has been like coming back to the scene of events that happened generations ago, and I feel as if I were visiting some old battlefield that I had only read about. Once the earth trembled under the cannonade and the beautiful guns that work like watches were gliding and clicking and receiving their orders from the command. Now all I can see is an occasional peasant plowing. I wonder what has become of all the good, friendly fellows with whom I sat by the fires and ate baked potatoes. Some are on the far side of the Polesye marshes and some have been sent to the Dardanelles and some are back in France and some are dead.

I remember what pride they took in their trenches and "understands" and how they thought up quaint, cheerful names for them, and how the men who were clever at clay modeling used to pass the long days of the field sieges in making statues of the Emperor and Hindenburg and in cutting tablets, which they would letter with the words "Villa Blumark" or "Unser Heim."

Cemeteries for Mementos.
The pathetic denials are crumbling now and the sole mementos of the days the good lads spent in the triangle of death are the little cemeteries, inclosed by fences and gates and archways of white birch, where the German dead lie in neat rows, and in the twilight the white bark of the birches from which they are made gives to the effect of delicate tracery in marble.

The cemeteries which the Russian soldiers laid out in the triangle of death are most substantially inclosed. The fences and gates are of heavy, squared timbers, and the national passion for bright colors has been gratified by painting both the inclosures and the grave markers in vivid blues, reds, and greens, which are so conspicuously shown in the center of each plot rises a ponderous cross lettered in Russian with words which Mr. Conger translated thus:

THEY DIED FOR
COUNTRY
AND
FATHERLAND.

In the grass at the foot of this cross lie bottles of heavy glass containing curious symbolic designs, fashioned out of bits of cardboard and tinzel and representing crosses and ladders leading to heaven, and angels—a strange, childlike jumble of emblems, of which I could make nothing. They looked like nursery toys.

There are almost no single graves. Many of them hold at least four bodies, and most of them from six to a dozen. The names of the men sleeping in each grave are carefully lettered in black paint on the cross above it, together with the numbers of their regiments. Poor fellows! The triangle of death was their Valley Forge.

Once, in skirting to the east of the triangle, I passed a string of twenty farm wagons that made a loud rattling as they drew near. The deep wicker wagon boxes were loaded to the top with oblong zinc boxes about the size of a loaf of bread. In them thousands of rounds of small ammunition had been delivered to the Russian soldiers in trenches in the triangle. Once unpacked, the zinc boxes had been thrown aside, and now the farmers were using them as a protection against shell fire, but had dug into the slope of the hill behind it. In these caverns women and children are living in reasonable comfort.

Sochaczew used to house 2,000 families. Now Pompeii is a flourishing capital by contrast, for at least lighters may be found in Pompeii. But Sochaczew, all unroofed, lies staring up at the unannounced sky and suggests a ghost town. A black smoke, shuffling through the market place, and a few Jewish women come to the big iron town pump for water, and then disappear down the long vistas of ruin. It is as though the ancient people had once more taken up their dwelling on the ravaged slopes of Jerusalem, and were shuddering again at the age-long burden of their people.

Not a whole house in Sochaczew is standing. It is worse than Dinant. Here the Russian line held for six weeks, and then broke and the Germans entered the town. Finally there came a night late in July when Sochaczew suffered its last bombardment. The Russians opened on it from the plain. It was their farewell, and it cost the Germans a good many men. Then the Russians stole away to the east.

Immediately the Jewish patriarchs who haunted the market place learned that American correspondents were in their midst they gathered around us to tell their troubles. They did not relish, but without rancor, it was astonishing to discover that two or three of them spoke English fluently, and that nearly all of them had American addresses at their tongues' ends.

Messages for America.

They wanted us to send off letters to their relatives in America when we got back to Berlin. It seemed to me to be hardly less than an obligatory act of brotherhood to undertake these small commissions, so I wrote down all the addresses that were given me and promised to write the letters. The burden of the messages was always the same. "Tell my son that we are alive." Mutter and Schwester sind in Warschau. Ich und Bruder sind hier. Geld der Vater hat nicht. Es ist nicht gekommen. Aber sagen sie mal dass die Kinder noch leben.

That was about all they would have to say, and brief as the messages were, they were always the proofs of honest, loving family feeling in them. The pointed references to the money that had not come were more than excusable, because all that some of these poor people had to live on was an allowance of 5 kopecks (1/2 cent) given by a Polish relief society in Warsaw, and that was uncertain.

Here come more homeless ones who want letters written to son Samuel and son Moses and Uncle Benjamin and Cousin Solomon in America. Most of the addresses given me are in New York—East Fifty-sixth Street and Ludlow Street and the like of that. It is evident that I could sit here the rest of the afternoon taking down names and addresses. But I am a Jew-hater, and I do so amid a torrent of thanks and good-byes.

After all what a little world it is, and what a friendly world. Moses is going the other way from the Jews of New York, and from this war-torn land his kind reach out their hands and cry to him across the sea: "Father is here, and the family is well."

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FOOD SUPPLY AMPLE, BERLIN ANNOUNCES

Government Explains That New
Regulations Are Merely to
Protect the Poor.

HAS RECORD POTATO CROP

And More Grain Than Is Needed for
Live Stock—Women Warned
Against Food Riots.

From a Staff Correspondent.
Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
BERLIN, Oct. 24.—In response to a request from Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the Imperial Chancellor, Arnold Wahnshaffe, Under Secretary of State, has given out a statement regarding Germany's most pressing problem, the food supply.

The Under Secretary's statement follows:
The hostile press is trying to convince the world that our enemies' plans to starve out Germany are succeeding, that the Germans with all their livestock are hungering, and, therefore, soon will be forced to make peace.

"The only thing that has kept this talk true is that our enemies have cut us off from the importation of all the necessities of life and, in violation of all international law and all the principles of humanity, are trying to starve out our peaceful and working civil population. As a matter of fact, we have a law of supply and demand no longer holds good, as in times of peace. Government regulation must supplant this law at many points in order to spare the poorer population from excessive high prices. As a matter of fact, we have carried over from the last year's harvest into the new much grain that we are compelled to let 3,000,000 tons of it be fed to the cattle. We can do this because we know the quality and quantity of our new grain crop.

Record Potato Crop.
"We have also this year such a record potato crop as Germany has never known before in her existence. We had figured on having a good crop of 45,000,000 tons of potatoes, but as a matter of fact we have 60,000,000 tons. To this must be added a surplus of potatoes from the enemy's territory which is occupied by us. In this connection we are not even dependent on Germany for feeding our armies.

"The raising of hogs has in the last nine months had an undreamed-of impetus, which will be further increased by the manner in which the Government has taken steps to increase the number of hogs. The raising of hogs has in the last nine months had an undreamed-of impetus, which will be further increased by the manner in which the Government has taken steps to increase the number of hogs.

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Regulation of Prices.
"Maximum prices also will be fixed for milk with special consideration for children, nursing mothers, and the sick. For all these cases a supply will be assured by means of municipal milk stores and milk cards. Other measures also will be taken to provide a sufficient supply of meat at cheap prices to the poorer population by means of meat cards or tickets. To achieve this we must be sparing in the use of meat fats and regulate the consumption in such a way that not only bread and potatoes, but all other forms of nourishment can

GERMAN-AMERICANS
OUT AGAINST WILSON

Massachusetts Hyphenated Con-
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The colonization of the land in the South has been given to the society, and many other gifts of land are expected. These tracts are to be sub-divided into five- and ten-acre plots, each equipped with a comfortably furnished home and a small farm, and the society has been planning to bring the needy families here and supplying funds to give them a start.

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The Danube has been crossed near Orsova and Slava Berta Hill won. Three officers and seventy men were taken prisoner. The army of General Boyadjeff has captured a Russian munitions store near Prabhovo on the Danube, north-west of Negotin, and has occupied the western bank of the Timok River. Of the other sections of the Bulgarian Army there is nothing to report.

Vienno Tells of Successes.

An Austrian War Office communication dated Saturday says: Southeastern War Theatre: The army of General Koevess yesterday broke into the Kozma position, west of the road from Belgrade to Sandjars, which was consolidated as a fortress. The German forces advancing through the Morava Valley ejected the enemy from the heights north of the lower Jasenica. Near Orsova the Austro-Hungarian and German forces captured mountain positions on the southern bank of the Danube and Fort Elisabeth, near Tekla.

The Serbians on many points of the shaken front, in dissolution and dispersed, are retreating everywhere in a hasty and disorderly manner. Near Vukovar the Austro-Hungarian troops dislodged the enemy from the heights of the town of Vukovar. The Bulgarian First Army's advance has made further progress in the middle of the Timok and southeast of Kniaszevatz.

The text of the Bulgarian official statement dated Sofia, Oct. 22, follows: In the Timok Valley our troops have reached the left bank of the Timok River, between Kniaszevatz and Zaječar. Fighting continued for possession of the town of Kniaszevatz.

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The Serbians on many points of the shaken front, in dissolution and dispersed, are retreating everywhere in a hasty and disorderly manner. Near Vukovar the Austro-Hungarian troops dislodged the enemy from the heights of the town of Vukovar. The Bulgarian First Army's advance has made further progress in the middle of the Timok and southeast of Kniaszevatz.

The text of the Bulgarian official statement dated Sofia, Oct. 22, follows: In the Timok Valley our troops have reached the left bank of the Timok River, between Kniaszevatz and Zaječar. Fighting continued for possession of the town of Kniaszevatz.

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HUSBAND ALSO WILL DIE

Three Lose Their Lives in Rhode
Island When an Auto-
mobile Hits a Tree.

KILLINGS HERE INCREASE

Highway Protectors Say Reckless
Driving Follows Lax Enforce-
ment of Law.

Special to The New York Times.
MOUNT CLEMENS, Mich., Oct. 24.—
Seven persons, six of them members of
one family, were killed outright this after-
noon at Fraser, five miles from here,
when a fast Grand Trunk passenger
train struck an automobile driven by
William Stoldt. The dead were flung
along the tracks for a quarter of a mile.
Stoldt, mortally hurt, was taken to a
local hospital.

The dead are Mrs. Rachel Stoldt, Avon
Township, 44 years old, wife of William
Stoldt; their children, Pearl, 17 years;
Esther, 15; Hazel, 12; Mabel, 10, and
Martha, 8 years old, and Miss Minnie
Engel, 47 years old, sister of Mrs. Stoldt.
The train which hit the auto is not
scheduled to stop at Fraser. Two wit-
nesses say that the whistle was sounded
for the crossing. Stoldt, if he saw the
train coming, was probably under the
impression that it would stop at the sta-
tion and that he was in no danger of
making the crossing, or he may not have
noticed the train's approach until he
emerged from behind a house and grove
of trees which obstructed the view of the
tracks. At any rate, he drove the auto
on the tracks directly in the path of the
locomotive. The train was a few min-
utes behind time, and was going at a
high rate of speed. The automobile was
hit squarely in the middle. The front
wheels were hurled through the fence
and the body of the car was hurled into
the air. The car was carried nearly a quarter of a mile
and flung beside the tracks. Other parts
of the auto were found in a field several
hundred feet from the right of way.

THREE DIE IN AUTO UPSET.

Car Skids on a Railroad Crossing
and Hits a Tree.

WICKFORD, R. I., Oct. 24.—Three
persons were killed and two were seri-
ously hurt tonight when a touring car
in which they were riding skidded in
going over a railroad crossing at high
speed, struck a tree, and then over-
turned. The dead are John Priestly and
Mrs. Rosa Ann Greenwood of Paw-
tucket and Mrs. John Whitney of Prov-
idence. The severely injured are Mrs.
Annie Fowler of Wickford and the wife
of her husband, and Whitworth Green-
wood of Pawtucket. The driver of the
automobile, Edward Fowler of Paw-
tucket, escaped with minor injuries.
The members of the party had been to
Narragansett Pier for the day and
were on their way home when the acci-
dent occurred.

BOY KILLED; BROTHERS HURT

Auto Runs Down Children, Hand in
Hand, in Fifth Avenue.

Three boys walking across Fifth Ave-
nue at Twenty-sixth Street late yester-
day, hand in hand, were struck by an
automobile. They were taken to Bel-
levue Hospital, suffering from possible
broken bones and other serious injuries.
The three brothers were Julius Gaug,
11 years old; Vincent, 9 years old, and
Matthew, 15 years old, of 314 East
Twenty-sixth Street. Julius died at 8
P. M.
The children had been to a moving
picture show and were returning home.
Crossing Fifth Avenue they became
confused at the traffic and stepped
backward into the path of an auto-
mobile owned by John and Felix Brogoli
1404 Fourteenth Avenue, Brooklyn, and
driven by George Morton, 174 West Sev-
enty-fourth Street. The children were
thrown fifteen feet. Patrolman Parke
of the West Third Street Station
carried them to the automobile and bur-
ied them to Bellevue Hospital.
Morton was charged with the charge of
felonious assault and locked up in the
West Third Street Police Station.

L. A. BREGLIA HURT.

Thrown Against Seat in Broadway
Collision.

Louis A. Breglia, of 600 West 178th
Street, is in Washington Heights Hospi-
tal, suffering from a concussion of the
brain, contusions of the head and face,
and shock, as a result of an automobile
collision yesterday afternoon at Broad-
way and 108th Street.
Mr. Breglia was riding with his son,
Dr. John A. Breglia, in St. Nicholas
Avenue. When they reached 108th Street
Dr. Breglia's sight of Broadway was ob-
scured by a machine coming north.
At the same time a third automobile
driven by Helmut Kranich of 314 West
Eighty-first Street came west along 108th
Street and hit the Breglia car.
Dr. Breglia was thrown out of the car
and escaped serious injury, but his fa-
ther was thrown against the seat and
struck on his head. Mrs. Kranich, who
was riding with her husband, was cut
about the face from flying glass and
suffered from shock. Both cars were
damaged.

AUTO KILLINGS INCREASE.

Lax Law Enforcement Partly Re-
sponsible, Highway Protectors Say.

In a statement issued yesterday, au-
thorized by George F. Le Brun, Secretary
of the Legislative League for the Con-
servative of Human Life, and Edward
S. Cornell, Secretary of the National
Highways Protective Society, attention
is called to the fact that 142 persons
have been killed by automobiles in New
York City in the first nine months of
this year, a considerable increase over
the 128 automobile killings of last year.
The reason for the increase, the state-
ment says, is the failure of the District
Attorney's office to prosecute "reckless
automobile drivers."

"For the 142 homicides," the state-
ment says, "not an indictment has been
published. Of the 142 homicides only
twelve have been presented to the Grand
Jury, and six of the twelve were dis-
missed. Yet there were twenty-two
cases among the 142 in which Coroner
Jury found the drivers guilty of negli-
gence. Many of these killings were man-
slaughters in the second degree, accord-
ing to Section 1532 of the penal law.
Similar cases in New Jersey, Connecti-
cut, and Illinois have resulted in indict-
ments for manslaughter and severe jail
sentences, and in those States automo-
bile fatalities are not so many as here."
Appended to the statement is a list of
seventeen killings in which Coroners'
juries found the drivers guilty of negli-
gence. The list follows:

CATHERINE MAHER, 60 years old, struck
by Dec. 25, 1914, at Second Avenue and
Twenty-eighth Street. Died on Jan. 6,

1915. Automobile driven by Samuel
Brandwein.
WILLIAM MULCAHY, 48 years old, killed
on Jan. 4, at Lafayette and Grand Streets.
Automobile driven by Carl L. Nelson.
PATRICK LEMMY, 30 years old, killed on
Jan. 14, at Fifty-seventh Street and
Tenth Avenue. Automobile truck driven
by Arthur J. Stahl.
RAPHAEL JACOBS, 12 years old, killed on
Jan. 15, at First Avenue and 121st Street.
Automobile truck driven by Morris Dichel.
MIKE LIFRIERI, 8 years old, killed on
Jan. 19, at 10th Street, near First Ave-
nue. Automobile driven by Joseph Napia.
JOHN HURLEY, 10 years old, killed on
Jan. 18, in front of 1,622 First Avenue.
Automobile truck driven by Daniel P.
Keough.
EDWARD JONES, 9 years old, killed on
Feb. 20, at Fifth Avenue and Sixty-third
Street. Automobile driven by Fred
Teach.
JOHN REDLING, 10 years old, killed on
Feb. 20, in Eighty-sixth Street, near
First Avenue. Automobile driven by
Salvatore Ventre.
GEORGE H. HARRIS, 62 years old, struck
on Jan. 27, at 124th Street and Amster-
dam Avenue. Died on March 18. Auto-
mobile driven by Louis Gruter.
SADIE MICHAELSON, 12 years old, killed
on April 8, at 110th Street and Lenox
Avenue. Taxicab driven by Charles H.
Richter.
WILLIAM GILMORE, 8 years old, killed on
April 19, in front of 144 West Fifty-fifth
Street. Automobile driven by August
John.
VERDINO DONDICCO, 65 years old, killed
on April 12, at Canal and Mott Streets.
Automobile driven by Joseph King.
WEDELIN BOLLWEGER, 65 years old, struck
on April 27, in Forty-second Street.
Automobile driven by William L. Orestia.
GEORGE CHARLES, 49 years old, struck
on May 8, at 10th Street and 10th Ave-
nue. Died on May 18. Auto-
mobile driven by Fred Strutz.
CHARLES J. WALCOTT, 41 years old, killed
on May 10, at Fifty-third Street and
Eighth Avenue. Automobile in tow of
car driven by Charles Crow.
JOHN DOYLE, 33 years old, killed on May
24, at Delancey Street and the Bowery.
Automobile truck driven by Patrick Man-
dink.
JAMES DONOHUE, 15 years old, killed on
June 3, in Central Park West, near
Elliott Street. Automobile driven by
Elliott Kohn.

FORM SUGAR-TEST-SQUAD.

Dr. Taylor and U. of P. Students
Trying to Disprove Diabetes Theory.

Special to The New York Times.
PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 24.—A Pro-
fessor of Physiological Chemistry and
sixty-five first-year medical students of
the University of Pennsylvania are
placing themselves on a sugar diet and
undergoing blood tests in order to dis-
prove the present "sugar" test for dia-
betes and pituitary gland ailments.
These experiments, which are being
conducted by Dr. Alonzo E. Taylor,
Benjamin Rush, Professor of Physio-
logical Chemistry in the University
Medical School, are the result of an-
numerable unnecessary operations for
pituitary gland diseases in the Univer-
sity Hospital. In many instances an
operation revealed the total absence of
any trace of diabetes or pituitary gland
afflictions, in spite of the almost certain
indications of the sugar test.
Induced by a desire to determine more
accurately the relative amounts of
sugar that may be given to normal and
diseased persons without a subsequent
manifestation in the blood, Dr. Taylor
began conducting experiments. The
first of these were upon dogs whose
pituitary glands were injured in such
a way as to make the animals slug-
gish. "Certain amounts of sugar were
fed to these animals, and the results
showed that they were known to be dis-
eased and ought therefore to have ex-
hibited traces of sugar in the blood."
Dr. Taylor then began experimenting
upon himself, consuming from seven to
ten ounces of sugar a day, making fre-
quent blood tests to discover just what
amount of sugar it was necessary to
consume before the blood would reveal
its presence. Last week he took a class
of first-year medical students in physio-
logical chemistry of his experiments and
asked for volunteers for his class.
There were eighty-four men in the class, and about
sixty-five promised to take the
sugar tests. They are now being placed
on a sugar diet of from seven to nine
ounces.

WILSON ATTENDS CHURCH

Accompanied by His Fiancee—Mrs.
Galt Engages a Social Secretary.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—President
Wilson, for the first time since the an-
nouncement of his approaching mar-
riage, occupied his pew at the Central
Presbyterian Church this morning. He
was accompanied by his fiancée, Mrs.
Galt, and his eldest daughter, Miss
Margaret Wilson. This afternoon was
devoted to a long motor ride. Mrs. Galt
later joined the family dinner party at
the White House.

Mrs. Galt and different members of
her family lunch or dine daily at the
White House, while on several occasions
each week the President is her guest at
her home. Miss Helen Woodrow Bones
usually accompanies the President when
he dines with Mrs. Galt, who is using
these occasions to present her relatives
and close personal friends. The dinner
company rarely numbers more than
eight, frequently only six.
Mrs. Galt has engaged as her social se-
cretary Miss Edith Benham, daughter of
the late Rear Admiral A. E. K. Benham,
U. S. N. Miss Benham took up the work
of social secretary shortly after the
death of her father. The former Am-
bassador from Russia and Baroness
Rosen, the former Ambassador from
Great Britain and Mrs. Bryce, Mrs.
Theodore P. Shonts and her daughters,
and the late Mrs. Duncan McKim have
been patrons of Miss Benham. The early
marriage of Miss Isabella Hagner, who
resigned from the post of social se-
cretary at the White House is expected
to take effect this week, places Miss
Benham in what her friends believe to
be the line of succession to this coveted
post.

Teacher Dies of Injuries.

Miss Sarah Flynn, 61 years old, a
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yesterday in St. Luke's Hospital of in-
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120th Street and Broadway, where she
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She was arrested and charged with
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44 SEIZED IN GAMBLING RAID.

Two Detectives Pen Score of Men
in Corner of a Room.

Detectives Gaffney and Fanulo,
dressed like tramps, were in Williams-
burg before daylight yesterday morning
looking for an Italian wanted for a stab-
bing affray. In the back room of an
Italian saloon at 3 Withers Street they
heard suspicious noises from an adjoin-
ing apartment. Forcing their way in,
they found thirty men playing cards,
with a good deal of money on the tables.
Many of the men got out through the
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volvers and displayed their shields; but
twenty men were detained in a corner
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From one of the men the police got in-
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All the men were arraigned yesterday
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MELLEN CONTINUES HIS EVIDENCE TODAY

Ex-President of New Haven to
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Central Bargain.

DIVIDED UP NEW ENGLAND

"Corsair" Agreement Was Made
on Yacht of the Late J. P.
Morgan.

Charles S. Mellen, ex-President of the
New York, New Haven & Hartford
Railroad, will once more be on the
stand today in the trial of the Govern-
ment's prosecution of William Rockefeller,
Lewis Cass Ledyard, and nine other
New Haven Directors in the charge of having
violated the Sherman law in trying to
monopolize the transportation facilities
of New England. He has been testify-
ing concerning what happened while he
was the Second Vice President of the
road, and it will probably take him
two more days to complete that part of
his evidence.

The most important matter that he
has as yet talked about was the capture
of the New York & New England Rail-
road by the New Haven, when it seemed
likely that it would become part of the
New York Central system. The main
question at that time already been put
in evidence, but the Government con-
tends it will show more clearly yet the
aims and methods of the defendants.
Mr. Mellen will be asked about the
first Corsair agreement, which was so
called because it was drawn up on the
yacht "Corsair," belonging to the late
J. P. Morgan. This was the result of
the competition of the New York Central
and the New Haven, and was an agree-
ment between them as to the di-
vision of business, so as to prevent the
fights which had up to that time char-
acterized the railroad business of New
England.

TO ROUND UP ARMY PLAN.

President Will See Chairman Hay
Today and Chamberlain Later.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Final work
on the army plan which will be pre-
sented to Congress at the next session
will be done this week. Secretary Gar-
rison's program, which has been ap-
proved in its general outlines by Presi-
dent Wilson, will be discussed by the
President tomorrow with Representative
Hay, Chairman of the House Military
Affairs Committee, and probably later
in the week with Senator Chamberlain,
Chairman of the Senate committee.
Chairman Hay had his first conference
with the President soon after the pro-
gram was completed by Secretary Gar-
rison, and it was understood that he
had not approved all of its details. He
has been working on the subject since
and is understood to be ready to tell
the President just what he thinks should
be done.
Senator Chamberlain, in published in-
terviews, has approved the main details
of Secretary Garrison's plan, and
committed to spending more money for
the army than before. He is now on his
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Teacher Dies of Injuries.

Miss Sarah Flynn, 61 years old, a
teacher, of 110 West 123d Street, died
yesterday in St. Luke's Hospital of in-
juries inflicted last Wednesday night at
120th Street and Broadway, where she
was knocked down by a taxicab owned
and operated by Albert J. Ellis of 52
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She was arrested and charged with
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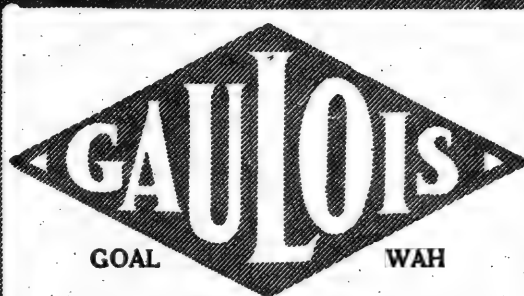
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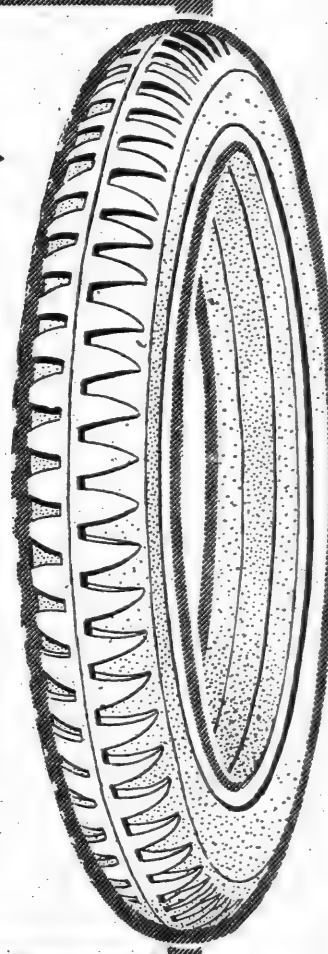
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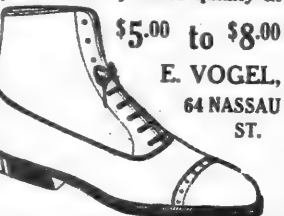


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ARREST TWO AFTER LONG SUBWAY CHASE

Shots Fly as Alleged Pick-pocket Leads Detective Nine Blocks Underground.

FAKE "ROLL" WAS THE BAIT

Police Say Prisoners Preyed on Drunken Men in Early Morning Hours.

After a nine-block chase in the subway, during which several shots were fired, John Raymond of 15 West Eighty-ninth Street was arrested shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday morning by subway detectives and with Harry Brown, a 165 Madison Avenue, was held under \$2,000 bail on a charge of stealing a roll of bills from one of the detectives while he was sleeping. According to the subway detectives, the men are members of a band which preys on drunken persons.

The alleged robbery occurred on the platform of the 124th Street and Lenox Avenue subway station, where Stephen J. Sullivan, an interborough detective, was lying on a bench. Sullivan and Albert Buchanan, another detective, had gone there as a result of many complaints of robbery in that section. Persons who admitted they had been drinking. While Sullivan pretended to be asleep Buchanan waited at the other end of the platform. Sullivan had in his pockets a roll of stage money, and a real one-dollar bill, marked on the outside.

According to the story the detectives told at the West 124th Street Station before Magistrate Appleton, the practical joke was played on the station about 4 o'clock and went through the detective's pockets. He took out the roll of bills and the one-dollar bill, and passed it to Raymond.

Sullivan seized Brown and called for help from Buchanan. The other detective meanwhile had concealed himself in the ticket booth, and when he started to Sullivan's assistance he was delayed by trouble with the lock. Before he reached Sullivan Raymond had jumped over the tracks and was running down the street.

Buchanan followed, and, drawing his revolver, ordered Raymond to stop and fired six shots, but Raymond ran on. When he reached the 116th Street Station he sprang upon the platform and started for the street, with Buchanan yards in the rear.

As soon as Sullivan realized that Raymond was starting down the tracks he ran to the ticket booth and, still holding Brown a prisoner, telephoned to the 116th Street station. He got into communication with the ticket agent just as Raymond got on the platform. The agent ran out, but Raymond knocked him down and sprang up the stairs.

Patrolman Kunkel was standing in the street, but he thought that Raymond was merely a man in a hurry until he heard the ticket agent's cry of "Stop thief."

Kunkel gave chase and caught Raymond at 116th Street and Fifth Avenue. The roll of bills and the one-dollar bill and it was not found in Brown's pockets. Later it was picked up on the platform of the 124th Street station near the place where the robbery occurred.

Both men were arraigned before Magistrate Appleton in Harlem Court and held for the Grand Jury on charges of grand larceny. According to the police, both men have criminal records and Raymond was only recently released from Elmira, where he was sent for picking pockets. Both men denied they had robbed Sullivan.

APPEAL TO THE PRESIDENT.

Merchants' Association Says Hudson River Is Polluted.

The Merchants' Association has appealed to President Wilson for assistance through the Secretary of War for the enforcement of the contract between the Bronx Valley Sewer Commissioners and the United States Government, which provided for the elimination of the pollution of the Hudson River.

In a statement to the President taken to Washington by Edward Hatch, Jr., President William Fellows Morgan of the association wrote in part: "When you were Governor of New Jersey the municipalities of that State situated on the west bank of the Hudson River, opposite the mouth of the sewer then under construction by the Bronx Valley Sewer Commissioners, petitioned you to intercede to prevent the pollution of the Hudson River. A suit was entered into the case, whereby the Commissioners formally and of record agreed to the construction of a purification plant, which stipulation rendered intervention on your part unnecessary.

"Acting in good faith upon the stipulation and relying upon its fulfillment, the United States withdrew the suit. The Commissioners actually acquired a site for such a plant, but beyond that point nothing has been done in spite of the stipulation. The agreement made with the United States Government has been violated by the Commissioners, and the pollution of the river by the raw sewage continues in increasing volume."

PRISON WORK GROWS.

Salvation Army in America Makes Annual Report.

The prison work of the Salvation Army in America during the last year included 8,809 religious meetings in jails and penitentiaries, at which there was a total attendance of 416,466 convicts. Of this number there were 31,561 prisoners with whom the Salvation Army workers prayed, and 6,987 who professed conversion. The results of the prison work of the Salvation Army are shown in the annual report on that phase of the army's activities, just issued under the title, "Brighter Day."

The prison work was extended into 324 institutions for criminals, as compared with 271 the preceding year. The work was conducted by 2,000 officers and many hundreds of subordinate workers. From the prisons the Salvation Army won 91 soldiers and 19 recruits. Meals, beds, clothing, tools, and transportation were given to 4,238 prisoners, and among all the prisoners 12,600 visiting hours were spent by the army's workers.

It is almost as though a new era had dawned, says Commander Eva Booth, "for, although our prison work had its genesis as far back as 1885, the development during the last decade far exceeds all that of the two decades preceding."

The report shows that libraries were established in 22 prisons. For men reformatory, and for women 34 rescue homes with a capacity for 1,200.

OLIVE WHITMAN SPONSOR.

Governor's Daughter Will Name the Naval Militia's Hydroaeroplane.

Miss Olive Whitman, the daughter of Governor Whitman, will name the first of the hydroaeroplanes presented to the Naval Militia of this State by the National Aeroplane Fund next Monday, from the ship Granite State, lying at the foot of West Ninety-seventh Street.

Commander Charles L. Poor, head of the Naval Militia, will accept the machine, which is a 100 horse power, and is of the type used by the United States Navy, and which was presented by Glenn H. Curtiss through the National Aeroplane Fund. After the christening, Ensign Lee H. Harris, who has received a course of instruction at the Curtiss school, will take the machine for a short flight.

In addition to Governor and Mrs. Whitman, Mayor and Mrs. Mitchell, Mr. Leonard Wood, Captain Mark L. Bristol, Director of Naval Aeronautics; General Dyer, General Eddy, Adj. Gen. Stotesbury, Major Gen. O'Ryan, Commodore Forshaw, and Admiral Usher will be present. Alan R. Hawley, President of the Aero Club of America; Henry A. Wise Wood, Vice President; and Henry Woodhouse, a Governor, will represent the club. Glenn H. Curtiss will also be present.

The acquisition of this hydroaeroplane will place New York in the position of being the only State having aviation corps in both the National Guard and Naval Militia.

WINTER BATHING SEASON ON

Coney Island Organizations Take a Dip at Parkway Baths.

Coney Island's three winter bathing organizations, the Polar Bears, Snow Birds, and Arctic, were out yesterday afternoon to the number of about 150, playing with the medicine ball on the beach and plunging into the chilly water at the Parkway Baths.

All three organizations, though the first one started only four or five years ago with a few members, are growing rapidly, and many neophytes had their first experience yesterday. Old-timers are wondering how many of the recent initiates will survive the really cold weather.

Several thousand strollers on the boardwalk and many fur-clad automobiles whose cars were parked on the promenade watched the evolutions yesterday.

VOORHEES VICTIM OF PLOT?

Manager for Chicago Broker Scoffs at Theory of Robbery.

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—That Franklin R. Voorhees, who was killed in the Hyde Park hotel last night, was not murdered by robbers is the belief of Albert E. Starkie of Aurora, who was export manager in the brokerage office of Mr. Voorhees.

"I am positive that Voorhees was the victim of an international plot," said Mr. Starkie tonight. "I have every reason to believe that he was killed by agents of the Germans or Allies. The theft of his diamond pin was simply to cover up the crime. Our firm has been supplying both the Germans and the Allies. We have been expecting trouble."

"Has anything occurred in Mr. Voorhees's office to strengthen your theory?" Yes, two weeks ago we detected a stranger at our door, said Mr. Starkie. "He had disappeared when Mr. Voorhees stepped into the hall. We were all suspicious about the man's actions. Mr. Voorhees remarked that his actions were peculiar."

CALLS SHEPARD ACT BEST PREPAREDNESS

Care of Child Life Most Vital to Nation, Says Dr. C. F. Reisner.

PRAISES ADOPTION OF WAIF

Believes Bestowing of Human Love Worth More to America Than Battleships.

The Rev. Dr. Christian F. Reisner, speaking last night at the Episcopal Church on "Modern Preparedness," used the example of Mr. and Mrs. Finley J. Shepard's adopting a child from an orphanage in an appeal for personal service.

"Mrs. Shepard," he said, "has again demonstrated that she is a practical disciple of the Galilean who went about doing good. It has been easy to buy off responsibility by subscribing large gifts to orphan homes instead of making a place in heart, home, and habits for the parentless child. Thousands more might well imitate her splendid example. Think of the love that is being lavished on dogs, while there are countless little ones starving for personal human love."

"Why do not some of the jingoes that are much exercised lest we be not prepared when a German Zepplin and recognize the danger of lost preparedness when the child life of the nation is neglected?"

Recently a new society was organized to rub the hyphen out among Americans who wear it in their mind and heart. The members decided to co-operate with schools, colleges, Government agencies, and the foreign-language newspapers; but the clergy were supposed to be impractical in any such thing. Nothing can melt out race antipathy and merge all peoples together but the doctrine of the fatherhood of God.

"Modern preparedness means something more than building navies and raising armies. It means that we are looking after our citizenship. Responsibility for social duties must be enforced. Rich men's sons have no intrinsic right to property simply because the will that caused them to inherit it was not broken in a court of justice."

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., has proved the earnestness of his purpose to be a good steward by living with his employees. Any man is a traitor to his country who thinks he can use an estate or a business for his own aggrandizement."

MANLIUS CHILDREN DEAD.
Detectives Disprove Claim of Relationship to Shepard Heir.

SPECIAL TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.
TARRYTOWN, N. Y., Oct. 24.—Detectives who have been employed by Mr. and Mrs. Finley J. Shepard to investigate the parentage of "John Doe 104," the four-year-old recently adopted by the Shepards, have made the positive statement that there is nothing in the claim of Edward Edwards of Manlius, N. Y., that the boy may be his half-brother. Edwards said his father, who was by the name of McLeary and Edwards, died in the Harlem Hospital in August, 1914, leaving two young children, Angus and Wendolyn.

The Shepards are being many other claims of relationship, but they assert that the detectives made an exhaustive search before the child was adopted, and then decided that his parents were dead.

PLAN FOR MONARCHY IN CHINA HALTED

Foreign Recognition an Obstacle—Talk Now of Making Yuan Shih-kai Hereditary President.

PEKING, Sept. 15. (Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—Chinese officials interested in the monarchical movement apparently regarded the change from a republic to a monarchy as strictly a domestic question when they started the Society for the Preservation of Peace. The difficulties which would be encountered in getting foreign powers to recognize a new Government received little consideration when the monarchical Party launched the campaign.

The Peking Gazette prints an article today which intimates that Dr. Reich, the American Minister, discouraged the monarchical movement when the proposition was laid before him previously to his departure for America. Sir John Jordan, the British Minister, is also known to have advised recently that the change in the Government of China would be inadvisable at this time. Other foreign diplomats in Peking are also said to have advised against the plan of the Society for the Preservation of Peace.

This position of foreign representatives has been responsible largely for a halt in the plans and the suggestion that the Presidency be made hereditary, thus making it possible for Yuan Shih-kai and his family to be assured of the highest office without the change from the name of republic to that of monarchy. Of course, it would not be necessary to get foreign recognition if the form of government were not changed.

Many Chinese papers have ridiculed the idea of a hereditary Presidency, and the original promoters of the Society for the Preservation of Peace, contributed an article to the Sun Yü-nan, one of the Chinese papers called Kua Hua Pao, in which he denounced the hereditary President idea and argued strongly for a monarchy.

DR. DUMBA MADE A NOBLE.
Francis Joseph Reported to Have Rewarded Former Ambassador.

BERLIN, Oct. 24. (Via London.)—Dr. Constantin Dumba, whose recall last month as Austro-Hungarian Ambassador to the United States was requested by President Wilson, arrived in Berlin today with his wife. Commenting on the arrival of the diplomat, the Vossische Zeitung says: "We learn from a usually well-informed source that Emperor Francis Joseph has ennobled Ambassador Dumba."

BOTHA PARTIES WIN 94 OUT OF 130 SEATS

Voters of Union of South Africa Favor Premier's Imperial Policy.

JOHANNESBURG, Oct. 24.—Premier Botha and his Imperial policy gained an important victory in the Parliamentary elections just concluded in the Union of South Africa.

The Botha party elected fifty-four of its candidates, the Unionists, who are supporting the Premier, captured forty seats, and the Independents returned five members, as against twenty-seven seats won by the Nationalists, or Hertzog Party, and four Labor members returned.

The Nationalists opposed the military operations against German Southwest Africa, and are attempting to defeat the plan of dispatching a contingent of the Union forces to Europe.

A striking feature of the election was the severe defeat of the Labor candidates.

CAN'T DEFEND ARMENIANS.

Turkish Statesman Says Government Has No Gendarmes in Interior.

BERLIN, Oct. 24. (Via London.)—The Constantinople correspondent of the Tageblatt, Emil Ludwig, sends the story of an interview which he had with Hali Bey, President of the Turkish Chamber of Deputies, regarding the Armenians. Hali Bey is quoted as follows: "They are traitors. You have in mind certain excesses and blunders, but, believe me, the Government is not responsible for them, and regrets them as sincerely as anybody. But we have no more gendarmes in the interior. Everybody is under arms as a soldier. This it comes to pass that we have not everywhere been able to restrain the rage of the Mohammedans against the traitors to their country. The Government itself will only keep the Armenians so far from the theatre of war that they cannot conspire with the enemy."

Hali Bey pointed out, says the correspondent, that the Armenians went over to the Russians by thousands when the latter made an incursion to Van, and asked: "Will you defend such things?"

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 24.—A dispatch from Constantinople to the Frankfurter Zeitung says that Hali Bey, former President of the Turkish Chamber of Deputies, has been appointed Minister of Foreign Affairs in the Ottoman Cabinet.

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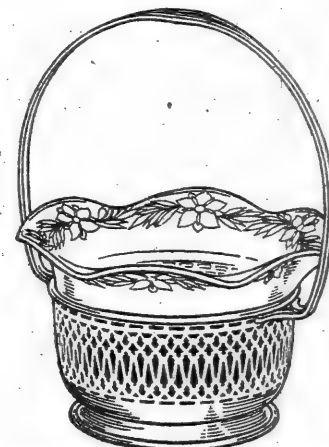
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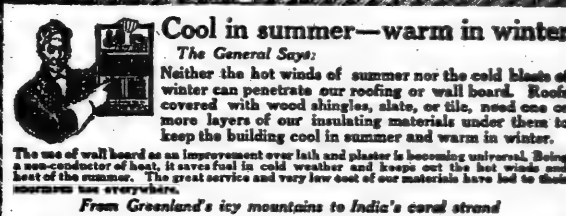
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ANOTHER SOLDIER SHOT BY MEXICANS

Bandits and American Infantry Fight at Scene of Train Hold-Up On the Border.

BROWNVILLE, Texas, Oct. 24.—Soldiers of the Fourth United States Infantry and Mexican bandits engaged in a skirmish tonight shortly after 8 o'clock at the scene of the train robbery and murders last Monday.

One American soldier, Private Herman E. Moore, was wounded in the fight, according to reports received at Fort Brown.

A detachment of the Sixth United States Cavalry stationed near the Mercedes Canal, forty miles up the Rio Grande from here, was fired on from the Mexican side of the river late Saturday night from a point near a place where a small, a fiery Mexican shot, is said.

The Mexicans fired twenty-five shots. The fire was returned by the American troops and the Mexican firing ceased.

SEEK TO RECONCILE VILLA

United States Government to Act as Peacemaker in Mexico.

EL PASO, Oct. 24.—The United States Government is to assume the rôle of peacemaker between the Carranza de facto government and the Villa faction in Mexico, it was learned here today from an authoritative source.

Negotiations are soon to be opened with General Francisco Villa by George C. Carothers, Special Agent in Charge of the United States army, who is said to have been furnished here by the United States Government with representatives of the Villa faction.

It is said that the terms which Mr. Carothers will present to Villa are: That Villa will come to the United States, an absolute asylum will be furnished him here by the United States Government.

Mr. Carothers will also be asked to leave Mexico and come to the United States to receive asylum.

The Villa army in its entirety will receive asylum and full guarantees will be given to every member.

TO RETURN STREET RAILWAYS

Carranza Government Takes Inventory of Mexico City Property.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. MEXICO CITY, Oct. 24.—An inventory is being made of the rolling stock, equipment, and other property of the Mexican railways company, with view to returning the lines to the company.

Several months they have been operated by the government. The corporation was founded in 1904 by the late Dr. F. S. Pearson of New York, who went down with the Lusitania, was one of the principal owners.

MEXICO HEARS OF RAIDERS.

Outfitted by Germans to War on Ships with Oil for British.

LAREDO, Texas, Oct. 24.—T. D. Everett of Tampico, Mexico, who arrived here today, says it was reported in Tampico that several small vessels had been outfitted on the Texas and Mexican Gulf coasts with arms and ammunition and sent by German agents to Mexico for the purpose of waging war upon tank steamships engaged in carrying oil to the United States.

It is stated that practically all of the fuel supplies for the United States now comes from the Mexican oil fields through the port of Tampico.

FIRST CLASH IN SONORA.

Villa's Advance Guard Meets Carranza Troops.

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Oct. 24.—A sharp fight between the advance guard of Villa's soldiers and a detachment of Carranza troops from Agua Prieta, Sonora, occurred early today between Agua Prieta and Frontonera, according to reports received here.

General P. Elias Calles, the Carranza commander, issued no statement as to the outcome of the fight.

EAGLE PASS, Oct. 24.—Fifteen thousand Carranza troops arrived in Piedras Negras early today on their way to reinforce the Carranza garrison at Agua Prieta.

General Villa, by arrangement with the United States government, has been permitted to move the American border at Eagle Pass and proceed through United States territory to Douglas, Ariz., whence they will again enter Mexico.

The troops for the departure of the Carranza troops who are commanded by General Castro, Mayotte, and Benjamín Hill, but have not yet been ordered to leave by Tuesday.

ALL HEED POPE'S REST LATE

None of Warring Powers to Make Prisoners of War on Sunday.

ROME, Oct. 24.—All the belligerent powers have granted the request of Pope Benedict that Sunday be a day of rest from hostilities.

BISHOP FOR STRONG NAVY.

Kinsolving, from Brazil, Exports Laymen's Missionary Convention.

PITTSBURGH, Penn., Oct. 24.—The Pittsburgh National Missionary Convention began today with 3,000 persons in attendance. Missionaries from all parts of the United States and from many foreign lands.

Colonel Elijah W. Halford of New York and the Right Rev. L. M. Kinsolving, Protestant Episcopal Bishop of New York.

Bishop Kinsolving in his address said: "I hope every citizen will stand by his President and make our navy worthy of the name."

He said the ships which he pointed in white, symbolic of peace, to carry our flag to the ends of the earth.

HONOR JEWISH HEROES.

Geigel Praises Soldiers Who Have Died in Great War.

A memorial service for Jewish soldiers who have lost their lives in the European war was held last night at 200 West 10th Street, near 10th Avenue.

The German-Jewish Military Society, thirty-four German-Jewish veterans of European war attended in uniform.

Major Fintz, of the temple conducted the service and Congressman Isaac Rabbiner made an address in which he praised the Jewish soldiers who had died in Europe.

NAVY LOOKS FOR NAMES.

Wants Distinctive Appellations for Proposed Battle Cruisers.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Secretary Daniels is giving informally some consideration to the question of the naming of the proposed new type of warships—the battle cruisers—that are to be added to the American Navy in the five-year naval program of the Wilson Administration is accepted by Congress.

The naming of the projected battle cruisers will not become a pressing matter until next summer. However, as the problem will have to be solved by the end of the year, the navy is receiving suggestions from any source for filing and consideration at the proper time.

It will not be easy to adopt a nomenclature for the battle cruisers, for the navy has a long list of names for the American Navy, and it will probably be the conclusion of the Navy Department that an equally new type of name should be found.

Congress is to be asked to authorize the construction of the new type of battle cruisers at the coming session. The third would be authorized in the 1919 program, the second in the 1920 program, and the sixth in the 1921 program.

It is not expected that the Navy will make any change in the law for next June, unless, of course, Congress should clear its calendars in time to do so.

The contracts for these vessels will be awarded, if the Navy Department is successful in its efforts, before the end of 1918. When the contracts are awarded the names for the first two battle cruisers will be chosen.

In the British Navy there is no established rule for naming battle cruisers. The early British battle cruisers bore such names as *Invincible*, *Indefatigable*, and *Indomitable*.

The *Colony* of New Zealand contributed toward the construction of a battle cruiser, the *New Zealand*, which was called the *New Zealand*. The three battle cruisers that followed in the United States Navy were the *Queen Mary*, the *Queen Mary*, and the *Queen Mary*.

The next was called *Tiger*. The *Queen Mary* was named after the queen, and the *Tiger* was named after the tiger.

It is not considered desirable to use the names of States for the new American battle cruisers, because this would confuse them with the battleships. The names of the new battle cruisers would be given to the new battle cruisers.

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NEW YORK

The foreign exchange situation is, if anything, more confusing and less satisfactory than it was before the adoption of remedies for its relief. From \$4.89½ on Monday the rate for demand sterling dropped off day by day, closing on Saturday at \$4.62½. That is the lowest point touched since Sept. 8, and it marks a decline of about 9 cents to the pound sterling from the rate established in anticipation of the arrangement for the two-Power loan. Natural factors are at work, on one side to keep down the bills drawn on London and, on the other, to increase them, but the movement of exchange rates seems to

maintained. Russian rouble, French in- at 6.98, and sterling easy at 27.51.

115 Broadway, New York City

	Last Week.	Year to Date.
1. Total number of cases	1,000	10,000
2. Total number of deaths	50	500
3. Total number of recoveries	800	8,000
4. Total number of cases by age group		
a. Under 10 years	200	2,000
b. 10 to 20 years	300	3,000
c. 21 to 30 years	400	4,000
d. 31 to 40 years	500	5,000
e. 41 to 50 years	600	6,000
f. 51 to 60 years	700	7,000
g. 61 to 70 years	800	8,000
h. 71 to 80 years	900	9,000
i. 81 to 90 years	1,000	10,000
j. 91 to 100 years	1,100	11,000
5. Total number of cases by sex		
a. Male	500	5,000
b. Female	500	5,000
6. Total number of cases by race		
a. White	600	6,000
b. Black	400	4,000
c. Other	100	1,000
7. Total number of cases by occupation		
a. Professional	200	2,000
b. Managerial	300	3,000
c. Clerical	400	4,000
d. Service	500	5,000
e. Laborer	600	6,000
f. Unemployed	700	7,000
8. Total number of cases by education		
a. High school or less	300	3,000
b. Some college	400	4,000
c. Bachelor's degree	500	5,000
d. Master's degree	600	6,000
e. Doctorate	700	7,000
9. Total number of cases by marital status		
a. Married	400	4,000
b. Single	300	3,000
c. Divorced	200	2,000
d. Widowed	100	1,000
10. Total number of cases by income		
a. Under \$10,000	200	2,000
b. \$10,000 to \$20,000	300	3,000
c. \$20,000 to \$30,000	400	4,000
d. \$30,000 to \$40,000	500	5,000
e. \$40,000 to \$50,000	600	6,000
f. \$50,000 to \$60,000	700	7,000
g. \$60,000 to \$70,000	800	8,000
h. \$70,000 to \$80,000	900	9,000
i. \$80,000 to \$90,000	1,000	10,000
j. \$90,000 to \$100,000	1,100	11,000

NEW SING SING BANK BACKED BY LEAGUE

Cash Prices for Meals Made
Runs on Two Other Private
Institutions.

CAMBLERS HAD THE FUNDS

New Prison Reform Committee Will
See Gov. Whitman This Week—
Will Back Up Warden Osborne.

They are going to open up a new bank in Sing Sing this morning. It won't lend any money, but will play safe by adopting the title of the Mutual Welfare Savings Bank. It has been found essential that one should not carry large sums of cash in one's pocket when one is in Sing Sing. Consequently, several weeks after Warden Osborne had begun paying inmates for their labor there were established two private banking institutions which did a loan business.

The system looked all right until the night when the Warden put in force his order that every one must pay 25 cents in prison coin for his luncheon. Followed a run on the banks when it was found that there was no money in the vaults. One hundred and fifty men went hungry that night, and the Directors of the bank were hard to find.

Warden Osborne has straightened that all out, and the new bank will have the guarantee of the league for the safety of deposits. Interest will be paid, and it is the intention of the War-

den to arrange that Sing Sing money shall be redeemed at its face value and the inmates be enabled to send their money to their families. It is also planned that an inmate's amount of savings shall play an important part in the deliberations of the Prison Board.

Mass Hall Loses Patrons.
It was said at Sing Sing last night that the daily attendance at the mess hall had fallen off greatly since the rule of paying for meals went into effect. Since they have to pay, many shun the mess hall and eat what friends send them.

Another feature of the installation of the financial system has been that the prison doctors have a great deal less to do. In other times an average of 150 men a day reported that they were too sick to work. A visit to a physician followed, and in due time the prisoners were "cured," in the process getting out of working for a day or so. Then the Warden put a price of 25 cents a visit upon the physician's services. The daily average of sick is now nineteen.

There is great alarm in Sing Sing over the announcement that the Warden will install a tax system, by which inmates will be assessed for a poll tax and on their savings to support those who will not work. The Warden points out that even if the shirkers are put in the "cooler," still they produce nothing, and he hopes to show the men, by forcing them to pay for the support of the non-producers, just what effect they have on society at large when engaged in criminal pursuits.

There was a story told at Sing Sing yesterday that several days ago Warden Osborne got a letter from an "alumnus," saying he had borrowed his mother's rent money in New York to go up-State after a job. He didn't get it, and was broke. He wrote the Warden that he would wait three days to receive the money from him, or he would go out and get it.

"I'm a good thief," he wrote, "and you know I can get it if I have to. It is said the Warden made the remittance."

Committee to See Whitman.
A committee composed of Adolph Lewisohn, Frank A. Vanderlip, Prof. J. C. Egbert, John J. Manning, Miss Alice Preston, and Judge William H. Wad-

hams, appointed at a meeting of the New York State Council of the National Committee on Prisons and Prison Labor, Friday night, has telegraphed to Governor Whitman, asking for an appointment the early part of this week to talk over a general scheme of prison reform for the State, and to insist that Warden Osborne be left unmolested in his work at Ossining. There is a strong conviction on the part of some of the members of the committee that some of the disturbances at Sing Sing receive their impulse from the outside.

The New York Council is perfecting a general plan to care for the families of prisoners, and for the convicts when they get out. At the dinner Friday night, which was held at the Hotel Biltmore, Prof. Egbert told of the work being done at Columbia to train teachers to aid in prison reform. Judge Wadham pointed out the benefit of the new parole law that goes into effect on Jan. 1. Mr. Manning, an official of the United Garment Workers' Union, said that skillful operating would save \$5,000 a year in the Sing Sing laundry shop. Donald C. Townsend, Secretary of the State Council, said the Council would arrange a series of entertainments and lectures to be given at Sing Sing.

\$20 FOR 10 YEARS' WORK.

Woman Gets Small Verdict for Loss of Notes for a Book.

The suit of Miss Ruth de Rochemont, a teacher and author, against the Boston & Maine Railroad, for \$7,000, has just resulted in a verdict for \$20. The story of the plaintiff in court was that for ten years she had traveled in India, Persia, Europe, and the United States, taking extended notes and making sketches for a comprehensive book on art.

In the Fall of 1911 she gathered these things together and packed them in a box, which, with five other boxes con-

taining household goods, were sent to Portsmouth, to the Boston & Maine Railroad.

All the articles shipped were safely delivered in New York but the box containing the sketches and drawings, which never was heard of afterward. The railroad answered the suit by saying that when the boxes were accepted by it, Miss de Rochemont's father said all the boxes contained household goods, and intimated that this statement was made to avoid paying the extra rate charged for goods valued at more than \$10 per 100 pounds. Miss de Rochemont's father having died before the suit came to trial, it was not possible to refute this evidence.

SEES STATE TAX IN 1916.

Research Bureau Says Glynn Should Have Levied \$13,000,000.

The Bureau of Municipal Research, to be made public today on the finances of the State, with special reference to the direct State tax of \$20,793,000 levied by the Legislature this year, finds that the tax was necessary owing to the increase in appropriations for 1915-16 and failure to provide the revenue required for the fiscal year ended Sept. 30, 1915. A direct tax of \$13,000,000 should have been levied by the Glynn administration last year, it says.

The bureau says: "Each Legislature should provide enough sources of revenue to meet the expenditures it authorizes, and should not attempt to postpone tax legislation when it is evident that existing sources of revenue are not sufficient." The bureau estimates that \$25,300,000 additional revenue will be needed for the next fiscal year with direct taxes of approximately \$20,000,000. Regarding the amount of revenue to be derived the report says: "The 1915 estimated deficit may be wiped out by a continuation of the 'good luck' which has relieved this fiscal year. On the contrary, a reversal of the situation may cause the actual revenues to fall below the estimate. But I understand that it is of the greatest importance to the churches. Whether the churches take advantage of the opportunity which can be found under the Gary system is a matter which

WIRT CORRECTS AN ERROR.

Says Religious Instruction Is Not Essential to Gary Plan.

William A. Wirt, Superintendent of Public Schools of Gary, Ind., who is putting the Gary system into effect in schools in the Bronx, told the congregation of St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church at Eighty-sixth Street and West End Avenue last night that religious instruction outside of the schools was not an original or essential part of the Gary plan.

He said the plan had been in operation for twelve years in Gary before the Church discovered that the system, in seeking to keep children wholesome busy for as many hours of the day as possible, afforded an opportunity for the churches to employ part of the time of the children in religious education.

He said the leading advantage of the Gary plan was its furtherance of the welfare of the child through the work, study, and play program, which took the child off the streets and kept him congenially employed at various pursuits requiring him to sit at a desk only a limited time. The second advantage was an economic one, from the standpoint of cities, he said, because nearly every child in the United States had many more children than it had school seats. By keeping one set of children at work in school seats for one period and then putting them in the workshop, laboratory, playground, or elsewhere for the rest of the period, it was possible to use the seats for other sets of children during the rest of the day.

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Spurt Gives Hickey Victory.

A spurt in the last mile brought T. Hickey of St. Anselm's A. C. home first in the invitational road run of St. Anselm's Club held through the Bronx streets yesterday. J. Berneque of the Fifty-fourth Street Gymnasium and Mike Collins fought for the lead throughout the first three miles. This keen rivalry cost them an opportunity to be among the first three. Berneque finished fourth.

Weather in Cotton and Grain States.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Forecast: N. Car.—Fair, warmer Mon.; Tues. fair; gentle e. to e. winds. S. Car.—Fair, slightly warmer Mon.; Tues. fair; gentle shifting winds. Pa.—Fair Mon., warmer in n. e.; Tues. fair, gentle to mod. winds, mostly e. Fla.—Fair Mon. and Tues.; gentle to mod. winds, mostly e. Ala. and Miss.—Fair Mon.; Tues. fair, cooler in n. e.; e. to w. winds on coast. Ark.—Fair Mon.; Tues. fair in n. e.; cloudy and cooler in n.; gentle to mod. e. w. winds on coast. Tex.—Fair Mon., local rains and cooler at night or Tues., except fair in s. e. Okla. and Ark.—Fair Mon.; Tues. fair, cooler. Tenn.—Fair Mon., Tues. fair, cooler in w. Miss.—Fair Mon., Tues. fair, cooler in w. Ohio.—Fair, warmer Mon.; Tues. cloudy and cooler; mod. e. to w. winds, becoming w. w. and fresh Tues. Ind.—Fair in s., cloudy and warmer o. Mon.; Tues. fair, cooler; mod. to fresh w. winds, becoming w. w. Mon. night. Lower Mich.—Cloudy Mon.; Tues. rain or snow and colder; mod. e. to s. winds, becoming w. w. and n. w. Mon. night. Upper Mich.—Cloudy and warmer Mon., probably rain; Tues. rain or snow and colder; fresh e. winds, shifting to w. and s. w. Mon. night. Ill.—Fair Monday and Tues.; cooler Tues. and in w. Mon. Mo.—Fair Mon. and Tues.; cooler Tues. and in s. and w. Mon. Wis.—Unsettled Mon., probably with showers; cooler in w. Tues. cloudy, colder in e. Minn.—Unsettled and colder Mon., probably rain in n.; Tues. fair. Iowa.—Cloudy and colder Mon.; Tues. fair. N. Dak.—Fair Mon. and Tues.; warmer Mon.; Tues. fair and cooler Mon.; Tues. probably fair, warmer. Kan.—Fair and cooler Mon., Tues. probably fair.

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10 YEARS AGO on Broadway and vicinity above 135th St. there were only a few scattered houses. Lots were worth about \$3,500 to \$7,500 each. To-day it is solidly built up. Lots are worth \$10,000 to \$40,000 each.

6 YEARS AGO at 181st St., Broadway and St. Nicholas Ave. was all vacant lots. Lots were worth in this vicinity about \$3,500 to \$8,000 each. To-day it's a thickly populated apartment house district. Lots are worth \$10,000 to \$30,000 each.

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Como Before Returning
to This Country.

PROSECUTOR WAS SEVERE

Wanted the Full Penalty for Young
American Who Slew His
Wife in 1910.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
COMO, Oct. 25.—The trial of Porter
Charlton for the murder of his wife here
in 1910 was ended today, the young
American being sentenced to six years
and eight months' imprisonment.

The jury held that Charlton was only
partially responsible, and that there
were extenuating circumstances. He
will serve only twenty-nine days in
prison, owing to amnesty.

The term to which he is sentenced is
reduced by the time he has been under
restraint. Moreover, a year is deducted
under the amnesty for all offenses com-
mitted before Italy entered the war.

The last day of the trial saw an oratorical
duel between the Crown Prosecu-
tor, Signor Mellini, and the lawyers
for the defense. The crowd was greater
than on any previous day of the trial,
those present including many women.

Signor Mellini depicted Charlton in
most unfavorable terms, his speech
being frequently interrupted not only
by the lawyers for the defense, but also
by the prisoner. Baron Sciacca, the
President of the Court, severely re-
pressed the prisoner's interruptions. The
Crown Prosecutor declared that there
was nothing that extenuated Charlton's
crime, and hinted, indeed, that he might
be tried for other violations of the law.
He said it was necessary for the dignity
of the Italian courts to make an exam-
ple of the accused, and demanded that
the maximum penalty be imposed.

The Crown Prosecutor was followed by
Signor Cattaneo for the defense. He
has befriended Charlton since he was
tried for other violations of the law.
He declared that it would be monstrous to condemn
the prisoner, who was an epileptic, for a
crime that he committed while he was
in a condition of irresponsibility and
obeying an irresistible impulse. He said
his own sincere opinion was that Charlton
should be acquitted, but that otherwise
he asked the jury to show mercy.

Signor Miceli-Picardi followed with a
powerful speech. He described Charlton
as an infant dragged by fate to com-
mit the indecent of condemning him, as
he was uttering words of defiance for his
actions when he killed his wife.

COMO, Oct. 25.—In the course of his
speech at the Charlton trial today,
Crown Prosecutor Mellini denied that
Charlton had provoked for killing his
wife, and insinuated that he married
her for her savings and had ap-
propriated her jewels after killing her.
Baron Sciacca, the presiding judge,
before the case went to the jury, asked
Charlton whether he had anything to
add to the defense. With tears in his
eyes, Charlton exclaimed:

"I trust entirely to Italian justice.
I can only say that I am a most un-
fortunate man."

Even though he was greatly pleased
by the verdict of the court and viewed
with pleasure his approaching libera-
tion from custody, Charlton maintained
his usual restrained and almost passive
attitude. He thanked all those about
him for their congratulations.

Charlton said that after his release
he would return to the United States
and join his family. Before departure,
however, he said he would visit and
personally thank friends in Como who
had, by their kindness, lightened the
hours of his captivity, and especially
Ambassador Thomas Nelson Page, who,
as the representative of the American
Government, had seen that his legal
rights were observed.

CASE AN INVOLVED ONE.

Charlton Fled Here After the Murder— Not Extradited Till 1913.

Because of its legal entanglements,
resulting in a delay of more than five
years before the prisoner, a self-con-
fessed murderer, was brought to the
bar, as well as the prominent family
connections of Charlton and his wife
and his extreme youth, the Charlton
case has gone down as one of the most
interesting recent chapters in criminal
history.

The prisoner, a slender, shy young
man—he is but 25 years old now—was
married to a woman many years his
senior. He is the son of Judge Paul
Charlton of the Porto Rican courts, a
clerk at Yale ex-President Taft. He
married the divorced wife of Neville
H. Castle of Nome, Alaska, and a sister
of Captain Henry Harrison Scott of the
United States Army. They lived in New
York a while and then went abroad.

The news of Mrs. Charlton's murder
came by cable from Milan on June 10,
1910. Her body, stuffed in a trunk, was
found by fishermen in Lake Como, near
the village of Moltrasio. The back of
her skull was crushed, as if with a
heavy club or iron bar, and her arms
and shoulders showed signs of brutal
handling. Charlton had disappeared.

The Charltons, it was learned, had
come there several weeks before and
had gone to live in a villa, which they
had rented from a Russian. Persons
who lived near by said that Charlton and
his wife, whom they knew as Mr. and
Mrs. Porter, had quarreled frequently.

NEARLY ALL PERISHED ON PRINZ ADALBERT

Berlin Confirms the Sinking of
Cruiser in the Baltic—Few
of the Crew Rescued.

BERLIN, Oct. 25, (Via London.)—Only
a small part of the crew of the Ger-
man cruiser Prinz Adalbert, sunk by a
British submarine in the Baltic, was
rescued. This was made known in the
following official statement today:
"A telegram from the Naval General
Staff, dated Oct. 23, states that the
cruiser Prinz Adalbert was sunk by two
shots from an enemy submarine off
Libau. Unfortunately, only a small
portion of the crew could be rescued."

The complement of the Prinz Adalbert
was 537 men. An official announcement
from Petrograd yesterday said that she
had been sunk.

WIRELESS TELEPHONE TESTS CUT SHORT

Must Stop Talking to France Be-
cause of Interference With Im-
portant War Dispatches.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
PARIS, Oct. 25.—Paris, Va., again
established wireless telephone con-
nection with the Eiffel Tower early this
morning and, as on several previous oc-
casions recently, talked clearly with H.
E. Shreve of the American Telegraph and
Telephone Company, who is here in
connection with the experiments.

The French Government, however, re-
sists to announce that the experiments
must cease for the present owing to the
interference caused by them of im-
portant war messages. Although the ex-
periments have proved successful it is
probable nothing further will be tried
until a transmission station has been
built on this side, which, hardly will
be possible before the termination
of hostilities.

SLAY ALL ARMENIANS IN CITY OF KERASUNT

Turks Wipe Out Entire Popu-
lation in Town on the
Black Sea.

LONDON, Tuesday, Oct. 25.—A dis-
patch to The Daily Mail from Odessa
says:
"The Turks have massacred the en-
tire Armenian population of Kerasunt,
on the Black Sea."

Kerasunt is a seaport in Asiatic
Turkey about thirty miles from Trebizond.
It is situated on a rocky promontory,
with a spacious bay on the east side.
The heights surrounding are covered
with luxuriant vegetation. The popu-
lation of Kerasunt is about 24,000.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—An eyewitness
story of Armenian atrocities, given to
the British staff at the Dardanelles
by an Armenian prisoner who was serving
in the Turkish Army, is sent by the
Reuter correspondent with the Darda-
nelles fleet. This Armenian says that
a declaration of martial law at Zile in-
cluded the confiscation of all Armenian
property.

MALLORY SHIP BURNS WITH BIG COTTON CARGO

Freighter Colorado Destroyed off
Georgia Coast—Crew Picked
Up at Sea.

Special to The New York Times.
BALTIMORE, Oct. 25.—In a wireless
message to the Merchants and Miners'
Transportation Company today, Captain
Clarence Kirwan of the steamship Su-
wanee announced that last night he re-
scued the crew of the Mallory Line
freighter Colorado, cotton laden, which
caught fire and was wrecked.

Captain Kirwan said he came upon
the burning steamer near Cape Roman,
off the Georgia coast, about twenty
miles north of the mouth of the Sa-
vannah River. According to his mes-
sage, the Colorado already had been
abandoned. It was a moonlight night
and the sea was calm. The Colorado's
men were evidently taken from the
boats. The Colorado was bound for
New York from Charleston.

Special to The New York Times.
SAVANNAH, Ga., Oct. 25.—The crew of
the Mallory Line freighter Colorado,
which was wrecked off the Georgia coast
last night, was picked up by the steamer
Suwanee of the Savannah route this
morning en route to Baltimore.

It is said the burning liner will be a
total loss. Several tugboats and other
vessels are standing by. The Colorado
carried 5,000 bales of cotton. It is not known
how the fire started.

No word has been received so far at
the office of the Mallory Line regarding
the cause of the fire aboard the steamer
Colorado. Captain Congdon sent a
wireless message in reported today
from the steamer Suwanee saying that
he and the crew of thirty-seven officers
and men were safe on board the Su-
wanee and expected to reach Baltimore
tonight.

Latest Shipping News.

ARRIVED—SS Tuscania, Glasgow, Oct. 18.
BY MARCONI WIRELESS—SS Frederik
vill, Copenhagen to New York, was 400
miles east of American Light at 8 P. M.; due
at her pier Wednesday morning.

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RUSSIANS BEGIN GENERAL ADVANCE

Petrograd Plans Have Been
Helped by the German Con-
centration in North.

BIG RESULTS PREDICTED

Meanwhile the Germans Are
Pushing Forward to Take
Dvinsk by Flank Movements.

BOTH SIDES ACTIVE THERE

Austrians Said to Have Broken
Russian Line on a Two-
Mile Front.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
LONDON, Tuesday, Oct. 25.—A
general advance is now well under
way on the Russian front, according
to the Petrograd correspondent of the
Morning Post, who intimates that the
Russian military plans are being
furthered by the German concentration
of troops in the north in the attempt to
gain Dvinsk and Riga.

The correspondent writes:
"The Germans have temporarily aban-
doned frontal attacks on Dvinsk and
now put all their hopes in a variety of
manoeuvres to capture it by flank ap-
proaches."

"It is now pretty plainly indicated
that their attempts to get across the
Dvina are being concentrated at two
points, the northern being an island six
or eight miles long and two miles broad,
which divides the Dvina stream a few
miles southeast of Riga, and the south-
erly being about Iloukai."

"The island above Riga offers certain
facilities for bridging, and judging by
the intensity of bombardment now
being maintained by the Germans on
this spot, bridging operations are begin-
ning."

"From a strategic point of view, the
whole German scheme toward Riga,
Dvinsk and the Dvina River generally
seems doomed to prove another fiasco,
for the most important work at present
is going on in a region about which
officially nothing is heard."

"The Russian plan, as well served
by the concentration of the German
forces precisely those conditions which
were postulated by the Russian plans,
and before the winter closes down there
are likely to be some brilliant results from
the general advance now well under way
on the Russian front."

Russians Attack in the North.

LONDON, Tuesday, Oct. 25.—The Rus-
sians are fighting pitched battles in the
Riga and Dvinsk regions in an effort
to retake the ground won from them by
Field Marshal von Hindenburg last
week. The Russian attacks southeast of
Riga have been repulsed, according to
the German press, as were those undertaken
northwest of Dvinsk. The German
forces, however, which crossed the Ilou-
kai, north of the town of that name,
withdrew in the face of a superior Rus-
sian army.

It has been asserted by the Germans that
Russian attacks in the lake district
south of Dvinsk were repulsed, and
that the Austrians have broken through
the Russian lines over a front of more
than four kilometers west of Komarow.

The German campaign in Courland is
being undermined by British and
Russian submarines, which have stopped
all mercantile traffic to the Baltic
ports, and one of which has sunk the
cruiser Prinz Adalbert.

The official report from Berlin says:
Group of Field Marshal von Hinden-
burg: South of Kekauk, southeast of
Riga, the Russian line was repulsed.
Counterattacks made by the Rus-
sians against position taken by us on
the 23d northwest of Dvinsk failed.
The number of prisoners has now increased
to 22 officers and 3,705 men. Twelve
machine guns and one mine thrower
were captured.

Weak German forces which had ad-
vanced toward Iloukai, over the
top of the same name, withdrew to the
west of the town of Loozow, which was
evacuated Friday. Near Czartorysk
our attacks are progressing. Near
Komarow we repulsed the enemy.

Group of Prince Leopold of Bavaria:
The position is unchanged.
Group of General von Linde: West
of Komarow the Austrian troops
have penetrated the enemy position
over a front of four and one-half kilo-
meters wide.

This report of the operation in the
Russian theatre of war was issued by
the Austrian War Office.

Near Novo Alexievsk the Germans
launched several attacks, which were
repulsed. Five attacks were re-
pulsed. During the sixth a party of
Germans succeeded in penetrating one
of our works. Our troops, fighting
with great courage, repulsed the ene-
my, and captured the rest. The attack was
repulsed.

On the front, in the region of Fried-
richstadt, there were small engage-
ments. On the 23d the Russian line
left bank of the Dvina, northwest of
Jacobstadt, and in the forest region
west of the town of Iloukai, were re-
pulsed by small detachments.

Near Dvinsk, in the region east of
Iloukai, the Germans attempted to
develop their offensive, but were
stopped on the border of the forest.

Enemy attempts to make progress
to the east of the village of Pochin-
ka, miles east of American Light at 8 P. M.; due
at her pier Wednesday morning.

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RUMANIA CLOSES FRONTIER TO BULGARS

Refuses to Allow Transit of
Goods and Searches Passen-
gers and Luggage.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
ROME, Oct. 25.—(Dispatch to The Lon-
don Daily News.)—As Bulgaria has arbi-
trarily refused to allow the transit to
Rumania, of goods, loaded at Saloniki,
even when they were imported before the
outbreak of war, Rumania is retali-
ating by refusing to allow the transit
of Bulgarian goods.

She has therefore practically closed her
frontier, and commercial relations be-
tween the two States are completely in-
terrupted.

Meanwhile the surveillance of passen-
gers bound for Bulgaria has increased.
Luggage is carefully searched, and at-
tempts at smuggling are often frus-
trated.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
ROME, Oct. 25.—Notwithstanding more
encouraging news from Serbia, much
apprehension is expressed here over the
course of events in Rumania. It is
thought her isolation will force her to
abandon her neutrality.

The imminent Ministerial crisis is not
thought a favorable sign for the
Quadruple Entente powers, as expressed
that the Germanophile Ministry will
dominate popular opinion. Italians are
not very hopeful of the final outcome,
and urge the Allies to be ready for the worst.

Another delayed official statement,
filed on Saturday at Nish by the corre-
spondent of the Paris Havas Agency, follows:

One of our columns made a counter-
attack on the right bank of the Milava,
in the direction of Alloud-Dva, on Oct.
22. We captured two machine guns, two
machine guns, and two field
kitchens. We also made successfully
another counter-attack on the village
of Rachaisa and captured horses and
machine guns.

Fighting continued with desperation
on the northern front on Oct. 22, but
without change of position.

On the eastern (Bulgarian) front the
situation is unchanged, although fight-
ing continues. Engagements occurred
in new regions—Krivale, Velea, and
Skofle.

BRITISH TRAITOR GETS LIFE TERM FOR SPYING

Sentenced in a Civil Court, He
Has the Right of
Appeal.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—It is officially an-
nounced that a subject, who has been
tried and convicted in the Old Bailey
Court on three counts of an indictment
charging espionage and was sentenced to
life imprisonment.

The prisoner has the right to appeal.

ART WORKS RUINED IN AIR RAIDS ON VENICE

Tiepolo's Frescoes Were the
Glory of the Wrecked Church
of the Scalzi.

ROME, Oct. 25, (via Paris.)—Enemy
aeroplanes last night made two separate
attacks on Venice, and this morning at
8:40 o'clock the third attack was made.
Several bombs fell on the city,
slightly injuring three persons, but
doing insignificant material damage.

In the earlier bombardment, however,
Italy suffered the first serious loss of
art treasures which she has experienced
in the present war. One of the bombs
fell on the roof of the church of the
Scalzi, and set fire to the church and
crushed the ceiling ornamented with
frescoes by Tiepolo. Another missile fell
upon the piazzetta of the Cathedral of
St. Mark and in front of the Palace of
the Doges.

The text of the statement follows:
Enemy aeroplanes made two at-
tacks, separately, on the night of Oct.
upon Venice last night, throwing
many bombs, some of which were in-
cendiary, and one mine thrower.

One bomb fell on the roof of the
Cathedral of St. Mark, and set fire to
the ceiling, which was ornamented with
beautiful frescoes of Tiepolo. An in-
cendiary bomb fell on the church and
crushed the ceiling ornamented with
frescoes by Tiepolo. Another missile fell
upon the piazzetta of the Cathedral of
St. Mark and in front of the Palace of
the Doges.

The aeroplanes returned at about 11
P. M. One bomb fell in the court of
the Palazzo della Doge, and another
wood. Two other bombs exploded
without doing any damage. No one
was hurt.

The Rome newspapers express great
indignation at the bombardment of the
famous Scalzi Church in Venice and the
destruction of the Tiepolo frescoes. The
news of the bomb attack on Venice has
stirred the people of Rome to an ex-
traordinary degree.

The Globe, in its article, in announcing
the partial destruction of the edifice,
concludes with the hope that "the pious
Emperor and his faithful Archbishops may
be happy that the weight of their wrath
has fallen upon the Church."

The frescoed ceiling in the Church of
the Scalzi at Venice was one of the best
known works of Giovanni Battista Tie-
polo. The church itself is a fine ex-
ample of the rococo style of architecture.

According to some authorities the sec-
ond best specimen of this debased post-
Renaissance style in Venice.
Tiepolo's ceiling represented various
subjects, the most important being
"Angels Bearing the Casa Santa from
Nazareth to Loreto." The Casa Santa
is the house at which, according to the
legend, Christ was born in Nazareth.
It was born in 1386 and died in 1770.
He was the last great master of the
Venetian school of painting, a con-
temporary of Canova, the playwright,
whose appearance in the world of letters
so long after the Renaissance had run
its course was almost as remarkable
as that of Tiepolo in the realm of art.

Tiepolo is notable for great delicacy of
coloring and infinite variety of fancy.

12TH ANNUAL BUSINESS SHOW

AT 10:30 P. M.
All This Week
See Page 4, Art.

ALLIES TO SERBIA: 'HOLD OUT 5 DAYS'

Nish Hears That Help Is Com-
ing, After French Victory
Over Bulgarians.

AUSTRIANS FORCING DANUBE

And Serbs' Retreat Opens Way
to Joining Hands with King
Ferdinand's Troops.

BULGAR PORTS IN RUINS

Thousands Killed or Wounded by
Fleet's Shells in Aegean Cities—
War Loses Dismay Sofia.

Allies Tell Serbs to Hold Out Five Days, Then Aid Will Come

LONDON, Tuesday, Oct. 25.—The
Allies have asked the Serbian leaders
to resist the Austrians and Bulgarians
for only five days more, by which
time effective aid from the
Allies will be forthcoming, says The
Daily Telegraph's Nish correspondent
under date of Sunday.

The correspondent adds that, judg-
ing by the dispirited spirit the Serbian
troops are displaying, they can hold
out double that time.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
ATHENS, Oct. 25, (Dispatch to The
London Morning Post.)—Today's news
of land fighting is favorable to the Ser-
bians, with the exception of that near
Pozarevac, where the Serbs were forced
to withdraw a few kilometers to
higher and better ground. The Serbs
continue to hold their own and the Bul-
garians have suspended operations to
reorganize their forces.

Increasing arrivals of allied troops
daily are stiffening the Serbian resist-
ance. In the fighting last Thursday
between Bulgarians and French was very
sanguinary. The French lost 500 killed
and double that number wounded, but
finally the Bulgarians were driven out
of Valandovo and Babrovo along the
carriage road connecting Strumitsa with
the railway and the Vardar River.

According to authentic news from
Sofia, Bulgarian wounded from Piro
and the Timok Valley are arriving in
thousands, and the spectacle is not
without effect on the civilian popula-
tion. Even military circles are unable
to conceal their dismay, for they had
been told that the invasion of Serbia would
be borne by the Austro-Germans from the
north, and that Bulgaria's rôle would be
that of an auxiliary. Now the dis-
covery has been made that the Austro-
German force is entirely insufficient and
consequently this has not failed to de-
press Bulgarian army circles.

A similar effect has been produced by
the bombardment of the Bulgarian
coast by the allied fleet, for, de-
spite the Bulgarian official bulletins,
considerable damage has been inflicted.
At Porto-Lagos the ships directed a
rapid fire upon a large military encamp-
ment, and a few minutes resulted in
15,000 soldiers being killed and
wounded. It appears that the allied
ships moved about with perfect freedom
during the bombardment.

The bombardment of Dedesatch on
Thursday was especially severe. Most
of the houses were destroyed and the
railway stations, the train
warehouses, the Customs House, the
great steam flour mill, and the first
bridge on the Anatolian Railway line
were entirely destroyed and also all
the shipping and lighters in the harbor.
Of course, the barracks were the first
to suffer. More than 1,000 soldiers were
killed in the burned ruins and a large
number were wounded. The civilian
victims numbered only ten, of whom
two were women, the civil population
having fled from the town immediately
upon the approach of the bombarding
squadron.

I am informed on good authority that
the Greek staff are beginning to see
that the German invasion of Serbia was
more or less a piece of bluff to entice
Bulgaria into the war. Instead of the
800,000 men announced by the German
party here, barely one-fourth that force
has been detailed for the Serbian cam-
paign. This gradual enlightenment, even
if tardy, will probably have an impor-
tant influence on the situation here.

BULGARS NO MATCH FOR ALLIED TROOPS

Easily Routed on a Five-Mile
Front by French, Whose
Losses Were Slight.

LONDON, Tuesday, Oct. 25.—The
Austro-German and Bulgarian cam-
paign in Northern and Eastern Serbia
has been carried out according to the
plan, despite Serbian resistance, and
the Bulgarians who crossed the Timok
and held the town of Prachova are now
separated from the Germans who crossed
the Danube near Orsova by only a few
miles.

The Bucharest correspondent of The
Times sends the following:
"The Serbian troops have withdrawn
from the neighborhood of the Danube
and the Austrians have crossed the river,
traversing the Island of Okladia. The
Austrian forces will now obtain free
passage through Bulgaria from Orsova,
where fifty steamers and lighters, laden
with munitions, have assembled."

In the southern part of Serbia, how-
ever, the Bulgarian invasion has
suffered a serious check. The French
troops in Bosnia.

MAX BREITUNG SOUGHT IN GERMAN PLOT; TWO MORE ARRESTED AS ACCOMPLICES; LIEUT. FAY CONFESSES TO CONSPIRACY

Conspiracy Complaint Charges Max Breitung
and Fay Paid Man to Buy Plotters' Explosives

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
SOUTHERN DISTRICT
OF NEW YORK

ROBERT FAY, WALTER SCHOLZ, PAUL DAECHÉ,
MAX BREITUNG, and HERBERT KENZLE

William J. Flynn, being duly sworn, deposes and says: that he is Chief
of the Secret Service of the United States; on information and belief that
on or about the 1st day of August, 1915, and at all times thereafter down to
and including the date of the filing of this complaint, the said defendants,
Robert Fay, Walter Scholz, Paul Daeché, Max Breitung, and Herbert
Kenzle, at and within the City of New York and within the jurisdiction of
the court, did unlawfully, feloniously, and corruptly conspire and agree
among themselves and with each other to commit an offense against the
United States, that is to say, that they should, within the admiralty and
maritime jurisdiction of the United States and within the jurisdiction of
this court, willfully, feloniously, and corruptly, by surprise and open force,
maliciously attack and set upon a vessel belonging to another, with intent
unlawfully to despoil the owners of said vessel of their money, goods, and
merchandise on board thereof, and to effect the object of said conspiracy;
that said Max Breitung on or about the 15th day of August, 1915, at the
City of New York and within the Southern District of New York, did pay
Paul Selbe the sum of \$112 for the purchase of ingredients to be used in
despoiling said vessel, and further to effect the object of said conspiracy
the defendant Robert Fay, at the City of New York and in the Southern
District of New York, on the 21st day of October did pay Paul Selbe the
sum of \$23 for the purchase of ingredients and to be used for the destruction
of said vessel against the peace of the United States and their dignity and
contrary to the form of the statutes of the United States in such case made
and provided.

The source of the deponent's information and grounds for his belief are
information conveyed to him in his official position, the disclosure of which
at this time would be against public policy.

Sworn to and subscribed to before me this 25th day of October.

CLARENCE S. HOUGHTON,
United States Commissioner.

Two more arrests followed yesterday
in the alleged conspiracy of German
agents to blow up munition ships sail-
ing from New York and other ports.
One of the prisoners taken was Dr.
Herbert Kenzle, inventor and engineer,
now living at 300 West Eighty-sixth
Street, who is charged with having
given money to a German who has been
acting as a stool pigeon for the Federal
Secret Service.

The money, it is alleged, was to be
used in the purchase of explosives to
aid in the supposed plot for which
Lieutenant Robert Fay, said to be a
German reserve officer—though his
name does not appear on the German
Army lists—and Walter E. Scholz were
arrested in Grantwood, N. J., on Sun-
day afternoon.

The other prisoner was Paul Daeché,
a young German living at 141 Hutton
Street, Jersey City, who is alleged to
have bought some of the large quantity
of explosives found in the possession of
Fay and Scholz.

Warrant for Max Breitung.
In addition to these men, a warrant is
out for the arrest of Max Breitung, Sec-
retary and Treasurer of the Oil Well
Supply Company of 30 West Street, who
is said to have supplied a large part of
a fund of \$30,000, according to high
Secret Service officials, Fay and his as-
sociates have spent in the last few
months. It is not known whether Max
Breitung is related to E. N. Bre

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MRS. NICHOLS'S MAID

DESCRIBES MURDER

Edith Langfeld Testifies She

Thought Men Binding Her

Were Playing Joke.

CHIEF ACCUSER OF TALLAS

Girl Asserts the Defendant Was in

Better Position Than She to

Cry Out Warning.

The circumstances in which Mrs.

Elizabeth B. Nichols, wealthy widow of

one of the founders of the grocery firm

of Austin Nichols & Co., was strangled

or frightened to death when three men

entered her home at 4 East Seventy-

ninth Street on the night of Sept. 8 and

robbed her of \$17,000 worth of jewelry

were described in minute detail by

Edith Langfeld, a chambermaid, before

Judge Malone and a jury in General Ses-

sions yesterday. The girl was the prose-

cution's chief witness against Omie

Tallas, Mrs. Nichols's pantry boy, who

is on trial for murder in the first de-

gree because he admitted the burglars

to the house, knowing of their felonious

purpose.

The man with whom he was indicted—

Arthur Waltonen, formerly employed by

Mrs. Nichols as a butler; Eddie Lehto,

an Italian whose name is unknown

—have not been arrested. Tallas, by his

own confession, knew Lehto and Wal-

tonen when he opened the door to them.

He insists he was alone at the time.

Mrs. Nichols is in the library on

the second floor, clad in a white

wrapper and pink slippers, with nu-

merous diamond rings on her fingers

and gold watch suspended from a

diamond necklace at her throat.

Thought Murder a Joke.

Miss Langfeld was just about to fall

asleep in the butler's room, which she

always occupied on the butler's night

off. Shortly before 9 o'clock she heard

the door bell ring, and heard Tallas

walk down the hall. A silence of several

moments followed. She wondered who

entered. Suddenly a tall, slender man,

with a straw hat and a black mask,

which covered the whole of his face, ap-

peared at the foot of her bed. She re-

cognized the figure and contour of Wal-

tonen, the former butler. She thought

he was playing a joke on her, and she

said nothing as he, without a word,

pulled down the window. He stepped to

her bedside and bent over her. She

raised her hand, and gave him a mask

a slight tug without pulling it from his

hand. "What have you got that thing on

your face?" she asked.

The man did not answer. He pressed

a revolver to her temple. She still

thought he was playing a practical joke,

and she pushed the revolver away lightly

with her fingers, remarking, with an-

ger, "What is that thing away. Do you

hear?"

Another man appeared in the room.

He too masked. He pressed a rope with

which they tied her hands. They bound

her ankles together with a towel. She

could not be convinced that Arthur

as she referred to Waltonen in her testi-

mony, was serious, and so she made no

outcry. But when a third man, with

out a mask, entered, short and stocky,

whom she never had seen before, the

chambermaid thought that something

more serious than a joke was going on.

Waltonen and the second man, known

to be Lehto, turned away. The girl in-

sisted, pushing a pair of revolvers to her face.

"Maybe she's upstairs. I don't know

where she is," the girl answered.

One Man on Watch.

While the third man stood guard over

her, she testified, the two others iden-

tified as Waltonen and Lehto disappeared

into the upper part of the house. She

listened intently for sounds from above.

There was no scream. But the bell with

which Mrs. Nichols was accustomed to

summon her servants rang twice, and

faintly, a third time.

Ten minutes later the chambermaid

heard the burglar coming down the back

stairs. The man at her side urged her

free of her bonds and walked into the

hall. Tallas called to her from the other

end. She walked up to him, unbound the

rope with which his hands had been

bound, and then ran upstairs.

The two found Mrs. Nichols lying

on the library floor, with a piece of bed

sheet across her mouth. The diamond

rings had been torn from her fingers.

The diamond necklace and the gold

watch also were gone. On her fore-

finger was the gold bridge of her ere-

cles, the lenses having been broken

in her fall. At first the chambermaid

thought her mistress was unconscious

from fright. She bathed Mrs. Nichols's

face with water, then rushed to the win-

dow with Tallas and shouted for help.

It was not until policemen and an am-

bulance surgeon arrived that she realized

Mrs. Nichols was dead.

Miss Langfeld was cross-examined by

former Assistant District Attorney Le

Scher for the defense. Under cross-

examination she insisted it would have

been of no use for her to give her mis-

tress warning, because Mrs. Nichols

could not have heard her voice. Tallas

out in the hall, was in a better position

to do that, but he did not utter a sound.

Moreover, she testified, she could not

rid herself of the idea that it was all a

joke until Waltonen and Lehto had gone

upstairs, leaving the third man at her

side, who as soon as she moved her lips

to speak would press the cold barrel of

a revolver into her temple and mutter:

"Keep still! Do you hear?"

The trial continues today.

NO CUT SALARY FOR BRUERE.

He Upsets a Plan to Save the City

Nearly \$200,000 Next Year.

The Budget Committee of the Board

of Estimate, which has been holding

sessions on the 1916 tax budget in the

Municipal Building, refused yesterday

to vote for a plan to recognize the

staffs of the committees of the Board

of Estimate, as recommended by Dir-

ector Tilden Adams of the Bureau of

Contract Supervision and Director

George Tirrell of the Bureau of Stand-

ards.

The plan was to abolish most of the

committee staffs and existing bureau-

reducing the chemical laboratories and

to put all under the supervision of a

general director, who would also have

charge of a central testing laboratory.

The plan was to offer the position to

Henry Bruere, City Chamberlain, who

was expected to resign his present

position, paying \$12,000 a year, and ac-

cept a much smaller salary. When

Chamberlain Bruere heard of the plan

he appeared before the committee and

refused to make the change. As only

yesterday the Controller seemed to

favor the scheme, a vote on it was

not taken. It was estimated that the

plan would make a saving of \$130,000

in the 1916 budget.

The Budget Committee agreed to re-

duce the number of surgeons in the

Police Department from twenty-four to

twenty. The committee also recom-

mended that the number be reduced to

fifteen. Commissioner Woods told the

committee that since he has been Com-

missioner, the work of the twenty-four

surgeons had reduced the sick list, and

that many patrolmen had been released

from duty. By doing this, he said, the

surgeons had saved \$420,000 to the pen-

sion fund.

Public hearings on the budget before

the Board of Estimate have been post-

poned until Wednesday, when the

committee will consider the report on

the budget. The hearings on the Board

of Education and the library ap-

propriations will be held Friday afternoon.

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(from a letter)

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HILLES HAS ROSTER OF FAVORITE SONS

Republican Chairman Hears from Reynolds's Trip to 22 Western States.

WANT HUGHES ON COAST

Great Deal of Scattered Root Sentiment, but Not Much for Whitman—No Lack of Candidates.

The outlook for the Republicans in many States West of the Mississippi is encouraging for 1916, according to information brought back yesterday by James B. Reynolds, Secretary of the Republican National Committee, who has toured twenty-two Western States in the last few weeks. He conferred yesterday with National Chairman Charles D. Hilles.

"Mr. Reynolds tells me," said Mr. Hilles, "that he found Republicans everywhere optimistic about next year. Progressives are disbanding their organizations and returning to the fold. This is particularly true in Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Montana, Michigan, Iowa, Minnesota, and, indeed, practically every State with the exception of California. For instance, Joseph M. Dixon of Montana has quit as National Chairman of the Progressive Party and is doing all he can to bring Progressives back into the Republican Party. Senator Poindexter of Washington is doing the same thing, and so is Henry Allen in Kansas."

Mr. Reynolds found very strong Hughes sentiment in Oregon and Washington. Senator Borah will naturally have the Idaho delegation. Iowa and Nebraska will probably be behind Senator Cummins of Iowa. Indiana is solid for ex-Vice President Charles W. Fairbanks. Senator Burton will have the Ohio delegation and probably a following from Minnesota and adjacent States.

Calls Johnson "Hyphenated."

"Mr. Reynolds tells me that in all probability Governor Johnson of California, who ran for Vice President with Colonel Roosevelt on the Progressive ticket in 1912, will head the delegation from his State to the Republican National Convention and try and be the Republican candidate for President. You know Johnson is a sort of hyphenated Republican. He is present Senator William Alden Smith, and Kansas will be for Senator Curtis. Up to a few months ago Republican Leader Mann of Illinois seemed to be quite a formidable competitor for the Prairie State delegation, but our information is that he is inclined to support Senator Lawrence Y. Sherman."

"Whom do the Far Western Republicans expect New York to present?" Mr. Hilles was asked.

"Assuming that Charles E. Hughes will insist that he shall not be considered they rather look to New York to present the name of Elihu Root," said the National Chairman. "Mr. Reynolds found a great deal of scattered Root sentiment, but not much for Whitman."

The Root forces are not organized, but the "favorite son" forces are and are working energetically to get the nomination of Roosevelt and secure the adoption of the Progressive platform at the Republican National Convention," Mr. Hilles was told.

"I have heard that report," said Mr. Hilles. "I believe that that new ruler at every Progressive who returns will abide by the decision of the Republican National Convention and heartily support the candidates it names. Mr. Reynolds seems to have confirmed what we have always known, that Roosevelt was the Progressive Party."

Chairman Hilles will call a meeting of the National Committee at Washington soon to fix the date and place of the National Convention. Chicago, St. Louis, San Francisco, Dallas, and other cities are in the field. At the present time, it was said, Chicago seems to be the most likely choice.

PERKINS ASSAILS TAMMANY,

Senator Wadsworth Speaks for District Attorney.

Charles A. Perkins, Republican candidate for District Attorney, began the last week of the campaign last night by addressing five meetings. The largest was at Terrace Garden in Fifty-eighth Street, where United States Senator James W. Wadsworth, Jr., also spoke. Senator Wadsworth said the defeat of Mr. Perkins would be a severe blow to the cause of good government. Mr. Perkins said it was a pity that the defeat of Mr. Perkins would mean a reorganization of the District Attorney's office for political purposes.

"Tammany Hall is a vicious organization and no public good can be expected of it," he said. "Safety of life, limb, and property in this great city can only be assured through the co-operation of the District Attorney's office with the Police Department. Think what kind of a Police Department you would have in order to gain the co-operation of a Tammanyized District Attorney's office. We would have to have a Deyery at the head of it."

"Tammany district leaders, I understand, have sent out orders that 'Swann must be put over at all costs. You know what that means. It is the sure evidence of a determined, concerted effort to bring back the old days of violence, immunity from crime, and defiance of the laws of this State.'"

Mr. Perkins spoke also at the Republican Club of the Thirtieth Assembly District, 2,000 Lexington Avenue; Commonwealth Hall, 1832 Street; Amsterdam Avenue; Bohemian National Hall, 321 East Seventy-third Street; and Apollo Hall, 22 Clinton Street.

PERKINS ANSWERS CRITICS.

Finds No Indictments Were Had in Auto Accident Cases.

In response to criticism from Colonel Edward S. Cornell of the Highway Protective Society and Charles P. Le Brun of the Legislative League for the Conservation of Human Life, District Attorney Perkins yesterday investigated the records of criminal negligence cases arising out of automobile accidents. Colonel Cornell and Mr. Le Brun maintained in their criticism that Mr. Perkins had failed for some reason or other to prosecute at least twenty of these cases.

The District Attorney discovered yesterday that not one of the defendants in the cases cited by Mr. Le Brun and Colonel Cornell had ever been held for the action of the Grand Jury. Either no arrest had been made or else the Coroner's inquest found no evidence of criminal negligence upon which to hold the defendant for the Grand Jury.

"SONNY" QUILTS LYNDHURST.

Mrs. Finley J. Shepard and Adopted Boy Drop from the Public View.

Special to The New York Times.

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., Oct. 25.—Mrs. Finley J. Shepard and "Sonny," her adopted son, have left Lyndhurst, according to reports tonight. Mrs. Shepard attended a reception to Miss Katherine Black on Saturday, and then, it is said, she went away with her boy, but her destination has not been revealed. It is believed Mr. Shepard suggested that they go into retirement for a few days until the publicity about the adoption has blown over. They are expected back Wednesday.

"Sonny" has not alone won the hearts of Mr. and Mrs. Shepard, but he has won over all of the employees on the estate. While he is at Lyndhurst, he takes a bath in Mrs. Shepard's big swimming pool every morning. The water is heated for him, and while he paddles about a nurse is present in a small rowboat. "Sonny" salutes a number of the workmen, who always watch for him as he goes to and from. It is said the boy must come from refined parents, for he has fine features, speaks excellent English, and carries himself like a well-bred child. Both Mr. and Mrs. Shepard dote on him, and he promises to be the new ruler at Lyndhurst. A friend said today: "Sonny" is one of the sweetest and most lovable boys that I have ever met.

THIRTEEN GIRLS DIE IN PITTSBURGH FIRE

Many Others, Trapped in Box Factory, Are Saved by the Heroism of Men Employees.

ONE RESCUER PERISHES

He Carries Out Six Girls, but is Overcome and Burned to Death in Seventh Attempt.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 25.—Fourteen persons were killed and eight injured by a fire in a four-story building, the two upper floors of which were occupied by the Union Paper Box Company, on the North Side here this afternoon. Of the dead, all were young women employed by the company except one. Many of the bodies were so burned as to make identification difficult. Mayor Joseph G. Armistrong at once ordered that the police, City Council, and the Coroner make a thorough investigation of the fire.

The dead are as follows:

SELMAN, COLLETTA, aged 15.
WANER, HELEN.
ZOBOK, SOPHIA, aged 22.
PARKMAN, EDNA, aged 15.
LINK, DOROTHY, aged 15.
BAKER, FLORENCE, aged 21.
JOSS, CECILIA, aged 17.
DUNAPPLE, BERTHA, aged 24.
BRENNING, OTILLIE, aged 20.
BRENNING, LAURA, aged 24, sister of Otillie.
MILLER, MYRTLE, aged 20.
HAYES, MARCELLA, aged 17.
HAAG, SELMA.
VALLON, PETER.

The flames started in a pile of straw in the rear of the feed store of James Brown & Co. on the first floor of the building. William C. Kimbel, General Manager of the box factory, as once went to the third and fourth floors and warned the girls employed there to leave the building quietly. The flames gained headway so rapidly, however, that escape by means of stairways and fire escapes was soon cut off. Some of the girls attempted to go to the dressing room for their hats and there, huddled on the floor, firemen found a majority of the bodies.

Joseph L. Bash, aged 24, and A. J. Seagle, employed on the second floor of the building, were about to jump when they were attracted by the screams of girls in the window above. The men told the girls to jump. One by one as the girls leaped Bash and Seagle caught them, lowered them as far as they could, and then let them drop to the sidewalk.

C. R. Carlisle, driver of a transfer wagon, drove his wagon into an alley in the rear of the building and threw up a rope to some girls in a window

above. After making the end of the rope fast their girl dropped to safety. Margaret Steigerwald, who was injured by jumping from a second-story window, said she and five other girls were trapped in the building when someone closed the door with the girl in the doorway on the second floor.

"We got our wraps and started down the stairs," said Miss Steigerwald. "As we reached the second floor some person closed the door at the head of the stairway, and we were trapped. We tried to open the door without success, and then we started back to the third floor. One girl pushed me away from a window, and I was the last to jump."

An attempt of a man to make moving pictures of the removal of bodies from the building was stopped by the police. W. Noble Matthews, Superintendent of Police, said arrests would follow any similar attempts.

One of the heroes of the fire was Peter Vallon, who was burned to death. When the fire was discovered he was working on the street with a girl in his arms. When he did not appear the seventh time, spectators notified the firemen. Vallon's charred body on the second floor. Near him lay the body of a young girl whom he had evidently tried to rescue.

Francis Feehan, a State Inspector, died after examining the building after the fire, and said the fire escapes were inadequate.

REFUSE TO END STRIKE.

Machinists Still Out in Schenectady, While Electric Employees Return.

Special to The New York Times.

SCHENECTADY, Oct. 25.—Ten thousand men, or practically all but 2,000 machinists and 1,000 electrical workers and steam fitters, returned to work at the local plant of the General Electric Company today after a three weeks' strike for an eight-hour day, accepting the company's compromise of a nine-and-a-half-hour day with a 5 per cent. increase in wages. The machinists attempted to picket the plant this morning, but were so outnumbered that they abandoned the task and are now centering their efforts to start another strike later in the week.

It was said today that the other crafts returned to work to protect their charter, as the Metal Trades Alliance, the central body for the strikers, accepted the company's offer, and promised to have the men back at work this morning. Just where the machinists stand in this matter cannot be learned. The men in staying out today acted upon the advice of International Vice President Kerpner, and they look to him for protection in case of any disputes with the international organization.

This afternoon General Manager Emmons of the company issued a notice that the men would receive their first pay next Wednesday, although the regular date is two days later. This will be done to aid conditions which have arisen during the three weeks' strike. He also stated that if any of the employees are in need of money for immediate use, they may draw on their salary in advance.

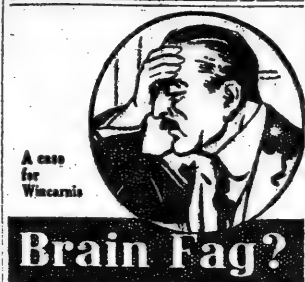
CRITICISE FLETCHER FOR WAR GAME MOVES

Defeat of Defenders Arouses Brother Officers—Knight Reports on Strategy Employed.

Special to The New York Times.

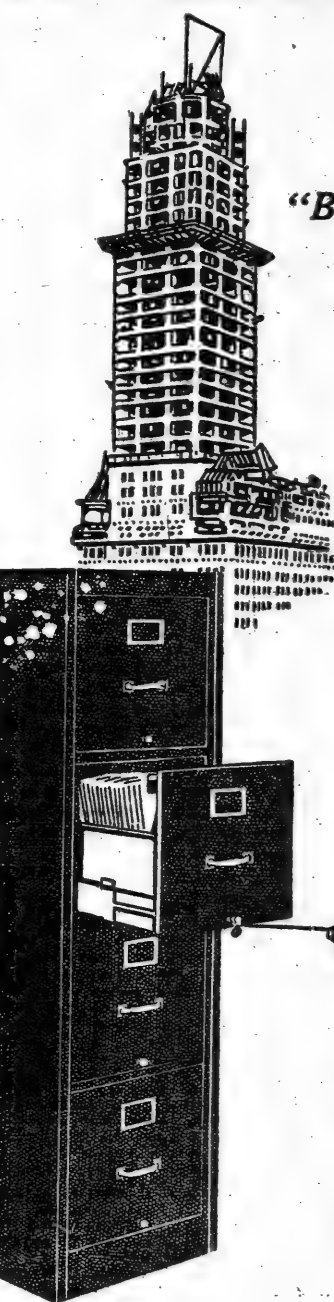
WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The Navy Department has received a report from Rear Admiral Austin M. Knight, who commanded one of the fleets engaged in the recent war game off the Middle Atlantic Coast, in which, according to rumors here, the strategy of Admiral Frank F. Fletcher, Commander in Chief of the Atlantic battleship fleet, who was Admiral Knight's opponent in the war game, is criticized. High officials of the Navy Department admitted tonight that Admiral Knight's report had come to hand and also a report on the war game from Admiral Fletcher, but it was said that the reports had not been received by Secretary Daniels and could not be given out for publication. It was indicated that Admiral Knight's report had not been examined sufficiently to determine whether there was a basis for the rumors that he criticized Admiral Fletcher's strategy.

Mrs. Richard Derby Improving. Mrs. Richard Derby, who underwent an operation for appendicitis last Friday at her home, 118 East Seventy-ninth Street, was reported last night as progressing satisfactorily. Mrs. Derby was formerly Miss Ethel Roosevelt. She returned last Spring from Paris with her husband, Dr. Derby, after they had spent considerable time in war relief and hospital work.



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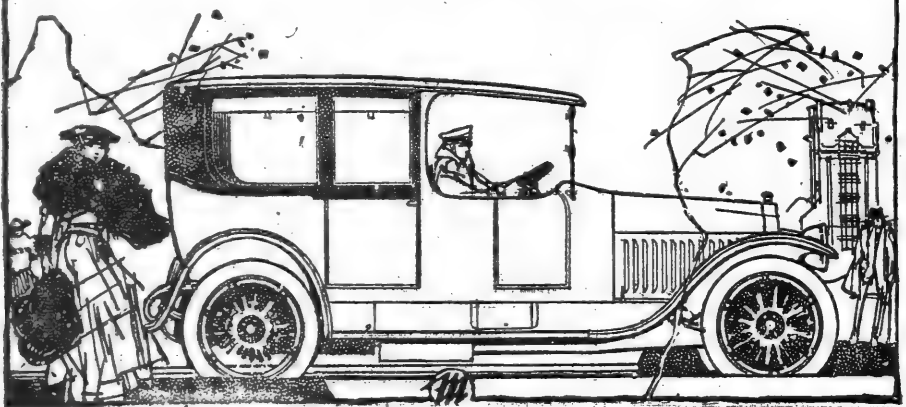
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JUSTICE BISCHOFF'S ESTATE INSOLVENT

Appraiser's Report Shows That Supreme Court Member Died in Debt.

INDORSER OF MANY NOTES

Involved in Financial Troubles of Firms from Which He Withdrew.

Testimony given in the report of Transfer Tax Appraiser Anthony P. Ludden in his appraisal of the estate of Supreme Court Justice Henry Bischoff, filed in the office of the State Controller yesterday, shows that the estate is insolvent. There is no definite amount fixed as to the excess of liabilities over assets.

Under the heading of contingent liabilities the following claims against the estate are listed: Andrew Friedman, \$7,500; estate of Thomas Storms, \$7,500; Irving National Bank, \$65,000; and American Surety Company, \$75,000. Under the subhead of rejected claims are Andrew Friedman, \$2,500, and estate of Thomas Storms, \$840.

Appraiser Ludden has suspended any estimate of value on these claims, and accordingly has set them aside in reporting on the value of the estate for present purposes. Of the \$2,222 goes to the widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Collamore Bischoff, of 24 East Fifty-eighth Street, \$1,000 to Woodlawn Cemetery, and the remainder to the Justice's son-in-law, Shelton.

The itemized assets are given: Cash on hand, \$15.84; jewelry, personal effects, etc., which include the Justice's books, \$1,610.40, and his salary as Justice due, \$1,548.34, aggregating \$3,574.58, and 250 shares of the Metropolitan Securities Company stock, \$27,076.47. The debts aggregated \$20,849.91, and include funeral expenses, \$1,757.45, and claims allowed, \$17,265.01.

History of Notes.

In explanation of the contingent liabilities there is an affidavit included in the report by James S. Meng, the son-in-law, which reads in part:

"Referring to the Irving National Bank claim the facts are briefly: The Irving National Bank holds a note of Henry Bischoff & Co., (brokers and forwarders), a partnership composed of James S. Meng and Henry J. Becker, for the sum of \$100,000, which the decedent indorsed, and this note by payment was reduced to \$65,000, now due thereon. The bank, however, holds as collateral for said note stock of the Bischoff Banking House, a corporation, for the sum of \$100,000.

"When the firm of Henry Bischoff & Co., composed of James S. Meng and Henry J. Becker, failed and were placed in the hands of trustees in bankruptcy, the trustees brought an action against the banking house, seeking to hold the banking house liable for certain deposits made by individuals who claimed that they thought they were putting their deposits in the banking house, when as a matter of fact they were placing their deposits in the firm of Henry Bischoff & Co. The outcome of this suit, if the trustees are successful, will undoubtedly cause a material reduction in the securities held by the bank, and if the bank does not secure the amount due, the estate, of course, will be liable for the deficiency, which in all probability will be nearly the entire sum.

Explaining further, Mr. Meng's affidavit says:

"The claim of the American Surety Company arises upon the bond furnished to the State of New York Banking Department, as required by law in relation to private bankers. The decedent was on the bond, and had not obtained his release. The American Surety Company, upon payment, will have a claim for that sum against the estate.

"The claim of the Storms estate, the affidavit sets forth, arises upon the lease

of premises which Henry Bischoff & Co. sublet to the Bischoff Banking House as a monthly tenant. The lease was made, it is explained, while the Justice was a member of the firm of Henry Bischoff & Co., and expired in May, 1915. The premises were vacant for a great part of the time, the affidavit recites.

Some Claims Rejected.

One Andrew Friedman claim, for \$7,500, was on a note of the firm of Henry Bischoff & Co., composed then of James S. Meng and Henry J. Becker, and was indorsed by the Justice. The affidavit further says:

"However, upon all these claims the estate will have claims against the bankrupt estates of Meng and Becker. What will be realized upon these claims is very problematical, but it is certain no very large amount. The estates of the bankrupts are very much involved and the list of creditors, among which are many hundreds of depositors, does not lessen the burden, but will no doubt in time involve this estate, as these creditors may seek to hold this decedent's estate.

Referring to the rejected claim of Friedman, the affidavit sets forth that it arose from a note for \$7,500, of which all but \$2,500 was paid, and when the last amount came due, the time was extended without the consent of the decedent. The Storms claim for \$840 arose out of a lease, the affidavit states, made when the Justice was not a member of Henry Bischoff & Co.

The report shows that the widow received a silver service set, household furniture, paintings, bric-a-brac, jewelry, etc., to have the income for life from one-half the residuary estate. Gifts of the Justice to his two grandchildren, the Misses Winifred Caroline and Anna Louise Meng of 620 West 122d Street, include a half interest each in the proceeds of a \$10,000 policy in the Mutual Reserve Benefit Association of America. These gifts, the affidavit alleges, are of no value because of the financial embarrassment of the institution prior to the death of the Justice.

The Justice's provision in his will bequeathing all his interest in Henry Bischoff & Co. to his son-in-law, Mr. Meng, is held to be of no value, because the Justice ceased to be a member of the firm about a year before his death.

There is no mention in the report of the \$77,000 verdict recovered by the widow from the Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank for the death of Justice Bischoff, who was killed by falling from the eleventh floor of the bank building, in March, 1912. The Appellate Division has just affirmed the verdict.

\$150,000 CASH TO HIS WIDOW.

Siegfried Rosenberg Also Adds \$10,000 Income for Life.

That Siegfried Rosenberg, member of the importing house of S. Rosenberg & Co., left an estate in excess of \$250,000 when he died on Sept. 30 in Germany is indicated by his will, filed for probate yesterday.

After bequeathing about \$20,000 to charities the will provides that \$150,000 in cash go to the widow, Jenny Rosenberg of Frankfurt, Germany, who also receives \$40,000 in mortgages on her husband's personal effects and insurance and an income of \$10,000 during her lifetime.

On the death of the widow the principal of the fund which furnishes the income for her is to be placed in the residuary estate, and that is to be divided equally between two brothers, Herman Rosenberg, who resides in Frankfurt and Adolph Rosenberg of 472 West End Avenue; a sister, Susanne Schlessinger of Frankfurt, and a nephew, Siegfried M. Kahn of 133 Central Park West.

The will directs that the executors set aside a fund of 50,000 marks to be used by the widow in her discretion for the benefit of Hebrew institutions, and the fund is to be known as the "Siegfried and Jenny Rosenberg Stiftung. There is a further provision that 100 marks be distributed among the poor of the decedent's birthplace, Langendiebach-Hanau, Germany.

There are bequests of \$500 each to Mount Sinai Hospital, the Hebrew Benevolent and Orphan Asylum, the Montefiore Home, the Home for Aged and Infirm Hebrews, and the United Hebrew Charities. There are a number of small bequests, aggregating \$8,000, to charitable institutions in Germany.

The income from 3,000 marks is to be used for the upkeep of the graves of the testator's relatives. He also left bequests to several cousins.

SEA FIGHTER NEVADA READY FOR HER TEST

America's Newest Warship Here from the Fore River, Mass., Yards.

HAS ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS

First of Dreadnoughts to Burn Oil—Has French Gun-Turret Arrangement.

The new superdreadnought Nevada, the greatest ship of her type afloat, arrived at the Brooklyn Navy Yard yesterday morning from the yards of her builders, at Fore River, Mass. In appearance, in arrangement of her batteries, and in many other important ways the Nevada is a ship the like of which was never before seen in New York. She has a broadside in weight greater even than that of England's great superdreadnought, the Queen Elizabeth, and the great revolving turrets are so placed that every gun in the main battery can be fired from either the port or starboard side.

Nearly three times the tonnage of the famous old Oregon, not far from twice as big as "Bob" Evans' old flagship, the Connecticut, and 8,000 tons greater in tonnage than the Delaware, the first of American ships of the dreadnought type, indicate the size and the offensive and defensive strength of the newest of American sea fighters.

The Nevada is the first of the first-line units of the navy to mount anti-aircraft guns; she is the first dread-

nought to burn oil exclusively for fuel, and she is the first of American line ships with a single funnel. Likewise, she does not stand so high out of the water as some of her predecessors, and for that reason does not offer the target some of the older battleships do. The new fighter made a beautiful picture as she slowly steamed through the bay and into the East River on her way to the navy yard yesterday morning. A big blue pennant, on which appeared the words "Fore River," alone indicated the fact that as yet she had not been officially accepted by the Government, an acceptance that will not take place until after the conclusion of the official builder's trials off Rockland, Me., which will be steamed within the next week or ten days. Captain Joseph J. Kemp, Marine Superintendent of the Fore River Shipbuilding Company, brought the ship to New York, making a leisurely voyage that lasted from last Friday afternoon until late Sunday night, when the Nevada arrived off the Ambrose Channel Lightship.

In the two and a half days the Nevada was at sea Captain Kemp and his assistants took advantage of the opportunity to give the ship the benefit of a little tuning up. During several speed trials the Nevada developed a speed of more than nineteen knots, and yesterday it was stated that there is no doubt of the ship's ability to make twenty-one knots when she starts over the

measured course off Rockland a few days hence. The contract speed of the Nevada is twenty-one knots.

The gun arrangement on the Nevada marks an entirely new departure in American battleship armament. In all of the vessels that have been built heretofore the guns of the main batteries have been placed two to a turret. In the Nevada the ten guns are mounted in four turrets. In Turrets 2 and 3 there are two guns, and in the other two turrets, the extreme forward one and the extreme aft one, there are three guns. The three-guns-to-a-turret arrangement is of French origin, and is being followed in the placing of the main batteries on all of the ships of the first line now authorized or in process of construction. With the exception of the Nevada's sister ship, the Oklahoma, all the big turrets on American dreadnoughts will in the future mount three guns of the latest improved type of fourteen-inch ordnance.

Another interesting feature in the armament of the Nevada is the anti-aircraft battery of four high angle three-inch guns. Two of these guns are mounted forward on the main deck, one on either side. The other two are mounted on top of Turret 2, just aft of the second of the lattice-work masts. Forward of the aft three-gun turret a platform, which in appearance looks like a bridge, has been erected on top of

this turret and on this platform will be mounted the anti-aircraft guns. These three-inch pieces are the only guns of the battery not yet in place.

The next most interesting feature of the Nevada is the fact that she will be the first dreadnought which will burn oil exclusively. Her great oil tanks have a capacity of nearly 600,000 gallons of fuel. The main armor belt of the Nevada is seventeen and a half inches thick, eight and a half feet is below the water line. The deck armor is three inches thick, while the great fourteen-inch gun turrets are, in the case of the triple-gun turrets, sixteen, and in the case of the double-gun turrets, eighteen, inches thick. The conning tower is protected with a belt of sixteen-inch armor.

Immediately on her arrival at the navy yard the Nevada went into dry dock to have her bottom scraped and painted. She is expected to come out of dry dock tomorrow, and will immediately sail for the official trial course off Rockland. During her trial several high ranking naval officers will represent the Government on board, among them Rear Admiral David W. Taylor, Chief Constructor of the navy; Rear Admiral Victor Blue, Chief of the Bureau of Navigation; Rear Admiral Robert S. Griffin, Engineer in Chief of the navy, and Captain Henry B. Wilson, President of the Board of Inspection and Survey.

\$10,000 FOR AUTO HURTS.

E. H. Hooker's Car Ran Down Mrs. George K. Curtis in 1913.

A jury in Justice Dugro's part of the Supreme Court yesterday returned a verdict for \$10,000 in favor of George K. Curtis of Montclair, N. J., in a suit against E. H. Hooker, a friend of Theodore Roosevelt. Curtis, who is President of the O'Brien Construction Company, charged that Hooker's auto hit and injured Mrs. Curtis while at Greenwich, Conn., on July 17, 1913.

Requests for Charities. Special to The New York Times. NEWPORT, Oct. 26.—The will of Miss Caroline Ogden Jones, probated today, makes these public bequests: School of Pedagogy of the University of New York, in memory of Charles Butler, \$2,000; Nursery and Child's Hospital, New York, in memory of Caroline O. McCagg, \$250; Half Orphan Asylum, in memory of Mrs. Charles Butler, \$200; Women's Exchange of Newport, \$100; Army and Navy Y. M. C. A. women's auxiliary, Newport, \$200; Newport Hospital, \$100, and the Rhode Island Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, \$100.

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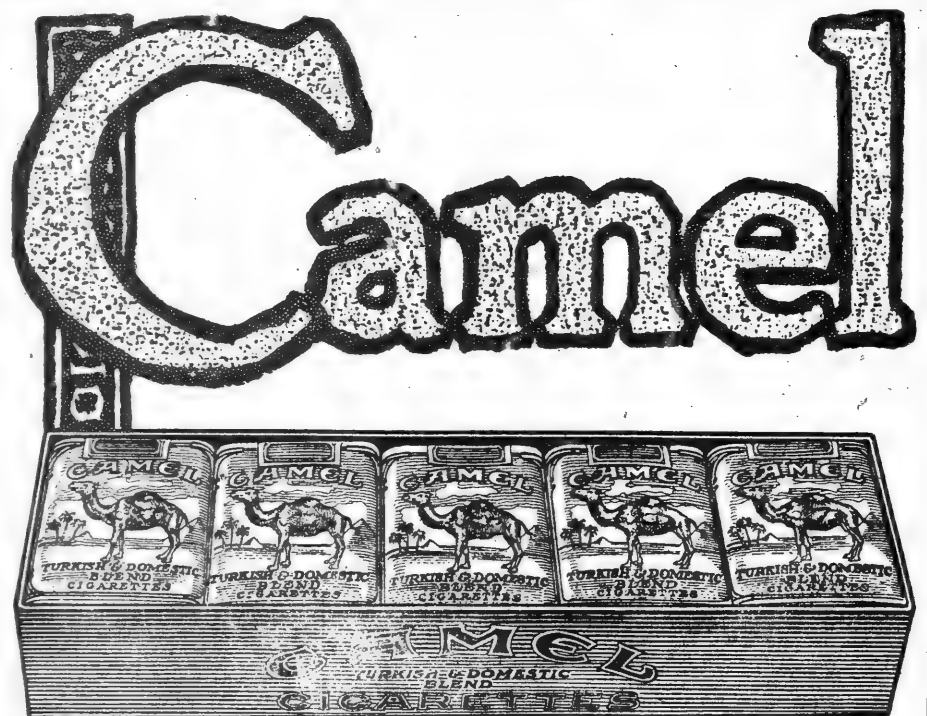
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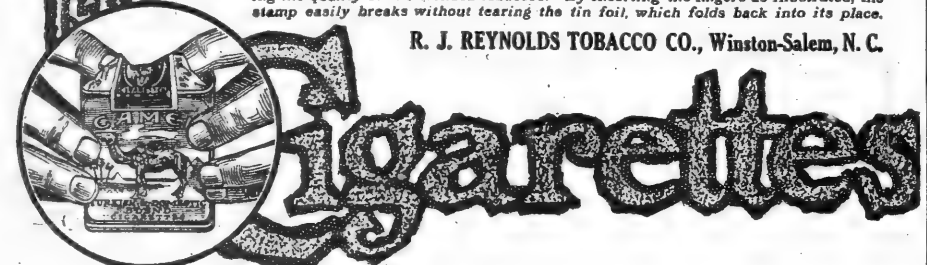
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Auber's Old Work of "The Dumb Girl of Portici" Given at the Manhattan.

DANCER IN THE TITLE ROLE

Giulio Zanolini a Leading Spirit in Cast Containing Felice Lyne—Big Audience Applauds.

AT THE OPERA. "The Dumb Girl of Portici." At the Manhattan Opera House, last evening, the company of Anna Pavlova, Miss Zanolini, Felice Lyne, and others, gave a performance of the opera "The Dumb Girl of Portici" by Umberto Giordano. The opera, which is a masterpiece of the Italian school, was given with great success. The company, which is one of the best in the world, was well received by the audience. The performance was a great success, and the audience was very much pleased with it.

The Boston Grand Opera Company is the name of a new opera company whose activities are not confined to Boston and which is mobilized on the ancient tactical principles formerly practiced by Colonel J. H. Mapleson most conspicuously and by others. Last evening, coming from New York from experiences in the city of the East, the company gave a performance of the opera "The Dumb Girl of Portici" by Umberto Giordano. The opera, which is a masterpiece of the Italian school, was given with great success. The company, which is one of the best in the world, was well received by the audience. The performance was a great success, and the audience was very much pleased with it.

That house, it may be recalled, was permitted to be restored to operative use under the terms of the agreement of the Metropolitan Opera Company with Mr. Hammerstein, by which he was debarred from giving opera in it for ten years, and other people for five years. The five years having expired, it was free for the reception of the Boston Opera Company.

The opera house took on last evening an appearance suggestive, in some degree at least, of the years when Mr. Hammerstein was writing new chapters of operatic history in New York. There was a large audience, though it did not entirely fill the house; nor could it be expected. In the last week of October, to be of the kind that traditionally adorns operatic nights, it found various other things to do; perhaps more for Mr. Miller, Pavlova's things than for any other feature of the performance.

The Boston company ventured upon a work that was very probably unfamiliar to most of its audience at the opening performance last evening. Auber's opera of "Le Mueta di Portici," generally known in Italian, in which language it was given, as "Masaniello," but down on the bill last night as "La Mueta di Portici." It is obvious that the choice of this opera was largely determined by the desire to gain the advantage that may be said to have been gained by the company in its first production and in the days of its great popularity. The opera, which is a masterpiece of the Italian school, was given with great success. The company, which is one of the best in the world, was well received by the audience. The performance was a great success, and the audience was very much pleased with it.

But even with such a laudable object in view, it was taking a considerable risk to put "Masaniello" on the bill of the opera public of this day. The opera is a masterpiece of the Italian school, and it is a masterpiece of the Italian school. The opera, which is a masterpiece of the Italian school, was given with great success. The company, which is one of the best in the world, was well received by the audience. The performance was a great success, and the audience was very much pleased with it.

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ANNA HELD APPEARS.

She Heads a Very Entertaining Bill at the Palace.

Anna Held, grand and original predecessor of Gaby Deslys, has come to vaudeville. It is for the first time, and this began yesterday afternoon when she met and conquered an amiable audience which filled to overflowing the roomy Palace. The evening was a very successful one, and the audience was very much pleased with it.

Miss Held is the headliner of an unusual bill, which includes, besides her own performance, a number of other acts. The bill is a very entertaining one, and the audience was very much pleased with it.

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BILLIE BURKE ROBBED.

Back from California Where She Says She Lost Jewels Worth \$8,000.

Billie Burke returned yesterday from California where she spent the last six weeks acting in a picture for the Triangle Film Company. The actress was offered \$100,000 at the expiration of her contract for thirty more weeks' work in the movies, but as she is anxious to return to the legitimate stage she probably will not accept it. She is a very popular actress, and her return to the stage is a very much expected one.

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PENLESS GIRL

FINDS \$4,000 GEM

Takes It to Police Station and Times Helps Her Get \$100 Reward.

QUICK REPLY TO WANT "AD"

Mrs. Hotelling Told of Recovery of Bracelet Few Moments After It Is Found.

Through the assistance of *THE TIMES* a \$4,000 diamond bracelet, lost yesterday afternoon by Mrs. F. C. Hotelling of San Francisco, who is a guest at the Hotel Belmont, was restored to the owner last night, and the finder of the gems, Miss Louise Schmitz, a hairdresser out of employment and without carfare to aid her in the search for work, received \$100 reward.

Miss Schmitz, weary from walking the streets most of yesterday, and hungry, was returning at 9 o'clock last night to her room at 244 West Forty-fourth Street, when she saw something flash from the sidewalk in the ray of light from a shop window on Forty-second Street, near Sixth Avenue. The object lay in the path of the crowd, and several yards from the edge of the sidewalk where she had stopped.

She tried to push her way through the hurrying throng and to the flashing object on the sidewalk. She saw the flash of diamonds and forgot her hunger and weariness.

The sudden pause of men and women around her, who gazed curiously at her as she held the bracelet in her hand, frightened her and she slipped it quickly to the West Forty-seventh Street Police Station, where she told the story of her find. A telegram received yesterday said that no clue had been discovered.

Mrs. Melville-Liszewski's Recital. Miss Margaret Melville-Liszewski, who is a pianist, gave a recital at Aeolian Hall yesterday afternoon. She is a very popular pianist, and her recital was a very much expected one.

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PAUL HERVIEU DIES.

FAMOUS DRAMATIST

Member of French Academy Fought, a Bloodless Duel Two Years Ago With Leon Daudet.

PARIS, Oct. 25.—Paul Hervieu, dramatist and member of the French Academy, died early today. He had been ill for several days. A servant who entered his room to awaken him found him dead.

Paul Ernest Hervieu was born at Neuilly-sur-Seine, near Paris, and was in his fifty-ninth year. He was educated in Paris at the Lycée Condorcet and the Ecole de Droit. Then obtaining his license to practice, M. Hervieu became an advocate at the Court of Appeals in 1877. He was a member of the French Academy, and he was a member of the French Academy.

M. Hervieu resigned in 1880 and adopted literature as his life's work, beginning by writing plays for the theatre. He was a member of the French Academy, and he was a member of the French Academy.

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H. VON WAGENHEIM, DIPLOMAT, DEAD

German Ambassador Was Credited with Bringing About Turko-German Alliance.

DEALT "THE MAILED FIST"

Ex-Minister to Mexico Criticized This Country for Selling Arms to the Allies.

CONSTANTINOPLE, (Via London), Oct. 25.—Baron von Wagenheim, German Ambassador to Turkey, who was credited with having been a great influence in bringing about the Turko-German alliance, died here today. He had only shortly returned from sick leave.

Baron Hans von Wagenheim was appointed Ambassador to Turkey in 1912. He was a frequent visitor to this country in times past and had a number of relatives of the same name living in this city and through the Eastern States. For a number of years he was Minister Plenipotentiary to Mexico, and became a familiar figure here. In 1890 he married a German-American girl, Lucy Ahrenschild of this city, but they were divorced in 1897. Later he married the Baroness Joanna von Splizenberg.

Baron von Wagenheim spent many years in Constantinople. He was said to have been a member of the "mailed fist" when calling the attention of the Turkish Government to the adoption of drastic measures.

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ADMIRAL H. N. MANNEY DIES.

Retired Veteran Was Once in Command of Brooklyn Navy Yard.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Oct. 25.—Rear Admiral Henry Newman Manney, U. S. N., retired, 71 years old, died today at his home on Point Loma, San Diego, from pneumonia. Two and one-half years ago Admiral Manney was elected to the Common Council of San Diego, an office he held at the time of his death. He is survived by a widow and one daughter.

Admiral Manney was born in Lincoln, N. Y., and was graduated from the Naval Academy in 1866, and became an ensign two years later. He rose through the various grades until retired as a Rear Admiral of the senior grade in 1900.

His service at sea commenced during the civil war when he was on board the Macedonian at the pursuit of the Confederate steamers Florida and Tallahassee. Admiral Manney served on a number of the more important vessels of the Navy, and was also a member of the command of the Brooklyn Navy Yard. At the time he was retired he was Chief of the Bureau of Equipment.

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MEYERS.—William H., Oct. 24, at 330 West 13th St., aged 82. Burial at 10 A. M. at Albany. Albany papers please copy.

MOUNT.—Oct. 25, at his home, Locust, N. J., 11th St., aged 82. Burial at 10 A. M. at Locust, N. J. Locust papers please copy.

ONLEY.—At Wilmington, Del., suddenly on Saturday, Oct. 24, Byron Onley, aged 40 years, died. Burial at 10 A. M. at Wilmington, Del. Wilmington papers please copy.

PRATT.—Suddenly, on Saturday, Oct. 24, 1915, Frances Helen, widow of William H. Pratt, died. Burial at 10 A. M. at New York City. New York City papers please copy.

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HAAG.—Catherine, 222 10th St., Oct. 24, 1915. Burial at 10 A. M. at Albany. Albany papers please copy.

HINER.—Elizabeth, 335 East 74th St., Oct. 25, 1915. Burial at 10 A. M. at Albany. Albany papers please copy.

IRVING.—James, 238 East 42d St., Oct. 25, 1915. Burial at 10 A. M. at Albany. Albany papers please copy.

LA FORGE.—Mary, 176 West 17th St., Oct. 25, 1915. Burial at 10 A. M. at Albany. Albany papers please copy.

LITTMAN.—Selig, 105 West 78th St., Oct. 24, 1915. Burial at 10 A. M. at Albany. Albany papers please copy.

MCBRIDE.—Eather, 153 Haddon St., Oct. 24, 1915. Burial at 10 A. M. at Albany. Albany papers please copy.

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MASON.—John, 125 West 128th St., Oct. 24, 1915. Burial at 10 A. M. at Albany. Albany papers please copy.

MILLER.—Bernhard, 221 West 16th St., Oct. 24, 1915. Burial at 10 A. M. at Albany. Albany papers please copy.

MURPHY.—Daniel J., 810 East 10th St., Oct. 24, 1915. Burial at 10 A. M. at Albany. Albany papers please copy.

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Sea Power vs. Economy

"England's Starvation Policy and How It Has Been Met by German War Economy" is the title given to a series of charts, published by the Frankfurter Zeitung, and reproduced in the October number of Current History Magazine.

These charts picture graphically the means taken by the German Imperial Government to conserve the food supplies and natural resources of the empire, and show how successful these efforts have been.

Taken, as they are, from the semi-official Frankfurter Zeitung, there is every reason to believe that they show the situation in its best possible light. Taken in conjunction with the chart published in the same issue of this magazine, showing how Great Britain has exercised her sea power to establish a blockade of German ports, they form a striking commentary on the internal results of the war to date.

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ABERG WINS WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP WRESTLING MATCH WITH ZBYSZKO — FOOTBALL

ABERG PINS ZBYSZKO TOMAT IN AN HOUR

Greco-Roman Wrestling Champion Retains Title in Garden Bout.

Alexander Aberg completed the winning of the international Greco-Roman wrestling championship when he threw Waldek Zbyszko in the continuation of the bout deferred from last June, at Madison Square Garden last evening. It was after an hour and four minutes of rather uninteresting wrestling that Aberg pinned the two brawny shoulders of the ten-minute periods, and Zbyszko took his position on his hands and knees in the middle of the ring with Aberg half prostrate over him and trying to get a waist hold, as he had been during the call of time put an end to the sixth period. Zbyszko was puffing a bit and looking a little tired, but he was not to be taken in by the champion's efforts. He had a good waist hold on Aberg, but Aberg was not to be taken in by the champion's efforts. He had a good waist hold on Aberg, but Aberg was not to be taken in by the champion's efforts.

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HARVARD NEXT IN VIEW.

Princeton's Attack Being Shaped to Defeat the Crimson.

Special to The New York Times. PRINCETON, N. J., Oct. 25.—Princeton's preparations for a powerful drive against the Harvard eleven on Nov. 6 began today. With four of the regulars excused on grounds of illness, the team is in a somewhat lighter than had been expected from the announcement of the plans for the week, but at that they had a good afternoon's practice. Starting with practice in secret behind the stands of old University Field, the team was then moved to the new stadium, where they practiced in the hands of Ham Andrews, the end coach, all afternoon, and was carefully instructed in the tactics of the game in a long individual practice. Moore's proficiency in receiving forward passes was well as his ability to run with the ball, and he was the star of the afternoon's practice.

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STILL HOPE TO SAVE DISBARRED ATHLETES

Middlebrook and Tommers Assume Responsibility for Their Violation of Yale Rules.

Special to The New York Times. NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 25.—Rumors were current tonight that the five Yale athletes who have been disqualified for playing Summer baseball would be reopened by reason of the announcements made by Captain Middlebrook and Coach Tommers of the baseball nine, declaring that they were responsible for the act of the players in accepting their board fee at Quogue, L. I.

The Yale athletic officials asserted that the players were disqualified with no strings attached, and that they knew of no movement looking toward their reinstatement. It was stated that Middlebrook and Tommers paved the way for reinstating the players. A formal request has been received from Harvard that they be allowed to play again.

The Yale Daily News said today that a desirable movement would be the formation of an eligibility committee composed of representatives of the Princeton, Harvard, and Yale athletic committees, with power to handle all eligibility cases instead of leaving them to the discretion of the three universities.

Legors was not at Yale Field today, but said that he would remain on the eleven of ineligible players who are playing on the "Varsity" football team. Applications for tickets to the Yale-Princeton game were closed today, and for the first time indications are that there will be enough seats in the stadium to accommodate every one who desires admittance. The application received are far below the capacity of the stadium, which is about \$4,000.

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FORDHAM AFTER A TITLE.

Hopes to Beat Georgetown in Catholic College Series.

Elated by its easy victory over the Holy Cross team last Saturday the Fordham eleven will now prepare for its next big game on Election Day with Georgetown, and on the outcome of the game depends the Catholic college title. Holy Cross dropping out of the race by its defeat Saturday. The Maroon team came out of the contest in remarkably fine shape. Conklin and Corriden, the two ends, are the only men who were injured, and they both are suffering from sprained ankles. Corriden was in a patched-up condition when he started the game, but he played through the entire contest.

The practice yesterday was devoted mostly to improving the work of the line. While Fordham rushed off the field on Saturday, on several occasions the line was held back by the other teams. The line was held back by the other teams. The line was held back by the other teams. The line was held back by the other teams.

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COACH POINTS OUT HARVARD'S ERRORS

Haughton Illustrates on Blackboard Blunders Made in Cornell Game.

Special to The New York Times. CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 25.—There was no optimism noticed about the Harvard football camp this afternoon, for the defeat by Cornell Saturday was not expected by the "Varsity." The coaches today took occasion to point out the mistakes made by the team in the game, and this retrospect was not pleasant. Percy Haughton held his men in the blackboard room a long time before sending them to the basketball gymnasium for drill, there being nothing except some late kicking practice in the stadium, owing to the progress of the athletic games.

All the players who participated in the Cornell game reported today, but only five of them took part in the practice, the others not even putting on their football clothes. Dadmun and Cowen were the only ones in the drill with Watson again at quarter back. Caher, Taylor, and Whitney all did some work.

There were no serious injuries in the Cornell game. Gilman's ankle proved to be so severely hurt as was feared Saturday night, but he will have to be in Cambridge today to see the squad and to get things started for the week. The Harvard coaches today to see the squad and to get things started for the week. The Harvard coaches today to see the squad and to get things started for the week.

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ANOTHER JONES AT YALE.

Brother of Howard and Tad Runs 100 Yards in 10 3-5 Seconds.

Special to The New York Times. NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 25.—Charles M. Jones of Exeter, Ohio, brother of Howard and Tad Jones, two of Yale's most famous former athletes, won the 100-yard dash at the Yale Fall track games today in 0:10 3-5. Charles Stewart, of Eccleston, Md., captured the four-long flat event in 0:23 3-5. Edward Deceen of New York City was a close second in both sprints. James A. Roche of New Haven furnished the best performance of the day in the quarter-mile dash by finishing in 0:50 3-5 against a strong wind. Henry Sage Cooper of Albany won the half-mile in 2:02 3-5, and Richard T. Wood of Bristol won the mile run in 4:50 2-5.

The high hurdles were taken by Douglas B. Simpson of New York City in 0:17 1-5, and the running timber event by Thomas C. Rodman of Los Angeles, Cal., in 0:27. Kenneth F. Potter of St. Louis was first in the high jump with 5 feet 5 inches, and Gilbert S. Lance of Kenosha, Wis., was first in the broad jump with 10 feet 9 inches. Gardner Jarvis of Webster Grove, Mo., was tied for first in the pole vault with James C. Potter of Rochester at 10 feet 9 inches.

Sanford Drives Rutgers Team Hard. Special to The New York Times. NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Oct. 25.—George Foster Sanford drove the Rutgers football team at full speed this afternoon in preparation for the game with Springfield T. M. C. A. College at Newark Federal League Park on Saturday. A forty-minute scrimmage with the scrum resulted in ten touchdowns for the Varsity. The second team was strengthened by the addition of Tooley and Twine, last year's regulars, but was unable to withstand the rushes of the Varsity backs.

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NO DECISIONS IN NEW YORK BOXING

Commission Will Not Permit Referee to Pick Winner in Garden Bout.

No decision will be rendered in the ten-round bout between Johnny Dundee and former lightweight champion Willie Ritchie which will be contested tonight at Madison Square Garden. Dundee's manager yesterday appeared at the weekly meeting of the State Athletic Commission and requested of Chairman Fred A. Wenck and Major Dixon that the power to render a verdict be vested in the referee, but the request was denied. Chairman Wenck repeated his statement of last week that no action would be taken regarding decisions until the full board of three members was in office, and until Governor Whitman had expressed his views on the subject. Wenck believes it will be at least the first of the year before the question will be brought up for official action. Wenck has expressed himself privately as being in favor of decisions, and Major Dixon is inclined to oppose them, so that it will be up to the third member who will decide.

Jimmy De Forrest, former manager of boxers, received a referee's license. His application was supported by the Port Hamilton Athletic Club. A renewal of the license of the Pioneer Athletic Club, with headquarters in West Forty-fourth Street, was also granted. The application of the Harlem Sporting Club for a permit to conduct sparring exhibitions was held over for a week, pending an investigation by Chairman Wenck into the responsibility of the organization. The club is located in the same building where the 135th Street Sporting Club, now out of business, formerly held forth. The commission desires to know if any of the officials of the 135th Street Club are connected with the Harlem S. C.

All the wisdom of the commission was needed to solve the question of whether Frankie Callahan of Brooklyn, whose right name is Holzman, and Frankie Callahan of New York, who received his name when he was baptized, should be permitted to compete in the boxing ring. The commission has no one but itself to blame for this puzzle. Both Callahans were present at yesterday's meeting, neither was willing to relinquish the cognomen. The Brooklyn Callahan has been known as Callahan for six years, and has earned a fair boxing reputation under the name. The New York Callahan, who is a featherweight, is a comparative new comer in the squared circle. Chairman Wenck partly solved the puzzle by asking the New York boxer to advertise himself in future as Young Frankie Callahan. Wenck has taken the request under advisement. Chairman Wenck requests all boxers to register their family names, as directed.

Colored Boxers in Brooklyn Ring. Colored boxers displayed their pugilistic abilities at the Vanderbilt Athletic Club, in Brooklyn, last night to the edification of a crowd which filled the clubhouse. The principals in the two ten-round bouts were Negroes, and in each instance they were featherweights. In the main event Mark Spencer of Brooklyn defeated Sam Miller of New York, and in the other contest Darryl Griffin, weighing 122 pounds, outpointed Terry Martin, whose weight was announced as 116 pounds.

Beecher Outpoints Duffy. Special to The New York Times. ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 25.—At the Knickerbocker Athletic Club tonight Willie Beecher of New York and Jimmie Duffy of Lockport engaged in one of the fastest ten-round bouts seen at the local club this season. Beecher, by a close margin, was entitled to the decision by a small margin.

Columbia Track Games Tomorrow. Track athletes at Columbia are getting into shape for the annual Fall intercollegiate tomorrow. Coach Berner Webers announced yesterday that twelve events will be held, and only one of these will be for the weightlifting. The events are low and high hurdles, 100, 220, 440, half mile, mile, and two mile runs, broad and high jump, pole vault, and shot-put. The senior class is expected to win the 100-yard dash, although the 1917 men entered will push them hard.

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Cornell Men All in Good Shape.

Special to The New York Times. ITHACA, N. Y., Oct. 25.—To bring the Cornell football team into the Michigan game playing in even better form than it did against Harvard, and to turn out for the final game against Pennsylvania an eleven playing in the zenith of its form, are the problems of the Cornell football coaches. The problem of keeping the men in condition is now at hand, and one step toward solving it will be taken this week, when the team will get lighter practice than in the two weeks preceding it. The coaches plan to put all of the regulars at work tomorrow afternoon, but much of the time this week will be spent on the substitutes and scrubs. Virginia Polytechnic Institute, which plays here Saturday, is not expected to be very formidable opponent, but the game will not be regarded as a "sure thing," and all of the players will receive thorough preparation later in the week.

The team is in the best physical condition of the year was the statement today of Dr. Munford, university physician. He said that there were no injuries and that even Captain Barrett, who was carried off last Saturday in an ambulance, was ready to go to work today. Dr. Munford said that the team was in the best physical condition of the year was the statement today of Dr. Munford, university physician. He said that there were no injuries and that even Captain Barrett, who was carried off last Saturday in an ambulance, was ready to go to work today.

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FINANCIAL MARKETS

Large Gains in an Irregular Market—Erie at a New High for Recent Years.

The opening of another week without the development of any new news over Sunday was marked yesterday morning by some violent rises in the stock market, which in turn produced some reactions before the end of the first hour. After that there was a conflicting display of buying on a fresh burst of bullish enthusiasm and of selling for profits, which gave the entire list an irregular appearance. A moderate advance in the estimation of the more conservative element on the Stock Exchange, was the spirited upturn in some of the rails, particularly in the hard coalers. Led by Erie, which made an advance of 3 1/2 points on heavy buying, the railroad list moved upward to indicate that at least the investing public has accepted as genuine the improvement in transportation results foreshadowed by a bumper crop and the reawakened activity at the great manufacturing centers.

Conspicuous among the weaker stocks yesterday was United States Steel, whose reaction can be ascribed to no other ground than the natural result of over-enthusiastic expectations as to the announcement which will come after the Directors' quarterly meeting this afternoon. Good as the steel trade has been, with unprecedented orders at high prices, it is impossible that the statement of earnings for the third quarter will satisfy the hopes of those who have been talking of net earnings in excess of \$50,000,000 and the resumption of dividends. Steel sold down from a high of 86 1/2 to 85 1/2 at the close yesterday, suffering a net decline of 1 1/2.

The spectacular feature of yesterday's decline was the heavy loss of the Maxx well Motor issues, which developed great strength, on the expectation that they will duplicate the rise of other motor issues. The common stock sold up to 90 1/2, closing with a net gain for the day of 1 1/2 points, while the standard preferred closed at 100 1/2, with a net advance of 1/2. Both issues were very active. There was evidence of realizing sales in Studebaker on the part of holders who wanted to shift to the lower-priced Maxwell stocks, the former selling off 4 1/2 points to 18 1/2. Bethlehem Steel sold as low as 50 1/2, a loss of 3 1/2 points from the high record, but it closed at 53 1/2, with a net loss of but 1 1/2 points. The Street expects Charles M. Schwab to accede to the request that ten shares of new stock be issued for each share in the present company, to make the stock more convenient for trading purposes.

The day was marked by another decline in foreign exchange rates, which are rapidly losing the improvement made when the Anglo-French credit was under negotiation. Demand sterling sold down to \$4.61 1/2, a loss of just 8 cents to the pound from the high price of Monday of last week, but it strengthened toward the close of the day and was quoted at above \$4.62 late in the afternoon. The weakness lent color to reports that France, Great Britain, and Russia will all shortly arrange new credits here, to make settlement of their obligations incurred for munitions and other purchases easier. So far the unfavorable foreign news and the decline in exchange have had little effect on the belief of traders that prices will ultimately go much higher, both for the rails and the better industrials.

GOOD TONE IN LONDON.

War Loan Steadily Supported—Money in Increased Demand.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—Money was in increased demand to day for the payment of tomorrow's call on the war loan. Favorable rates for the American exchange were very uncertain. After declining to 4.62 1/2, the rate advanced to 4.63 1/2.

The stock market maintained a good tone. The war loan was steadily supported. Kaffirs were in demand, and Mexican and Brazilian issues were firm features, all depending on a good demand and a shortage of stock.

American securities were more active, and the list closed steady and near the best, with the exception of Canadian Pacific, which reacted under profit taking.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

RESERVE BANKS DISCOUNT RATES.

Days	Over 10	Over 30	Over 60	Over 90
10 or Over 10	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00
10 or Over 30	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00
10 or Over 60	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00
10 or Over 90	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00

Bank of England: 4.00%
Federal Reserve Bank: 4.00%
Bank of France: 4.00%
Bank of Italy: 4.00%
Bank of Spain: 4.00%
Bank of Portugal: 4.00%
Bank of Greece: 4.00%
Bank of Russia: 4.00%

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES.

Country	Rate
London	4.63 1/2
Paris	165.00
Berlin	100.00
Amsterdam	100.00
Brussels	100.00
Frankfurt	100.00
Hamburg	100.00
London	4.63 1/2
Paris	165.00
Berlin	100.00
Amsterdam	100.00
Brussels	100.00
Frankfurt	100.00
Hamburg	100.00

THE TREASURY STATEMENT.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Receipts and expenditures:

Item	Amount
Total receipts	\$42,111,937
Total expenditures	\$42,111,937
Surplus	\$0.00

BONDS

Wm. Morris Imbrie & Co.
Established 1882.
61 BROADWAY, NEW YORK
111 West Monroe St., Chicago.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

MONDAY, OCT. 25, 1915.

Stocks (Shares)	High	Low
Alaska Gold Mines	112 1/2	112 1/2
Alcoa	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Steel	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Sugar	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Tobacco	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Woolen	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Cotton	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Hide & Leather	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Lumber	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Paper	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Rubber	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Tea	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Coffee	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Oil	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Gas	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Electric	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Telephone	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Railway	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Marine	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Insurance	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Banking	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Trust	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Real Estate	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Miscellaneous	112 1/2	112 1/2

STEEL SHARES REACTIONARY.

Steel's decline of more than a point for the session stood in marked contrast with the course of other speculative leaders. The market at times took an uncertain aspect, but better than had an especially attractive feature of late who looks for a reaction. The market is steadily strong. Steel reacted something after the fashion of stocks in which expected developments of a pleasing sort have come to pass. Yet the earnings figures talked about in commission house gossip were no further from the estimate and no nearer the actual total than at the close of last week. In some trading quarters an explanation for the stock's difference was that so much was known about the growth of the steel industry that too little was now left to the imagination. Traders in Steel had become blasé.

STEARING FALLS TO 4.61 1/2.

Decline in foreign exchange took yesterday's decline of 1 1/2 cents to the pound sterling as an occurrence fully expected. At 4.61 1/2 the quotation stood lower than at any time in well over a month. Offerings continued light, being even smaller during the morning than in Saturday's half-day of business. In view of the rapidly weakening market it is believed in foreign exchange quarters that details of the new banking credit to England and France will be announced at the earliest moment possible after word comes from the foreign bankers that the terms are acceptable abroad.

ERIE SURPRISE.

There were traders on the Exchange floor yesterday who maintained that Erie common would sell higher than the first preferred in a comparatively short time. They admitted that they had no inside information, but insisted that the Erie would simply follow the lead of other stocks like New Haven, for instance. It was a general surprise to see Erie common advance an additional 3 1/2 points to 86 1/2. All the old Erie theories were hauled out and figured in the day's gossip. Some recalled the not distant time when Erie trains often took four or five hours behind time. Others recalled the time when the citizens of a near-by New Jersey hamlet turned out in force and washed the windows of an Erie commuter's train. "Do you remember what the old broker said when he turned his Stock Exchange seat to follow the lead of other stocks like New Haven, for instance. It was a general surprise to see Erie common advance an additional 3 1/2 points to 86 1/2. 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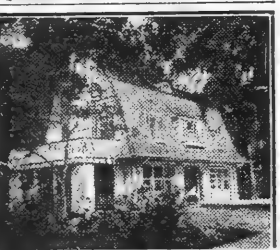
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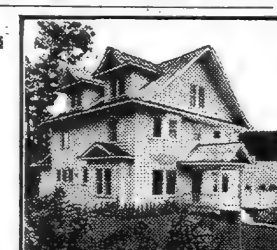
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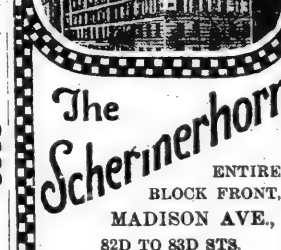
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Thieves Drag Mrs. Silverberg, 75, Into Hallway and Tear Gems from Her Ears.
Mrs. Dora Silverberg, 75 years old, a widow, of 187 Manhattan Avenue, was chloroformed by two men and dragged into a hallway at 578 Broadway, Williamsburg, about 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and a pair of diamond earrings valued at \$500 were torn from her ears. A gold watch and a few dollars in cash were also stolen. The woman, after being treated by Dr. Seltzer of the Williamsburg Hospital, was taken to her home in a critical condition. Mrs. Silverberg left her home to go to a jewelry store at the Broadway address. She had just started to enter the store when two men grabbed her and covered her mouth with a cloth saturated with chloroform. The block is in the heart of the shopping district and the street was crowded. The men hurried the woman into the hallway next to the store, explaining hurriedly to the crowd that she had suddenly become ill. In a few minutes they hurried out, saying they were going for a doctor. They were seen to run through Broadway to Lorimer Street and board a car going south.

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With Mary Ryan and the Great All-American Cast. "FULL OF LAUGHS AND THRILLS."
REPUBLIC West 42nd Street, Eves. 8:20. **COMMON CLAY**
SEASONS 8 WEEKS IN ADVANCE.
BEASLEY West 42nd Street, Eves. 8:20. **THE BOOMERANG**
ASTOR B'way, 45th St. Eves. 8:20. Seats \$2.00 to \$10.00.
Hit the Trail-Holiday
With FRED NIBLO in "BILLY HOLIDAY."
GLOBE EVERY NIGHT AND MATINEES Tomorrow, Saturday & Election Day.
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WORLD'S HIP HOP HOPPY BIGGEST with 100 Wonders.
SHOW SUNDAY, 2:30 & 8:15. **THE BOOMERANG**
Eves. at 8:15. **IRVING PLEASANT THEATRE**
Tonight, Wednesday, Wednesday, Thursday, 10:15. **Century**
Central Park West, 62d to 63d Street. **WAYBURN'S TOWN TOPICS**
Bargain Mat. Today, 2:30 to 5:15. All Seats Reserved. SUNDAY EVE. CONCERT—15 BIG ACTS.
Triangle Plays This Week: **For Sterling**, "The Father"; **For Mary**, "The Mother"; **For John**, "The Son"; **For Jack**, "The Daughter"; **For Alice**, "The Sister"; **For Frank**, "The Brother"; **For Helen**, "The Girl"; **For William**, "The Boy"; **For Charles**, "The Man"; **For Edward**, "The Woman"; **For George**, "The Child"; **For Margaret**, "The Youth"; **For Thomas**, "The Adult"; **For Mary**, "The Elderly"; **For John**, "The Old"; **For Jack**, "The Young"; **For Alice**, "The Middle"; **For Frank**, "The Late"; **For Helen**, "The Early"; **For William**, "The Middle"; **For Charles**, "The Late"; **For Edward**, "The Early"; **For George**, "The Middle"; **For Margaret**, "The Late"; **For Thomas**, "The Early"; **For Mary**, "The Middle"; **For John**, "The Late"; **For Jack**, "The Early"; **For Alice**, "The Middle"; **For Frank**, "The Late"; **For Helen**, "The Early"; **For William**, "The Middle"; **For Charles**, "The Late"; **For Edward**, "The Early"; **For George**, "The Middle"; 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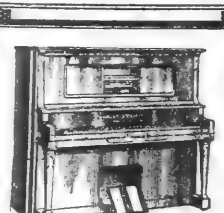
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Asks President Wilson to Take Country Into Confidence Regarding Government's Intentions.

Henry A. Wise Wood, a member of Secretary Daniels's Naval Consulting Board, characterized the Secretary's naval program as "wholly insufficient" in a speech last night before the Life Underwriters' Association at the Metropolitan Hotel, and called upon the Administration to take the country into confidence regarding its intentions.

The speaker, who is a member of the United States Navy, said that the people, not the politicians, should pass upon the program. Mr. Wood declared that the Secretary's program was "wholly insufficient" and that the people demand a better defense plan. He said that the Secretary's program was "wholly insufficient" and that the people demand a better defense plan.

Mr. Wood is Chairman of the Committee of National Preparedness, President of the Aero Club of America, and a member of the Naval Consulting Board. He has been a vocal critic of the Secretary's naval program since it was announced.

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KITCHIN OPPOSED TO DEFENSE PROGRAM

President Anxious to Discuss His Proposals with Leader of House Majority.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—Claude Kitchen, majority leader of the House of Representatives, has not yet been converted to support of the Administration's national defense program. Mr. Kitchen was in Washington for a few hours today. White House officials sought to get in touch with him, but he declined to be interviewed. He is expected to return to his home in North Carolina, however, before the President's address to Congress tomorrow.

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BREITUNG KNEW SPY PLOTTERS

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SPY CASE IN FEDERAL HANDS.

Suspects Held in \$25,000 Bail—Selbs Accuses Breitung.

With the removal to New York of two of the three Germans arrested on Sunday in New Jersey towns on the charge of conspiring to build mines for the destruction of munitions ships, the Federal Government has taken charge of the case.

Lieutenant Robert Fay, said to be the head of the plot, and Walter E. Scholz, said to be his brother-in-law, were taken from the New Jersey police station on Monday by Federal agents. They were taken to New York, where they are being held in custody.

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TURNED OVER TO FEDERAL OFFICERS.

In the court of Recorder George Rander of Weehawken, who had held Robert Fay, Scholz and Breitung in custody, there appeared yesterday morning, Mr. Drew, representative of the office of County Prosecutor Robert Hudspeth, and William J. Flynn, Chief of the Secret Service, who had warrants for all three, charging them with Federal offenses. After consultation with his superiors Mr. Drew agreed to the release of the three men, on the condition that they be turned over to Federal officers.

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FAY VIEWED MUNITION PLANTS

Picked Out Factories from Hartford Capitol Dome with Telescope.

Special to The New York Times.

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 26.—State officers and employees at the Capitol were most interested today in the possibility that Robert Fay had been in the building on Saturday afternoon. They were told by an employee that a man with a German accent had asked to be taken to the dome for a view of the city, and that when he had been taken there, he had been seen looking through a glass at the buildings of the Pratt & Whitney Company near by.

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PERKINS FLAYS THE TIGER.

Says Swann is Murphy Nominee, with Tammany Stain.

Speaking at a well attended meeting at the McKinley Republican Club, 340 West 145th Street last night, Charles A. Perkins, Republican candidate for District Attorney, said that a staff of Assistant District Attorneys appointed by a Tammany Hall prosecutor in this county would betray the public interest.

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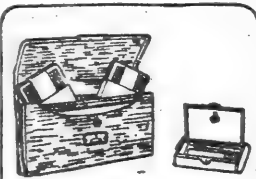
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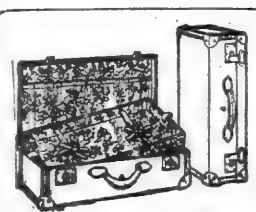
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Tan capskin dress glove, black embroidered back, 1 button.....\$2.50
Yellow chamois (washable), black embroidered back.....\$1.50-\$2.00
Tan or grey mocha, 1 button.....\$2.00
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White capskin, dress glove, pique seam.....\$1.50-\$2.00

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SEES SUFFRAGE LOST IN PENNSYLVANIA

One Penrose Leader Asserts the Amendment May Not Carry a Single County.

WOMEN STILL CONFIDENT

Predict Victory and Deplore Comparisons with the New Jersey Campaign.

Special to The New York Times.
PITTSBURGH, Oct. 26.—(Woman suffrage is likely to be defeated in Pennsylvania as it was in New Jersey. Predictions regarding the size of the majority against the Constitutional amendment which would permit women in the Keystone State to vote vary with the source from which they emanate. They run as high as 350,000 and as low as 70,000. As a general rule it may be said that all prognostications carrying figures are little more than guesses. The political leaders who are in a better position to know than anybody else have no figures to make public.

With all signs pointing to the defeat of the amendment, the organizations which are carrying on the campaign for the enfranchisement of women in this State still assert that victory will reward their labors on Election Day. When pressed to give reasons for their optimism, however, they have none more substantial to advance than had the suffragist leaders of New Jersey on the eve of defeat.

The women who are active in the suffrage fight are proud when they are reminded of this, and say that there is no analogy between the situation which existed in New Jersey on the eve of a special election and that which exists in Pennsylvania as the campaign for woman suffrage draws to a close.

"We never expected that New Jersey would return a majority in favor of suffrage," said one of the local suffragist leaders in discussing this phase of the situation with The Times correspondent.

"In New Jersey there was a Jim Nugent on the firing line against us. There is no Jim Nugent in Pennsylvania; there is no organized opposition of any kind that we know of. We sincerely believe that we will carry Pennsylvania."

No one here expects the suffragists themselves and a few non-suffragist supporters to carry the amendment. Defeat is decided in the air, and about the only question that is puzzling most Pennsylvanians is the probable size of the majority against it.

The nearest attempt at a complete survey of the situation, made shortly after the suffragists had completed their Liberty Bell campaign in the rural counties, indicated a sentiment in favor of the amendment, which might place them in the woman suffrage column on Election Day, in sixteen rural counties, while twenty-eight counties, including the heavily populated Philadelphia, were set down as opposed to woman suffrage, and twenty-three, including Allegheny County, were placed in the doubtful column.

The conclusions reached in this survey were based in most cases on confidential information received from Republican and Democratic leaders. All the counties set down as in favor of suffrage were counties of small voting population. There is a table showing the counties and the total vote polled there in 1912, which was an off year in Pennsylvania politics as is the present.

In that year the total vote in Pennsylvania was 705,071, so the sixteen supposed suffrage counties supplied only about 10 per cent of the total vote in Philadelphia County alone, which is regarded as overwhelmingly opposed to the enfranchisement of women. Twelve as many votes as did the sixteen counties now claimed for woman suffrage.

While this is an off year in the politics of Pennsylvania, a much larger vote is looked for than usual. The vote of 1912, except in local contests, was a Superior Court Judges who had been nominated as candidates for the bench at non-partisan direct primaries.

An experienced political leader, taking the claims of the suffragists, prepared a table, which, he thought, might furnish a good indication of what the returns on the vote for the Constitutional amendment might be. When Colonel Roosevelt was running for President he carried Pennsylvania, polling a total vote of 441,834, but it is pointed out that this was a vote for Roosevelt rather than for the Progressive Party, and that, besides, it had been swelled by the votes of thousands of manufacturers and workmen who were loyal to the Republican Party, but feeling certain that Fall could not be re-elected, and fearing the victor would put an end to the protective tariff, voted the Progressive ticket for the purpose of defeating Mr. Wilson.

So the politician in his basis placed the vote for Pinchot in the gubernatorial campaign last year as more trustworthy basis for what the Progressive vote would be with Colonel Roosevelt out of the running. He gave the suffragists 65 per cent of the total vote in the sixteen counties claimed for them, which, on the basis of 350,000 polled in the entire State, would be 227,500. Here is his table:

Pinchot vote, 1914	1912
200,879	200,879
65 per cent, suffrage counties	132,591
Prohibition vote, 1912	19,525
Total	152,116
Against majority	227,500

This would bring the prospective vote in Pennsylvania, assuming within the ratio on which the vote was cast in the recent special election in New Jersey, when there were three votes against the amendment for each cast in its favor. If this ratio should hold good in this State it would place suffragists 390,000 votes out of a total

of 950,000, while 570,000 would go against the amendment—an adverse majority of 180,000.

MOB ASSAULTS SUFFRAGISTS.

Republican Marchers Aim Roman Candles at Women.

Special to The New York Times.
PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 26.—A throng of several hundred Republican organization adherents, parading to a campaign meeting tonight, mobbed a crowd of woman suffrage advocates listening to suffrage speakers in West Philadelphia. Roman candles were hurled into the gathering and the balls of fire fell upon the clothing of speakers and listeners. The marchers rode his horses through the crowd and the opponents of woman suffrage completed their attack by flinging buckets of water upon the women.

Miss Miriam Gilbert and Miss Gracia Erickson of Evanston, Ill., suffrage speakers, were drenched, as were many persons in the crowd.

The attack occurred in front of Red Men's Hall, Sixteenth and Spruce Streets, where Republican speakers were addressing an audience of several thousand persons. Harry A. Mackey, leader of the ward, was Chairman, and those on the platform included John P. Connelly, the organization candidate for City Solicitor. The suffrage speakers were addressing a crowd outside the building, tactics they have followed throughout the campaign.

According to a number of witnesses, as the procession approached the hall, the suffragists were mobbed by a crowd of men and boys, many of whom were armed with Roman candles and red lights. They surrounded the suffragists, and the suffragists were dropped into the crowd. The suffragist speakers stood in an automobile. Dr. Paul Smith, who was with them, shouted cries for the police, who upon their arrival stopped the disturbance.

TAMMANY NEUTRAL IN SUFFRAGE FIGHT

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feature of the general campaign work of the Women's Political Union. Speakers will include Miss Ida Tarbell, Dr. John Lovejoy, Samuel Untermyer, Miss Helen Todd, Cleveland Moffett, Mrs. Raymond Rogers, Roger Foster, Mrs. O. H. Haver, Mrs. Arthur Brisbane, and Dr. Anna Shaw.

The luncheon Mrs. Harriot Stanton Blatch will call upon the guests to bombard the attendants at the anti-suffrage mass meeting to be held in Carnegie Hall in the evening with the statements of George W. Vickersham, who will preside, made last December before a meeting of the Southern Society. At that meeting Mrs. Blatch will say she has had the statement printed on thousands of leaflets, that Mr. Vickersham challenged the members of the Southern Society on their attitude to the negro, saying that democracy demanded equal and free enfranchisement. Mrs. Blatch will ask guests at the luncheon to act as distributors of the leaflets.

Meetings are being held at 10 o'clock every morning this week at a suffragist booth at the new Washington Market, and suffrage literature is given out during the day, and arguments are answered. This morning the speakers will be Mrs. Raymond Brown, Mrs. Mary E. Allen, Miss Alice Carpenter, Rhetta Childs, and Alice Duer Miller.

There was a large crowd all day yesterday at Fortieth Street and Fifth Avenue, where the suffragists were holding a twelve-hour meeting. Dudley Field Malone, the total vote, police (Chapman) said, Miss Mary Garrett Hay, Mrs. James Lees Laidlaw, Mrs. Raymond Rogers, and Mrs. O. H. Haver, Robert Adamson were among the speakers. A life and drum corps furnished music.

ROME'S FALL LAID TO WOMEN.

Decline Followed Their Entering Public Life, Says E. P. Wheeler.

Asserting that Rome fell because her women entered public life, Everett P. Wheeler, President of the Men's Association Opposed to Political Suffrage for Women, gave this warning to this country in a debate with Judge William H. Wadhams of the Court of General Sessions last night in the Broadway Tabernacle. Some in the audience took exception to Mr. Wheeler's view and at one time he had to ask a woman who laughed to cease insulting him. Judge Wadhams had the popular side of the discussion of the question: "Shall Political Suffrage Be Extended to Women?"

Judge Wadhams traced the growth of the republican form of government and the progress of women in education and their ever widening sphere of activity.

"Those who oppose women having equal rights made the first mistake when they gave her the alphabet," said the Judge.

Mr. Wheeler pointed out that women wanted the vote as a weapon for other things, and said that in the present campaign the suffragists had spent ten times as much as had the anti-suffragists. He spoke of divorce statistics in equal suffrage States as reason for thought, and predicted that an evil that would follow the vote would be the division in the home.

ANT'S LETTER TO THE MAYOR.

Miss Chittenden Says Only 10 Per Cent. of Women Want Vote.

Miss Alice Hill Chittenden, President of the New York State Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage, issued yesterday a signed copy of a letter sent by her to Mayor Mitchell, dated Oct. 26, and asking for facts concerning the statement made by the Mayor on the suffrage mass meeting in Carnegie Hall last Friday evening, that the majority of women wished the franchise.

The letter opens by stating that the writer wrote Mr. Mitchell on Oct. 13 asking for the same facts, and not having received a reply she concludes the Mayor has no facts to give. Available evidence tends to show that less than 10 per cent. of the women of voting age want the suffrage, says Miss Chittenden, and she gives an elaborate statement with many figures.

BLAMES INSPECTORS FOR SUBWAY CAVE-IN

Coroner's Jury Finds Seventh Avenue Disaster Was Due to an Excessive Blast.

IT EXONERATES CONTRACTOR

Censures City's Bureau of Combustibles for Failure to Regulate the Use of Explosives.

Censure was cast on the inspectors of the Bureau of Combustibles of the Fire Department by the Coroner's jury which had been investigating before Coroner Feinberg for the last month the fatal subway cave-in in Seventh Avenue. The blast, it found, was excessive, but it declared that there was no criminal negligence on the part of the United States Realty and Improvement Company, the contractors. Recommendations were made that no traffic be permitted in the streets while blasting for subway is going on, and that the Public Service Commission should designate the maximum distance at which temporary work should precede the permanent subway structure. Here is the verdict:

We find that the men John W. O'Rourke came to his death on the twenty-second day of September in the subway excavation at Seventh Avenue, Twenty-fourth Street by a fracture of the skull and fractures of the ribs.

The death was due primarily to an excessive blast at the northeast heading of the excavation.

That while due care was not exercised in estimating the amount of explosive to be used in this particular blast, the evidence submitted does not establish criminal negligence.

That the Bureau of Combustibles, Fire Department, City of New York, in its control of all blasting operations, is hereby severely censured for not carrying out through its inspectors, the powers assigned to it by the code of ordinances.

Jury Makes Recommendations.

We recommend that at the time of blasting in the subway of Greater New York no traffic of any kind be allowed over any part of the temporary structures.

We further recommend that the Public Service Commission shall designate the maximum distance at which temporary work shall precede the permanent structure.

The jury, in deploring this accident, expresses the hope that it will serve to improve the safety of the subway.

WIFE SOLE SUPPORT OF W. M. VAN NORDEN

Ex-Banker Tells Court She Pays His Club Dues and Gives Him His Pocket Money.

HAS A JOB, BUT NO SALARY

Owens No Personal Property or Real Estate, but Has Been Sued for \$1,200,000.

Warner M. Van Norden, the favorite son and the namesake of his father, has just been examined in supplementary proceedings on an unsatisfied judgment obtained against him in May by the Mercantile National Bank for \$24,770. The elder Van Norden was President of the National Bank of North America and of the Van Norden Trust Company. He was once very rich, but he died on Jan. 1, 1914, heavily in debt. The defendant in the bank suit was once President of the Nineteenth Ward Bank. He lives with his wife and an adopted child at 7 West Fifty-seventh Street.

Examined before Justice Cohan of the Supreme Court, he said that his wife's family had been supporting him since 1908. He declared that he had no property and that he did not have to pay any rent or meet the expense of maintaining his family. Questioned by counsel for the plaintiff, Mr. Van Norden replied that he was the Secretary and Treasurer of the Lotus Tea Concern, at Fifty-seventh Street and Lexington Avenue, that he organized it in September, 1913, and that while the concern did \$48,000 business in the first six months of the current year, he received no returns of any kind, and that the services he rendered to it were gratuitous. Questioned as to his social standing, his methods of living, and the cost of his own upkeep, he replied:

"I am a member of the Metropolitan Club, the New York Yacht Club, the Clover Valley Rod and Gun Club, and the Riding Club. My wife pays my dues in these clubs. I have no monthly

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Once he had some real estate, but he had disposed of all of it. Asked if he ever transferred any of his real estate to his wife, he replied that he had not done so within the last six or eight years. Concerning his resources, he said that he had a claim for \$30,000, with interest, against H. W. Lazzelle of the brokerage firm of Lazzelle, Matthews, but that Mr. Lazzelle had no money.

"I doubt," he said, "if the claim is good."

Mr. Van Norden said he turned all of his property over to his father in 1907, and in February, 1910, gave him a power of attorney to administer it for him. He has asked the estate for an accounting. The estate is suing him for an aggregate of \$1,200,000 on notes, but he has set up counterclaims. He is suing the estate for the life insurance policies for \$150,000, but turned them over to his father.

Counsel for the plaintiff wanted to know if Mr. Van Norden didn't own something—furniture, or some other kind of personal property, and the defendant assured him that he owned nothing, whatever, no furniture, no personal property of any kind, or a bit of realty. But he did remember that the State Banking Department had recently obtained a judgment against him for \$1,528,343, which was his share of liability as a Director of the Northern Bank.

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Ex-Banker Tells Court She Pays His Club Dues and Gives Him His Pocket Money.

HAS A JOB, BUT NO SALARY

Owens No Personal Property or Real Estate, but Has Been Sued for \$1,200,000.

Warner M. Van Norden, the favorite son and the namesake of his father, has just been examined in supplementary proceedings on an unsatisfied judgment obtained against him in May by the Mercantile National Bank for \$24,770. The elder Van Norden was President of the National Bank of North America and of the Van Norden Trust Company. He was once very rich, but he died on Jan. 1, 1914, heavily in debt. The defendant in the bank suit was once President of the Nineteenth Ward Bank. He lives with his wife and an adopted child at 7 West Fifty-seventh Street.

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OUR REMOVAL, NOVEMBER 8TH TO FIFTH AVENUE AND 40TH STREET

Adhering to our plan as previously announced, and in keeping with the spirit of the occasion, we shall open the new store with new merchandise entirely in harmony with the new surroundings. This policy necessitates the immediate sacrifice of present Fall and Winter Stocks of the finest type and in splendid assortments. Included is apparel in the latest Fashion for Men, Women and Children, offered at the height of the season at unprecedented concessions in price.

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Brussels and Axminsters in an attractive range of colors and designs in our own private patterns. Formerly \$1.65 to \$2.00 yard.

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Wool Blankets

Of superior quality, with pink or blue borders.

White Single Bed Size.

Regularly \$3.50 pair... 2.50

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"Warmth without weight," made to our special order under perfect sanitary conditions and filled with fine wool or cotton.

Sateen—In a variety of colors; single bed size, down filled. Regularly \$5.75 4.75

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Shirts

Fancy Flannel Shirts—Made with neck bands and single cuffs. Regularly \$2.50

Finest White Cheviot Sporting Shirts—Heavy enough for Fall wear. Regularly \$2.00

Fancy Soft Negligee Shirts—Very neat patterns and all fine qualities. Regularly \$1.50 and \$2.00

New Fall Pleated Negligee Shirts—All advance patterns and unusually fine woven Madras of imported qualities. Stiff cuffs. Regularly \$3.00

Balance of All Silk Shirts—Not one reserved or held back. Pongees and satin stripes. Not all sizes. Regularly \$3.95 to \$10.00

Underwear

Natural Merino Underwear—A fine medium weight garment that is soft and smooth in finish. Long sleeve shirts and regular and stout ankle length drawers. Value \$1.25

Neckwear

High Grade Silk Neckwear—Made from the richest foreign cravatings and in the best prevailing shapes. Plain and the newest Fall fancy effects. Values \$1.50, \$2.00

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Newest Fall Models—Made from unusual Cravenette Coat Fabrics in diagonal and neat striped effects, woven to resist rain. Finest tailoring and silk yoke and sleeve lining. Value \$22.50

Top Coats from Imported Fabrics—A limited number, in colors that are new in raincoats, and styles that are most suitable for utility wear. Tailoring is the finest and coats will always hold their shape. Actual Value \$25.00

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Men's Hosiery

Consisting of White Lisle with black hand clock— all sizes, mixed two tones or Silk and Cashmere. 6 pairs, 1.70; 1 doz. pairs, 3.25.

Consisting of Thread Silk Hose in black, taupe and gray; a full fashioned reinforced lisle sole. 6 pairs, 2.00; 1 doz. pairs, 3.75.

Consisting of White Silk with white clocks and black clocks in all sizes. Other colors, but not complete sizes in each shade. 6 pairs, 3.15; 1 doz. pairs, 6.00.

Women's Hosiery

Women's Black Lisle Thread of medium weight; mercerized. 6 pairs, 1.45; 1 doz. pairs, 2.85.

Women's Silk Lisle, medium weight; highly lustrous; black or tan. 6 pairs, 1.85; 1 doz. pairs, 3.60.

Women's Pure Thread Silk of desirable weight and superior quality; strongly reinforced; black and white. 6 pairs, 5.40; 1 doz. pairs, 10.65.

Children's Hosiery

Children's Fine Ribbed Cotton, black or white; medium or heavy weight; excellent for school wear. Sizes 6 to 9½. 6 pairs, 1.25; 1 doz. pairs, 2.40.

Children's Winter Weight Wool—Fine ribbed; black only. Sizes 6 to 9½. 6 pairs, 1.85; 1 doz. pairs, 3.60.

Misses' Stockings—Superior quality, imported, fine ribbed cotton, light weight, black, white or tan. 6 pairs for 1.85; 1 doz. pairs, 3.60.

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\$28,000.00 Stock SILKS, VELVETS, LACES, DRESS GOODS

Our Own
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Silks

Black Chiffon Taffeta— Splendid value at \$1.25. Regularly \$1.25. Removal Sale Price 85c

Black and Colored Chiffon Taffeta—Pure dye, foreign finish, in black, ivory, street and evening shades; also new changeable effects. 1.35

Black Crepes—Imported and domestic qualities, including crepe de chine, crepe de jette, crepe meteor, and sheer crepes. \$1.75 and \$1.25 qualities 95c

Black Silks

Black Faille Silk—35 inch. Regularly \$1.75 yard. 1.25

Black Charmeuse—42 inch. Regularly \$3.50 yard. 2.95

Black Satin—36 inch. Regularly \$1.75 yard. 1.25

Laces

Lace Insertions—Venise and Oriental Insertions, in light and heavy weaves; 2 to 10 inches wide. Regularly 50c to \$19.75 yard. 25c to 9.75

Venise Allovers—Rich designs in Venise Allovers. 18 inches wide. Regularly \$4.25 to \$7.50 yard. 1.95 to 4.50

Lace Flouncings—High grade flouncings, including Lyons, Maline, Chantilly, Oriental and Princess. 18 to 40 in. wide. Regularly \$4.25 to \$10.75 yard. 2.95 to 7.50

Real Lace Neckwear

Lace Barbies—Point Applique and Duchesse combined. Regularly \$3.75. 2.45

Lace Barbies—Real Duchesse. Regularly \$5.75. 4.95

Dress Goods

Black Dress Serge—50 and 42 inch. Regularly \$1.00 and \$1.25 yard. 78c and 90c

Colored Serges—50 in.; Copen. Nav. Wine, Green and Brown. Regularly \$1.00 yard. 78c

Fall Suitings—44 to 54 inch. In an assortment of weaves and colorings. Formerly \$1.75 and \$2.00 yard. 1.15

Velvets

Fancy Velvet—Nest striped effects in black, white and colors; 24 inch. Formerly \$2.00 yard. 98c

Black Panna Velvet—24 inch. Regularly \$1.75 yard. 1.45

Black Chiffon Velvet—41 inch. Regularly \$3.75 yard. 2.95

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FUR COATS, SETS, ODD PIECES

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PERSIAN PAW SCARFS— Regularly \$20.00 10.00

RED FOX MUFFS—Regularly \$35.00 30.00

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Women's and Misses' Waists and Blouses

An attractive collection consisting of Voiles, Linons and black Silk with long and short sleeves. Values \$4.00 and \$5.00 2.15

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Our Own Merchandise Reduced
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Of smart English Mixtures in the prevailing Autumn tones, in various models, including the Russian. Sizes 14 to 20 years.

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Cravenette Raincoats

Made from Priestley's practical rubberless coating in tan, navy and black featuring the latest Fall models, with belted back and raglan or set-in sleeves. Sizes 14 years to 44 bust. Regularly \$15.00 9.50

Utility Covert Coats—Cravenette by the Priestley process. A new semi-belated model, in tan and Oxford, suitable for rain protection and utility use. Value \$15.50 10.50

Gabardine Coats in tan and navy featuring a new and splendidly tailored Fall model; showerproof and also suitable for general practical wear. Value \$16.50 12.50

Kimonos, Robes and Sacques

Hand Embroidered Cotton Crepe Kimonos, direct from Japan, in Pink, Blue, Copenhagen, Lavender and Rose; hand embroidered in white. Regularly \$1.95 1.45

Bath and House Robes of genuine Beacom blankets—figured effects in light and dark grounds. Regularly \$2.95 2.15

Japanese Silk Boudoir Robes in black and dainty colors; silk lined and lightly interlined. Regularly \$6.75 4.95

French Flannel Kimonos of superior quality; trimmed with satin ribbon. Regularly \$9.50 7.50

Albatross Breakfast Sacques in dainty shades, finished with scallop edge. Regularly \$3.00 and \$3.50 2.50 and 2.95

Silk Petticoats

Of superior grade Chiffon Taffeta depending for long service. Models are the season's latest, and the colors harmonize with the Fall suit shades. Regularly \$5.95 3.95

French Lingerie

NOTICE—Owing to the scarcity of merchandise from abroad, and the extraordinary reductions offered in this sale, this opportunity should not be overlooked.

Of fine Nainsook, in the season's prevailing styles, hand made and hand embroidered. Regularly \$5.00 3.95

Night Gowns— Regularly \$5.00 2.25

Princess Slips— Regularly \$2.95 and \$3.75 2.25

Drawer Combinations— Regularly \$2.25 to \$3.50 1.65 to 2.45

Petticoats— Regularly \$1.75 to \$6.25 95c to 3.50

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Women's Knit Combinations

Union Suits—Light weight, perfect fitting, no seam at side, silk trimmed; tight or wide knee. Regular and extra sizes. Regularly 85c 55c

3 for 1.60; 6 for 3.15.

Broadway & 19th Street

GOLDWATER READY FOR NOSTRUM WAR

Board of Health Amends 'Formula Disclosure' Ordinance to Make It Stronger.

WILL GO TO HIGHEST COURTS

Wholesale Druggists Commend Proposed Regulation and Favor Federal Law.

The Board of Health met yesterday and by amendment strengthened the Goldwater Formula Disclosure ordinance, to become effective Jan. 1, which requires that any patent medicine registered with the Health Department. The action was taken in anticipation of a fight on the new ordinance that may reach the highest courts.

The vital paragraph of the section reads: "The names of the ingredients of every such medicine shall be registered in the Department of Health in such manner as the regulations of the Board of Health may prescribe."

It was felt that this was not sufficiently clear, so the board amended it to read: "The names of all ingredients to which the therapeutic effects claimed are attributed and the names of all other ingredients except such as are physiologically inactive shall be registered in the Department of Health in such manner as the regulations of the Board of Health may prescribe."

The decision of some patent medicine men to fight was shown in a circular sent to retail druggists by firms dealing in patent medicines and proprietary articles, saying:

"We take this opportunity to inform you that we do not propose to comply with the terms and conditions of this ordinance, and in case you or any other retailer is prosecuted on account of selling our preparations, we guarantee to render you all assistance in our power for our mutual protection."

In addition Commissioner Goldwater has copies of The Weekly Drug Market, in which it is said:

"I intend to pay no attention to this regulation. If any attempt is made to confiscate any of our goods by the Health Department there will surely be a fight, said a member of the firm of the Hiram Manufacturing Company. 'I don't believe there is any authority which can compel me to place my business secrets on file for a bunch of Tammany politicians to do with as they see fit,' said a manufacturer. 'I believe Dr. Goldwater is a menace to the best interests of the city. When the time comes for him to stand ready to fight the measure to the limit.'"

This section is going to be enforced," said Dr. Goldwater. "I believe that there will be a fight, but we will fight back. The patent medicine makers have had a long and prosperous career in this country, but their day will soon be over. Dr. Goldwater has received a letter signed by eleven of the largest wholesale drug houses in New York declaring their intention to comply with the new ordinance and favoring a Federal law regulating the sale of patented and proprietary articles."

"Bluster has invariably greeted all attempts made to control the trade in fraudulent patent medicines," said Dr. Goldwater. "It will have no effect. The protection of the public health demands that the patent medicine makers be brought to book. The manufacturer who is making an honest preparation for which he is misleading claims are being made does not fear to register his formula. The information obtained through registration is to be held secretly confidential by the department."

OPEN FIGHT ON THE HYPHEN.

Reception for 20,000 First Voters at City College Stadium.

A group of prominent New York men and women, under the leadership of Immigration Commissioner Frederic C. Howe, has taken the task of eliminating the hyphen by organizing the League of Immigrants of New York. The league plans to conduct educational campaigns in schools, settlement houses, and social centers during the winter to Americanize foreign-born residents.

Three committees have been appointed, the first headed by Henry E. Jenkins of the Department of Education, with Miss Esther E. Lape as Secretary. A second committee to bring the immigrant into contact with the life of the community and to protect him from imposition is headed by James Byrne of the People's Institute, with Miss Ruth Robinson as Secretary.

The third committee is known as the Citizenship Committee, and is headed by Adolph Lewisohn. The initial activity of this committee will be a reception to 20,000 first voters on Friday evening in the Lewisohn Stadium at City College.

FINDS BETHLEHEM FORTUNE

Twenty-eight Shares, Misled Since 1908, Net \$15,904 Profit.

"My heart almost stopped when I discovered that a sheet of paper I was about to throw into the waste basket was a forgotten certificate for twenty-eight shares of Bethlehem Steel," said Frederick M. Kerr of Garden City yesterday, confirming a report that he had discovered a fortune in a forgotten corner of his writing desk.

"Some one induced me to buy twenty-eight shares back in 1908 at \$12 a share. I paid the \$336, tucked the certificate away in my desk, and gradually forgot the matter. A few days ago while going through my desk I was on the point of consigning it to the waste basket when the word 'Bethlehem' attracted my attention. Then I nearly fell off the chair. I did a little figuring, and found that I had a profit of \$15,904."

"Have you still got the stock?" Kerr was asked. "Bet your life!" said he, "and I intend to keep it. Maybe it'll skyrocket some more."

Kerr's town address is 88 West Forty-second Street, where he has an advertising business.

Read and laugh over
Jesse Lynch Williams's
Back to the Town;
or The Return to Human Nature

Back to Nature
In the November Scribner
All Newsstands

LINCOLN SALE CONTINUES.

Emancipation Proclamation Copy Brings \$515.

The feature of yesterday's sale at the Anderson Galleries of the Abraham Lincoln material in the library of John E. Burton of Milwaukee was a copy of the Emancipation Proclamation on parchment paper, signed by Lincoln and William H. Seward. The competition for it was keen. It was finally knocked down to George D. Smith for \$515. It is one of fifty authorized copies of the original proclamation prepared for the Sanitary Commission Fair in Philadelphia in June, 1864. Twenty copies were printed on parchment paper and signed by Lincoln and Seward at the request of Charles Godfrey Leland and George H. Boker.

A rare book, "The Hoody Junie; or, the Escape of John Wilkes Booth," by Captain R. H. Crozier, published at Little Rock, Ark., in 1869, brought \$22.50. No other copy is recorded as having been sold at auction. It is not mentioned in the Lincoln bibliographies of Fish, Boyd, and Smith. The author was an unrepentant Confederate, but later he made efforts to destroy every copy of the work.

The first edition of William H. Herndon and J. W. Wells' "The True Story of a Great Life," which was suppressed on account of passages relating to Lincoln's birth and parentage, sold for \$30. A copy of the program at Ford's Theatre, Washington, on April 14, 1865, when Lincoln was assassinated, brought \$20. It is the issue of the program with the Polkborough imprint, reading "Sensational Drama," and omitting the "Chairs" after "orchestra."

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TABERNACLE 75 YEARS OLD.

Anniversary of Church That Started in Worth Street.

The seventy-fifth anniversary of the Broadway Tabernacle, fifty-fourth Street and Broadway, of which the Rev. Dr. Charles E. Jefferson is pastor, will be celebrated with a series of meetings beginning at the Tabernacle this evening at 8 o'clock, when memories of other years will be revived. On Saturday evening at the same hour a civic meeting will be held in Pilgrim Hall and addresses will be delivered by Chancellor Elmer Ellsworth Brown of New York University, the Rev. Jonathan C. Day of the Labor Temple, and others. Dr. Jefferson will deliver the same evening. The following morning and evening, and end with a meeting next Wednesday evening in Taylor Chapel.

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STIFLED SCREAMS OF MRS. NICHOLS

Burglars Shown in Tallas Trial to Have Thrown a Bed Sheet Over Her Head.

CLOTH FOUND ON HERMOUTH

Physicians Testify They Saw Ridges on Her Throat and Believed She Had Been Strangled.

Evidence showing that Mrs. Elizabeth B. Nichols, wealthy widow of one of the founders of Austin Nichols & Co., died not of fright, but of strangulation, when burglars entered her home on the night of Sept. 8, was introduced yesterday at the trial of Olanie Tallas her pantry boy, charged with murder, before Judge Malone and a jury in General Sessions. The prosecution established the fact that the burglars threw a bed sheet over Mrs. Nichols's head, in order to stifle her screams. The intruders succeeded so well that her chambermaid, Edith Langford, bound and guarded by an armed man below, heard none of the aged woman's cries, heard nothing beyond the violent, and then feeble, ringing of the servants' bell, with which Mrs. Nichols tried to summon help.

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of the confession by Tallas twelve hours after his arrest as an accomplice in the murder. According to Enright, Tallas, who first insisted that he knew none of the burglars, later admitted that he had planned the robbery, together with Arthur Waltonen, former butler in the Nichols home, and "Eddie" Lehto, a white man whom he admitted to the house was unknown to him. None of these three men, all indicted with Tallas for murder in the first degree, has been arrested.

The pantry boy in his confession said that he, Waltonen and Lehto had conceived the plan of robbing Mrs. Nichols of the jewelry which was about her person fully two months before the crime was actually committed. They discussed their arrangements in Mc Morris Park and in furnished rooms, but they always kept postponing the deed to a more opportune time. Finally they decided on the night of Sept. 8, when they knew the cook and butler would be out. Tallas was to deal with the chambermaid, Edith Langford, to deal with Tallas was to be tied hand and foot for the sake of appearance.

A Tallas also admitted to Enright that the burglars brought with them a package, an empty box which had once contained some hair restorer, in order to make it appear that he let them in the house. This package, wrapped up in brown paper and tied with a white string, was found by the police behind the basement door after Olanie had called their attention to its presence.

According to Enright, Tallas said the burglars originally intended to steal up the stairs and seize Mrs. Nichols from behind as she was seated at the library table. The plan miscarried because Mrs. Nichols heard their footsteps and arose from her seat in time to see the intruders enter. The attack which resulted in her death followed.

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OPPENHEIM FOUND GUILTY.

Convicted with Other Defendants for Misappropriating Bank Funds.

SYRACUSE, Oct. 26.—A verdict of guilty on all counts in the indictment was returned at 10:30 o'clock tonight by the jury in the case of Baron Eugene Oppenheim, Dr. Howard J. Rogers of New York, and Richard Murphy of Amsterdam, accused of conspiracy and siding in the embezzlement of funds from the First National Bank of Amsterdam.

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ROLLED IN BLANKET, ELUDES DETECTIVES

Adrian Duffie Spirited Away by Parents and Taken to a College Football Game.

WANTED FOR AUTO ACCIDENT

Deserted Two Girl Companions with Broken Bones—Left Them Lying in the Road with Machine.

After an absence of three days, which included an automobile trip to the Princeton-Dartmouth football game wrapped like a log in a blanket to avoid detection by watching detectives, Adrian Duffie, who abandoned two girls after they had been thrown into the road from his automobile when the machine collided with a motor truck on Old Stone Road at Grantville, E. L., surrendered to Detectives McKetrick and McNally of the Ninth Precinct yesterday in the Stapleton Police Court.

The police say that Duffie, who lives at 1,886 Richmond Terrace, West New Brighton, S. I., and his companion, Andrew Olson of Bergen Avenue, West Brighton, ran across the fields after the accident and persuaded two negro garage helpers who were passing on motor cycles to take them home.

The girls who had been riding with them were Ruth Booth, 17 years old, of 18 Union Street, and Elsie Kress, 18 years old, of 22 Manor Road, West Brighton. They were left in a helpless condition in the road beside the overturned machine. Miss Booth had a broken arm and Miss Kress a fractured rib.

Duffie could not be found when the detectives went to his home on Saturday morning with warrants charging him with speeding. The police say that Duffie, realizing they had seen him driving West Brighton at a high rate of speed Friday afternoon, changed his mind at a garage in the evening to avoid arrest. The young man, it is asserted, refused to tell the police where his son was.

Then, where his son was, Duffie was bundled in a blanket by his parents and taken in an automobile to the Princeton-Dartmouth game. On returning they left him at the home of his uncle, John Miner, in Manassas, N. J.

In the meanwhile the officers had a warrant for his arrest on a felony charge, sworn out by George Dagostino of 2,165 Old Stone Road, who was driving the truck with which the Duffie car collided. The police charged Duffie with leaving the scene of the accident without first notifying the police.

The police showed this to Mr. and Mrs. Duffie, who consented to have their son give himself up. The young man when arrested declared that he had been under cover in order to consult a lawyer. He was held in \$1,000 bail by Magistrate Handy for examination Nov. 3.

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CARPET CLUB DENIES ROOSEVELT SLIGHT

Apologizes for Story That Mem-
bers Refused to Dine
with Him.

TAKES INQUIRER TO TASK

Philadelphia Paper Says President
Charles Fritz Withdrew—Col-
onel Invited, but Declined.

Members of the New York Carpet Club are stirred by an article which appeared in the Philadelphia Inquirer on Monday asserting that Colonel Roosevelt would not attend the annual banquet at the Hotel Breinlin tonight because nearly a hundred of the leading carpet and rug manufacturers of the country who are in New York for the opening of the buying season refused to sit down at a dinner where the former President was to be the guest of honor.

The Dinner Committee yesterday sent the following letter, apologizing to Colonel Roosevelt for the incident:

The Hon. Theodore Roosevelt, Oyster Bay, N. Y.
Dear Sir: The attention of the under-
signed committee has been called to an article which appeared in the Philadelphia Inquirer, Oct. 25, headed with caption "Big Carpet Men Refuse to Dine with Roosevelt—Vaudeville Entertainment to Replace Him on Banquet Program—Many Members of Association Learning He Was to Speak to Resign."

From the first to the last paragraph the inquirer story is a tissue of falsehoods. We assure you that the New York Carpet Club, which is composed of carpet manu-
facturers, buyers, and dealers, repudiates every word of it.
The club is in no sense a political organization, and we do not permit any member, no matter what his official position may be, to use its name in the furtherance of political capital.

There may be some among our organization who do not agree with you politically, but it is hard to bring ourselves to believe that any man whom we consider worthy of membership in our club would stoop to tactics so low as to vilify Roosevelt, the foremost private citizen.

MYRON W. ROBINSON,
ALEXANDER AIRD,
A. A. STEPHENS,
GEORGE NOLLS,
Dinner Committee New York Carpet Club,
Oct. 26, 1915.

The inquirer in its story declared that only a few of the leading carpet men were willing to sit down with Colonel Roosevelt.
"Charging that Colonel Roosevelt was directly responsible for the downfall of the Republican Party at the last Presidential election and the resulting Democratic Administration," said the inquirer, "the carpet men, numbering among them some of the wealthiest citizens from every section of the nation, were ready to withdraw from their organization rather than have him as a guest."

Charles Fritz is President of the Carpet and Rug Association of New York, under whose auspices the affair will be held. Mr. Fritz has been named for toastmaster, but when he learned that

the Guest Committee had arranged for the presence of Colonel Roosevelt he announced his withdrawal from the banquet. Following his lead came announce-
ments to the committee from more than 25 per cent of those expected to be among the guests.

Many Members Protested.

The inquirer gave as the reason for the action of the withdrawing mem-
bers the fact that they were all pro-
tectionists and blame the Colonel for
the wiping out of their tariff and for
bad business conditions in the country.
It declared that a vaudeville entertain-
ment was substituted for the presence
of the former President. It said the
delinquent members promised to attend
when they had been assured that
Colonel Roosevelt would attend at no time
brought in on the gathering and put a
stop to the singing and dancing of the
theatrical performers.

At the rooms of the Carpet Club in the Hotel Breinlin last night members of the organization assured a Times reporter that the whole thing was un-
true and cast a reflection on the or-
ganization.
"Our organization is in no way po-
litical," said one of them. "We may
disagree with a man in politics, but we
can at the same time admire his per-
sonality and his work. We would gladly in-
vite him to our banquet. It is not true
that all that Colonel Roosevelt was
forced to do was to withdraw his name.
We asked him twice before he re-
ceiving a letter notifying us that he
would be unable to accept our invitation
because of a previous engagement. No-
body has been asked in his place. But
we will have the vaudeville entertain-
ment as we have always had in the past,
just as we will have him in the past,
and which we would have had anyhow."

President Fritz in South.
It was said that President Fritz would
be asked to resign from the Presidency
of the organization unless he could ex-
plain the interview accorded to him
by the inquirer. It was admitted, how-
ever, that Mr. Fritz had already ex-
pressed regret that a necessary Southern
trip would prevent his presence at the banquet.

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Dear Sir: In your issue of Oct. 25, you
have a headline which reads "Big Carpet Men Refuse to Dine with Roosevelt—Vaudeville to Replace Him on Banquet Program—Many Members of Association Learning He Was to Speak to Resign."

This is not only a libel on ex-President Roosevelt, but on the New York Carpet Club and on Colonel Roosevelt that we are a restrictionist of your story of Oct. 25, which is absolutely untrue. The New York Carpet Club is not a political organization and it does not propose to be used as such, and no members or officials of the club are authorized to give out interviews
violating the opinion of its members as a whole or in part.

Roosevelt Declined Invitation.
Colonel Roosevelt was invited to attend the forthcoming annual banquet of our organization for good and sufficient reasons with no reflection on the club or any of its members; he declined the invitation. We would have felt proud indeed, if Colonel Roosevelt had consented to become our honored guest. We remain,
Sincerely yours,
Oct. 26, 1915. DINNER COMMITTEE.

The carpet and rug buyers and manu-
facturers, with an organization of more
than 2,000 members, come here twice a
year, at the opening of the Fall and
Spring buying seasons. The banquet is
a semi-annual affair, at which some man
of national reputation is asked to make
the principal address. This year there
will be no one in Colonel Roosevelt's
place.

W. G. WILLCOX TO RUN AGAINST CHURCHILL

Opponents of Present Head of
Board of Education Pre-
pare for Election.

ECONOMY THEIR PLATFORM

Votes of 23 Members, including 10
to be Appointed, Claimed—
Greene on the Ticket.

Board of Education members who are
opposed to the present conduct of at-
tending the school board, William G. Willcox
as their candidate for President in the
election to be held a little more than
three months hence. He is in the in-
surance business at 3 South William
Street, Manhattan, and lives at 115
Davis Avenue, West New Brighton, S. I.
He is one of the two members from
Richmond Borough in the present board.
Mr. Willcox was appointed by Mayor
Mitchell, whom he accompanied when
the schools at Gary, Ind., and other
places in the West were visited. He is
strongly in favor of the Wirt system of
education for the New York public
schools.

John Greene, Chairman of the Com-
mittee on Finance, has been chosen as
the candidate for Vice President. The
candidates' platform will be economy in
the Education Department. It is as-
serted by their supporters that their
election is assured. Thomas W.
Churchill, when he first ran for Presi-
dent against Egerton L. Winthrop, Jr.,
was defeated by a few votes. The next
year he had Robert L. Harrison as
his opponent, but was elected President
by a good-sized majority. Last year
John Greene was his rival, but Mr.
Churchill won again.

Mayor Mitchell next month will ap-
point successors in the board to Henry
J. Bigham, Joseph E. Coagrove, Miss
Martha Lincoln Draper, Robert J. Har-
rison, Peter J. Lavalle, Alrich H. Man,
Louis Newman, Mrs. Christine Towns,
and John Whalen. Their terms will ex-
pire on Jan. 1, 1916. Their successors
will vote for the President in February.
It is not known whether the Mayor will
reappoint any of the members, but it is
thought that he will retain on the board
Miss Draper and Messrs. Harrison and
Whalen, all three of whom are re-
garded as opposed to the present school
administration.

There are forty-six members of the
board. One vacancy exists, caused by

ESCAPING BURGLAR SHOOTS COMPANION

Fired Twice at Lieb Lurie, Who
Faced Three Intruders on
Stairs in His Home.

ALARM GIVEN BY HIS WIFE

Fugitive Leaves Trail of Blood, and
Police Arrest a Man with
Bullet Wound in Jaw.

After collecting silverware and other
articles valued at \$500 and putting them
in a bag ready to be taken away, three
burglars who entered the home of Lieb
Lurie, a real estate broker at 1,431
Union Street, Brooklyn, early yesterday
morning were surprised by Lurie. One
of the burglars fired two shots at Lurie.
One shot missed Lurie and the other
bullet struck one of the burglars. The
burglars then escaped from the house.
An hour later the police of the Miller
Avenue Station found a badly wounded
man at 458 Glenmore Avenue, East New
York. He was attended there by Dr.
Louis Fisher of 132 Pennsylvania Ave-
nue, for a bullet wound in the chin. The
bullet had penetrated his jaw and
lodged near the windpipe. He is now in
the Kings County Hospital, a prisoner,
pending a further investigation by the
police of the burglary in the Lurie home.

Lurie lives with his wife and son, Ir-
ving, who is 13 years old, at the Union
Street address. The son who sleeps on
the third floor, had been ill. At 3 o'clock
yesterday morning, when Mrs. Lurie
was awakened by a noise, she supposed
Irving was up, and called to him.

"Is that you, Irving?"
There was no response, and Mrs. Lurie
awakened her husband. Both sleep on
the second floor. As Lurie walked out
of his bedroom into the hallway he saw
three men coming up the stairs from
the ground floor. One of the intruders
fired a shot at Lurie which missed him
and lodged in the wall. There was a
scuffle and hurrying feet as the burglars
started to run down the stairs. The hall
and stairs were dark, and the three in-
truders crowded together in their hasty
flight to get out of the building. A second
shot was fired immediately after the
first, and Lurie heard one of the
fugitives groan.

The burglars escaped through an open
kitchen window in the rear of the build-
ing, by which they had entered. When
Lurie went through the house he found
a trail of blood leading down the stairs
from the second floor, through the hall
and kitchen on the ground floor to the
open window.
The prisoner gave his name as John
Rieless, Jr., and said he lived at 459
Glenmore Avenue with his brother.
Rieless denied all knowledge of the
burglary at the Lurie home.

Carson C. Peck Left \$454,585.
The State Tax Appraiser's report of the
value of the assets left by Carson C.
Peck, owner of The Brooklyn Daily
Times and Vice President of the F. W.
Woolworth Company, which was filed
yesterday in the Surrogate's office in
Brooklyn, showed that Mr. Peck left
\$454,585. The estate consists largely of
real estate. Mr. Peck died on April 20
at Allentown, N. J. Clara S. Peck is
named as sole legatee and executrix.



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**The Case of
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An answer to Dr. Zimmer-
mann, Germany's Under Secre-
tary for Foreign Affairs,
By James M. Beck.

Late Assistant Attorney General
of the United States, and author
of the much-quoted article, "In
the Supreme Court of Civiliza-
tion," written for The New York
Times, which has been repub-
lished in England, France, and
elsewhere.

The execution of Miss Cavell
is dealt with from several stand-
points, but especially from a legal
one, and Mr. Beck presents the
case with force and skill. In

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Died

MAYER.—Suddenly, at Montclair, N. J., Oct. 25, 1916, Amelia I., daughter of the late Jacob F. and Louise S. Mayer. Funeral services at her late residence, 218 Vall

SALISBURY.—Society of Exempt Members of the Company B, Seventh Regiment, N. G. 1 Y., announce with deep regret the death of their comrade, Richard L. Salisbury. Members of the society are invited to attend the funeral services at his late residence, 404 West 147th St., Wednesday, Oct. 27, 1915, at 11:30 A. M.

S. B. BOSTWICK, JR., Secretary.

CHUTE.—After a short illness, on Monday, Oct. 23, at his residence, Irvington, N. Y., died the late Philip Schuyler, son of the late Philip Schuyler, and daughter of the late Rawlin Lowndes of Chateaufort, N. Y. He was 82 years of age. Burial Oct. 25, at St. Barnabas Church, Irvington, N. Y. The funeral will be held at the Grand Central Hotel, New York, on Monday, Oct. 25, at 11 o'clock. The casket will reach New York at 1:10.

FRINGER.—On Oct. 23, at the German Hospital, New York, died the late Max Fringer, aged 68 years. Funeral private.

WATSON.—After a long illness, following a fall from a horse, on Monday, Oct. 23, at his residence, 2221 Washington St., died the late Thomas Watson, 82 years of age. Burial Oct. 25, at St. Nicholas of Tolentine Church, New York. The funeral will be held at St. Raymond's, New York, on Monday, Oct. 25, at 11 o'clock.

ABER.—Suddenly, in Washington, D. C., on Oct. 25, 1913, Horace Mann Aber of New York City, died. The funeral will be held at the Potomac Hotel, Washington, on Tuesday, Oct. 26, at 11 o'clock.

ATLON.—On Monday, Oct. 25, 1915, Mary, widow of the late Stephen U. Taylor, died at her residence, 100 West 10th St., New York City. The funeral will be held at the Potomac Hotel, Washington, on Tuesday, Oct. 26, at 11 o'clock.

THOMPSON—On Oct. 26, 1915, at her residence, 1,625 Jackson A.V., Bronx, N.Y. Ann Thompson. Funeral service Wednesday at 3 P. M. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

VAN NOSTRAND—On Monday, Oct. 25, 1915, Francis E. Van Nstrand, in her 81st year. Catharine Van Nstrand. Her late residence, Piermont, N. Y. Friday, Oct. 27, at 3 P. M. Train leaves Jersey City 1:20 P. M., via Northern R.R. of N. J.

CLARK—Owen, 168 East 102d St., Oct. 25. Funeral tomorrow, 10 A. M.

WILLIAMS—Rate, 100, 3 aged 10. Funeral Tuesday, 10:30 A. M., St. John's Church.
 OLLINS— Hannah T., 228 West 10th St. Funeral, Tuesday, 2 P. M., St. John's Church.
 ULLS—John G. A., Oct. 24. Funeral, 8th Ave.
 BAULER—George, 1494 Tiffany St., Brooklyn. Funeral, Oct. 25.
 RIEND—Baronad, 247 West 84th St., Oct. 24, aged 43. Funeral, Tuesday, 10:30 A. M., St. John's Church.
 ULLS—John G. A., Oct. 24. Funeral, Monday tomorrow, 1:30 P. M., St. John's Church.
 LART—Catherine, 272 West 154th St., Oct. 24. Funeral, Tuesday, 10:30 A. M., St. John's Church.
 LAYANAGH—Dennis, 187 10th Ave., Oct. 24. Funeral, Tuesday, 9:30 A. M., St. John's Church.
 LARSON—Henry, Bellevue Hospital, Oct. 24.
 MALLEY—John, 242 East 100th St., Oct. 24. Funeral, Tuesday, 10:30 A. M., St. John's Church.
 OBBES—John, 248 East 94th St., Oct. 24. Funeral, Tuesday, 2 P. M., St. John's Church.
 FARD—John, 248 East 94th St., Oct. 24. Funeral, Tuesday, 9:30 A. M., St. John's Church.
 Brooklyn.
 ANDERSON—Mary, 433 Bleeker St., Oct. 24. Funeral, Tuesday, 10:30 A. M., St. John's Church.

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24. aged 44.
CHAVENK.—Leopold, 409 Myrtle Av., O.
25. Funeral notice later.
VAN DELINDER.—Martha W. M., Oct. 2

Funeral Service Forest and Halleck Aves. today.
WENT—Janette M., Methodist Episcopal Home, Oct. 25, aged 68. Funeral tomorrow, 10:30 A. M.
WILLIAMS—Evelyn, Kings County Hospital, Oct. 25. Funeral tomorrow.
WITTICH—C., 120 Greenpoint Ave., Oct. 25, aged 41. Funeral today, 2 P. M.
WYNNE—John H., 59 Underhill Ave., Oct. 24. Funeral today, 10 A. M.

Hoboken, Jersey City, and Newark.
DE—Anna, 170 Newton St., Newark, Oct. 25, aged 45. Funeral private.
HASTGEN—John B., 31 Monroe St., Hoboken, Oct. 24, aged 28.
OLEMAN—Loretha, Jersey City, Oct. 24, aged 28.

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APP.—W. W. Jersey City, Oct. 25. Funeral
Oct. 25. P. 3. M.

Long Island.

CAMPBELL.—Ann, Glen Cove, Oct. 24. ag
ed 88. Funeral Oct. 25. P. 3. M.

HARRLAND.—William, Flushing, Oct. 25. F
neral today. 2 P. 3.

HINK.—Mary, 124 Academy St., Lo
Island City, Oct. 24. Funeral today.

CRAMER.—Charles, Corona, Oct. 24. aged
60. Funeral today.

McBRIDE.—Ruth, 13 Radde St., Lo
Island City, Oct. 24. Funeral today.

HADISON.—James, Freeport, Oct. 25, ag
ed 85. Funeral today.

HALLON.—Mary A., Elmhurst, Oct. 26. F
neral today. 10 A. M.

PIERSON.—Hiram, Union Course, Oct. 2
aged 85. Funeral today.

ELLIS.—Ellen, Jamaica, Oct. 25. aged 49.
Funeral today.

TEANG.—John C., OceanSide, Oct. 25. F
neral today. 4:30 P. M.

WILLIAMS.—John, 100 West St., Astor
Oct. 25. Funeral private.

LEGLER.—Frank M., 715 Wilbur Ave., Lo
Island City, Oct. 24, aged 49. Funer
today.

In Memoriam.

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N. Y. U. PROTESTS FOOTBALL PLAYER BRICKLEY OF TRINITY TEAM-DAY'S GRIDIRON DRILLS

N. Y. U. ASKS TRINITY TO WITHDRAW PROTEST

Formal Protest Against Hartford Team Playing Brickley Here Tuesday.

Following the course of action adopted by Williams College last week, New York University, it was announced yesterday by athletic authorities, has entered a formal protest to the athletic officials of Trinity College with regard to the alleged ineligibility of George Brickley as a member of its football team.

The communication, which was addressed to the Chairman of the Faculty Committee on Athletics of Trinity College, calls attention to the long existing athletic relations between the two institutions, for whom it has been a custom for many years to meet in an annual gridiron contest on election day in this city.

The Violets, as the next team on Trinity's schedule, while not threatening anything to the latter for the violation of the intercollegiate rule which forbids a recognized institution from playing a man generally considered to be a professional standing, call attention to the fact that its Faculty has at all times strictly enforced this rule and has frequently debarred men from participating in various sports represented at the Heights because of ineligible status.

The letter to the Trinity authorities draws attention also to the unenviable position which the Violets are in by virtue of the fact that they are playing on their eleven who for any reason are ineligible according to the regulations which interpret the professional status of a player they be withdrawn before the Violets' contest with the Trinity is held on Tuesday. The letter was signed by Dr. Theodore F. Jones, Chairman of the Committee on Student Organization, and Martin White, who is the student First Vice President of the Athletic Association.

HARVARD GAME IMPROVES

Eleven Gets Down to Real Work and a Brace is Apparent.

Special to The New York Times.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 26.—The Harvard football men got down to hard work again this afternoon. It was thought inadvisable to send many of the players who went through the Cornell game into the line-up, but the regulars, with the exception of Gilman, all went on the field in playing clothes and had a long drill in signals and new plays. The line-up was important, as it was that which will go into the Princeton game next week. Cane at right tackle was the only substitute.

For several weeks the coaches have been planning to use Moseley at center, but could not do so until they were sure that the services of Wallace, last year's center rush, would be available. Wallace's work in the Cornell game made him a fixture in his old place, and today Cowan was withdrawn from right guard on the Varsity team, and today Cowan was withdrawn from right guard on the Varsity team, and today Cowan was withdrawn from right guard on the Varsity team.

Stevens Tech. Varsity had a long workout yesterday, and over half the position were filled by substitutes, owing to the many injuries received in the game last Saturday. The practice consisted mainly of falling on the ball and tackling the dummy, although a short scrimmage was held before dark, and the scrubs succeeded in scoring on the first unit alone. Coach Rogers was disappointed with the showing the team made last week, and is driving hard for the Columbia game on Election Day. The Manhattan team is expected to give Stevens its most severe test.

Long Session for Lafayette.

Special to The New York Times.

EASTON, Penn., Oct. 26.—Using a ball painted white Coach Crowell kept his Varsity and scrub teams practicing until long after darkness came tonight. There was a brief intermission for supper, and then the team went at it again in a drill in the formations in the gymnasium. To equalize the contest, Coach Crowell had the scrubs play the Varsity in the gymnasium. The scrubs were defeated, but the Varsity was victorious.

Rutgers Works at Full Speed.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Oct. 26.—Hard work characterized the practice of the Rutgers football team this afternoon. Coach Sanford drove the regulars at full speed in a thirty-minute scrimmage with the scrubs. The regulars won the game, 14-0.

W. & J. Won't Play Rutgers Here.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Penn., Oct. 26.—Another post-season clash at the Polo Grounds in New York between Washington and Rutgers College and Rutgers was proposed by Foster Sanford, head coach of Rutgers, when Washington and Jefferson was in New York on its tour. It was rejected by the local manager, Dr. H. H. Murphy, the local manager.

VAUGHN GETS LINE ON SUBS.

Formal Coach Wants Good Second-String Men for Tuesday's Game.

Coach Vaughn decided yesterday to get a good line on the Fordham substitutes. He has been looking for a good line on the Fordham substitutes. He has been looking for a good line on the Fordham substitutes. He has been looking for a good line on the Fordham substitutes.

The new men in the line-up yesterday were McGuire and Hall at the ends, Dougherty at right guard, Delahanty at center, and Donnelly in the back field. Delahanty is the only one of these players who has appeared in a Varsity game this fall. In addition, Kendrick, whose aggressive work Saturday filled up one Holy Cross rush after another, was shifted to right guard, and played guard. Yesterday was the first time Dougherty has appeared in uniform this season. He was regular guard last year, but his personal objections kept him out of most of the games.

After giving the newcomers a chance to get used to their places, Coach Vaughn ordered a scrimmage with the "Prep." The presence of the "Prep." players tried to show their right to regular places. The presence of the "Prep." players tried to show their right to regular places. The presence of the "Prep." players tried to show their right to regular places.

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Complete Roster at N. Y. U.

New York University resumed its daily football practice yesterday, after a day of inactivity for the entire squad, and Coach Kelley devoted much attention to a general review of the playing of the Varsity as in the game against Harvard on Saturday. Although preparations had been made for a hard scrimmage against Columbia, these plans were changed at the last moment, and the Varsity played a light game with the "Prep." team.

Left end, Moseley; left tackle, Smith; left guard, Black; center, White; right guard, Kent; right tackle, Cane; right end, Wiedeman; quarterback, Captain Wilson; left half back, Waite; right half back, Higginbotham; full back, Seville.

Harry Legore tonight denied that he would begin playing professional football next Sunday with the Humphrey team. Legore says that he will not play Sunday nor professional football.

At the offices of the Yale Football Association it was said that the applications for the Yale-Princeton tickets will go to Princeton supporters the public sale will throw about 7,000 remaining tickets on the market, and that the Yale Alumni Federation, Frederick Cockendall and H. B. Hays.

Old-Time Football at Williams.

Special to The New York Times.

WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., Oct. 26.—Despite a wet and muddy ground, the Williams Varsity football squad went through a hard scrimmage here this afternoon on Weston Field. After a short signal workout, the first and second eleven lined up against each other in a series of rushes. The Varsity scored on the scrubs for first downs and advanced down the field for a touchdown with a second rush. Throughout the practice the regulars made use of the old-time hammer-and-sledge method of playing. The scrubs were not allowed to take the ball in the middle of the scrum, and the Varsity played on the defensive. Repeated rushes by the second eleven were not successful, and the game resulted in a considerable gain.

Maltese Terrier Best.

Yankee Snowball Wins Chief Honors at Hippodrome Bench Show.

Mrs. K. Stinson's maltese terrier Yankee Snowball was adjudged the best dog of any breed in the show and dog parade which closed yesterday at the New York Hippodrome. Miss Elsie Janis's Chihuahua Coquette received the silver cup for the best professional dog, or one associated with the stage. There were more than 300 dogs benched, and the exhibition was a success from every standpoint. The winners were:

Best dog actually managed in the profession, Miss Elsie Janis's Coquette, puppy Popsy.

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YALE IN NO MOOD FOR HARD WORK

Elli Have Not Fully Recovered from Exhaustion of W. and J. Game.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 26.—Worked almost to exhaustion in the Washington and Jefferson game Saturday, the Yale eleven omitted scrimmage practice today and the coaches said tonight that it is likely that it would be skipped again tomorrow. If there is any attempt to play football before the Colgate game next Saturday it will be a short but sharp scrimmage encounter on Thursday afternoon.

There was some encouragement to the situation today when "Cupid" Black and "Big Dick" Kent resumed their positions as guards and Baldrige entered the line-up, although he was placed on the second team. All three will get assignments in Saturday's game. As Carl White returned to center yesterday, four first-string players, who were not available against Washington and Jefferson, will face Colgate.

In the search for weight in the rush line and back field a general shake-up has been ordered. Paul Wiedeman, who has played tackle, has been displaced Allen at right end, and Jim Sheldon, the Varsity oarsman, who has been at guard, yesterday moved out to right tackle, displacing Gates. With Kent and Black in the guard positions and White at center the rush line averaged eight yards a play for the first time since Saturday. Carrying out their policy of adding weight to the back field, Schmidt, the former tackle, and "Pie" Way, the former center, were tried as half backs. Way's punting being keenly watched by Dr. Bull. Maurice Smith, the wrestler, was assigned to "Cupid" Sheldon's berth at left tackle. Sheldon will be unable to play next Saturday because of the injury to his shoulder, and either Smith, Baldrige, or Schmidt will be selected. Both Joe Neville and Kirkham were transferred to the second eleven, Higginbotham and Seville getting their half back positions. Mike Sweeney, the Hill School coach, was on the side lines. The revised line-up, which will be used with little change in the game against Colgate, was:

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PROFICIENT IN PASSING.

Middle Make Long Gains in Forward Hurling of Ball.

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ANNAPOLIS, Md., Oct. 26.—The Navy Academy football team showed in this afternoon's practice that it is acquiring real proficiency in the use of the forward pass, with which it has had little success so far this season. A large percentage of its attempts this afternoon were successful, and most of them resulted in long gains. In two cases touchdowns were scored on the play. Near the middle of the practice Westphal took a twenty-five-yard toss from Von Heimburg and crossed the line after a run of fifty yards, the gain being probably the largest made on such a play this year by the Navy team. Later, Blodgett, who was playing end, received the ball and ran forty yards for a touchdown.

The back field, which was used during most of the practice this year, is now practically settled upon, unless there is an accident or a reversal of form in some position. Captain Miles, who has been playing end, seems now to be firmly fixed at quarter back. Martin and Westphal are ahead of the bunch as half backs, and Von Heimburg is an easy first choice for full back.

Williams May Play Columbia.

Negotiations to fill the open date of Nov. 20 on the Columbia football schedule are progressing rapidly, and an announcement is certain to be made within a few days. The Columbia football schedule is being worked out by the Columbia Athletic Association, which has been in communication with the Williams Athletic Association.

Football Alumni Talk Football.

At the annual meeting of the Alumni Association of Columbia University, which was held at the Automobile Club of America last night, every one of the several hundred alumni present seemed to take keen delight in talking about the football game. The alumni association is a body of men who have been graduates of the university, and they are now in various parts of the country.

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TIGERS DEVELOPING POWER IN OFFENSE

Varsity Success Only Fair, but There is Evidence of Team Work.

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The development of the offensive power of the team was again the objective of the coaches, and during most of the time the Varsity was allowed to carry the ball.

The success of the regulars was only fair, and although they gave evidence at times of an ability to work together, their general play gave little evidence of any advance over the standard of Saturday. It was the first scrimmage work of the week for the regulars and raggedness in some respects was to be expected. However, as there remains only three days more before the Princeton game, the coaches are not likely to be satisfied with the team's progress.

The first part of the afternoon's practice was in secret on University Field, and it is not known what the results were. Several new formations tried out in the public work-out in the stadium the regulars lined up against the scrubs, and there was much stress laid on the kicking game. The overhand punting was also worked for several long gains.

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Day's Inquiry Discloses 48 Non-Resident and 7 Dead.

Tax Commissioners in Manhattan yesterday examined all persons against whom a personal tentative tax assessment for 1916 of \$3,000,000 had been made. Out of the number only seventy-two were held for final assessment and their total was \$283,000. Those exempted from non-residence numbered forty-five, while seven were reported as having died since the assessment was made.

AUCTION SALES.

MISCELLANEOUS.

ASSIGNEE SALE.

On the matter of the general assignment of William J. Thompson, Assignee.

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Will sell by Public Auction on Thursday, October 26th, 1915.

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Closing.		Sales.				First.		High.		Low.		Last.	
Chg.	Adv.												
2	15	1,000	W. & L. E. 1st pt....	10%	12%	10%	12						
4	4%	1,500	W. & L. E. 2d pt....	10%	12%	10%	12						
8	290%	1,200	Willis-Oreland	25	261	258	500						
10	106	100	Willis-Oreland	10%	10%	10%	100						
4	88%	1,200	Wisconsin Central	35	37	34%	38%						
11%	112	8,000	Woolwo, (F.W.) Co....	11%	13%	11%	12						

BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE	
Total sales Oct. 28.....	\$5,287,500

Same day last year		Exch. closed
Year to date		\$892,309,700
Same period last year		425,061,100
Average price and change 40 bonds.		\$4.95 + 19
Same day last year		*Exch. closed
	High.	Low.
Year's range to date.	\$4.95 Oct. 26	\$1.51 Jan. 2
Same period last year	\$9.42 Feb. 4	\$2.73 July 30
Year 1914	\$9.42 Feb. 4	\$1.42 Dec. 2
Year 1913	\$2.31 Jan. 10	\$6.45 Dec. 18

* Closing average July 30, 82.73.				
Argo-French 5c.	23,000	96 1/2	10,000	82 1/2
Iran issued	5,000	98 1/2	7,000	82 1/2
1914-1915	1,000	96 1/2	11,000	82 1/2
1916	1,000	96 1/2	10,000	82 1/2
1917	1,000	96 1/2	10,000	82 1/2
1918	1,000	96 1/2	10,000	82 1/2
1919	1,000	96 1/2	10,000	82 1/2
1920	1,000	96 1/2	10,000	82 1/2
1921	1,000	96 1/2	10,000	82 1/2
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1,000	132		L&g & Myers 6s	5,000,10f.
B & Suq 4½s	83	500	1,000	2,900
1,000	133	1,000	101%	
M Ag Ch deb 6s	83	5,000	Long Isl ref. 101%	3,000
1,000	134	Cleve, C & St L	4,000,80f.	58,000
1,000	135	gen 5s	10,000	85%
1,000	136	Clare St Line 4½s	1,000	103%
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28,000.....	98%	5,000.....	82%	5,000,307.....	94%	5,000.....
THE CITY'S FINANCIAL OPERATIONS.						
Temporary Financing. Oct. 15 to 23, 1915, inclusive.						
Cash Action.		Corporate Stock		Revenue Bonds		Special Bonds
Outstanding Oct. 15.....		Notes.		and Bills.		Be
		\$18,550,284.98		\$70,538,981.18		\$3.13
Net Increase		1,740,000.00				1.53
Outstanding Oct. 23.....		\$20,290,784.98		\$70,538,981.18		\$5.66

Net obligation	\$14,101,487.96
PUBLIC UTILITY SECURITIES.	
	214. 120.
American Gas Co.	118 120
American Light & Traction	118 120
American Light & Traction pt.	127 130
Indiana Electric Power	18 19
Grand Rapids Electric Power	18 19
American Gas & Electric	102 103
American Gas & Electric pt.	48 50
Empire District Electric Co.	78 80
Empire District Electric Co.	83 85
Federal Light & Traction	83 85
Federal Light & Traction pt.	80 82
Edison Electric Power	80 82
Gas & Electric Securities pt.	81 83
Great Western Power Co. 16, 1946	80 82
Gas & Electric	10 12
Northern Ontario Light & Power	10 12
Northern Ontario Light & P. pt.	60 62

American Power & Light Co. p.	75	80	North States Power Co. p.	86
American Public Utilities, p.	80	83	Oak Park Power & Water, p.	86
Electric & Gas Co. p.	75	80	Old Dominion Electric Co. p.	87
American Waterworks & Electric, p.	75	80	Pacific Gas & Electric Co. p.	87
Am. W. & E. participating p.	15	16	Republic Ry. & Light Co. p.	87
Atlantic City Electric Co. p.	80	85	Rio Grande Electric Co. p.	87
Atlantic P. & L. Co. p. cum p.	80	85	Southern California Edison, p.	87
Electric Services, p.	80	85	Southern California Edison, p.	87
Electric Services, p.	80	85	Standard Electric Co. p.	87
Colorado Power Co. p.	85	90	Standard Gas & Electric p.	87
Colorado Power Co. p.	85	90	Tennessee Ry. Light & Power, p.	87
Commonwealth P. & L. Co. p.	90	95	Tennessee Ry. Light & Power, p.	87
Consumers Power Co. p.	90	95	United Light & Ry. 1st p.	87

Consumers Power (M.E.) pt.....	90	90	Utah Electric	10
Danvers Gas & Electric gas. 54.....	85	85	Western Power pt.....	80
Electric Bond Deposit pt.....	60	70		
Electric Bond & Share pt.....	99 1/2	100	*Par value \$50. 1/2x dividend.	

U. S. STEEL QUARTER RETURNS \$38,710,644

Earnings Less Than Expected, but They Compare Well with Previous Periods.

NO DIVIDEND ON COMMON

Balance of \$18,000,000 After the Payment on Preferred Is Equal to 3 1/2% on Junior Shares.

The United States Steel Corporation earned a net income of \$38,710,644 in the quarter ended Sept. 30, after operating and maintenance expenses had been met and interest paid on bonds of subsidiary companies. In the preceding quarter the net earnings amounted to \$27,860,000, and in the third quarter of last year the directors' statement showed \$22,276,000 earned. The total announced yesterday was smaller by about \$2,300,000 than preliminary estimates had it, but the disappointment first felt in Wall Street when the figures were made public was mitigated by the fact that no quarter since the second in 1910, with \$40,170,000, had displayed such large earnings while only two preceding quarters since the busy days of 1907 had records to surpass that of the last three months.

The directors took no action yesterday on the common stock dividend. Chairman E. H. Gary declined to comment on the quarterly report, and the time the directors were together in the steel offices was shorter than that usually spent in dividend meetings. The balance of \$18,000,000 for the quarter after the preferred dividend had been paid was equivalent to more than 8.5 per cent. on the common stock, but the management evidently decided to let earnings accumulate as an offset against the large quarterly dividend since the middle of last year before resuming payments on the common shares. The three quarters of the year have brought a total of about \$20,000,000, equivalent to approximately 4 per cent. on the common stock. There was a deficit of more than \$5,000,000 in the first quarter.

The results of the quarter, with comparative, were:

	Quarter	End Sept.	End June	End March	End Dec.
Net earnings	\$38,710,644	\$27,860,000	\$22,276,000	\$22,276,000	\$22,276,000
Dep. sinking	8,684,833	7,638,471	7,533,880	7,533,880	7,533,880
Income	30,025,811	20,221,529	14,742,120	14,742,120	14,742,120
Id. & pre.	5,703,851	5,738,020	5,746,111	5,746,111	5,746,111
Balance	24,342,100	14,572,504	8,835,911	8,835,911	8,835,911
Preferred	6,304,919	6,304,919	6,304,919	6,304,919	6,304,919
Surplus	18,037,181	8,267,585	2,531,000	2,531,000	2,531,000

The monthly net earnings for the three quarters of the year compared with those of the previous two years as follows:

	1915	1914	1913
January	\$1,887,150	\$4,381,337	\$1,842,633
February	\$3,838,778	\$5,855,611	\$1,850,051
March	\$7,125,081	\$9,987,483	\$2,254,217
First quarter	\$12,851,009	\$20,224,431	\$3,946,901
April	\$10,407,954	\$16,451,071	\$1,756,034
May	\$10,220,576	\$15,845,232	\$1,554,594
June	\$11,343,070	\$16,800,894	\$1,522,537
Second quarter	\$32,071,500	\$49,097,196	\$4,832,065
July	\$12,408,218	\$17,475,993	\$1,756,034
August	\$12,388,009	\$17,828,228	\$1,657,439
September	\$13,285,422	\$17,215,085	\$1,522,537
Third quarter	\$38,081,649	\$52,519,311	\$4,935,010
Fourth quarter	\$10,618,771	\$10,127,871	\$10,127,871
Nine months	\$10,618,771	\$10,127,871	\$10,127,871

A study of the monthly earnings figures shows that the corporation made substantial strides toward recovery. Total was \$280,000 higher than July's and July was more than \$600,000 ahead of September. The net income was 100 per cent. in net August. This persistent improvement by months was looked upon in financial circles as one of the most encouraging items of the statement, as it was seen that if the same percentage of gain were continued in the final quarter the net income would be in the neighborhood of \$45,000,000.

The usual quarterly preferred dividend of 1 1/2 per cent. was declared, payable Nov. 29 to shareholders of record Nov. 1. The statement showed unfilled orders amounting to \$3,817,618 when the quarter ended.

SHORT TERM NOTES.

Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1917	100	100	6.00
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1918	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1919	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1920	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1921	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1922	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1923	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1924	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1925	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1926	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1927	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1928	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1929	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1930	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1931	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1932	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1933	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1934	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1935	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1936	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1937	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1938	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1939	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1940	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1941	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1942	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1943	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1944	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1945	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1946	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1947	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1948	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1949	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1950	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1951	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1952	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1953	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1954	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1955	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1956	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1957	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1958	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1959	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1960	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1961	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1962	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1963	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1964	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1965	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1966	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1967	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1968	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1969	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1970	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1971	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1972	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1973	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1974	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1975	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1976	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1977	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1978	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1979	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1980	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1981	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1982	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1983	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1984	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1985	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1986	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1987	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1988	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1989	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1990	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1991	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1992	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1993	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1994	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1995	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1996	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1997	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1998	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 1999	100	101	5.60
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Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2008	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2009	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2010	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2011	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2012	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2013	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2014	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2015	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2016	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2017	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2018	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2019	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2020	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2021	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2022	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2023	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2024	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2025	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2026	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2027	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2028	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2029	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2030	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2031	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2032	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2033	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2034	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2035	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2036	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2037	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2038	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2039	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2040	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2041	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2042	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2043	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2044	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2045	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2046	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2047	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2048	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2049	100	101	5.60
Argon Gov't	4 1/2	May, 2050	100	101	5.60

OUTSIDE SECURITIES

Prices Generally Higher in a More Active Session of Curb Trading—Bonds Firm.

Transactions in the outside security market yesterday amounted to \$22,252,000 of stock and \$271,000 of bonds. The sales of stocks were divided as follows: Industrials, 176,788; oil, 6,228; and mining, 190,215. The range of prices of all issues in which transactions were recorded was:

Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
1,870 Am. Br. 100	100	100	99	99
1,870 Am. Br. 100	100	100	99	99
1,870 Am. Br. 100	100	100	99	99
1,870 Am. Br. 100	100	100	99	99
1,870 Am. Br. 100	100	100	99	99
1,870 Am. Br. 100	100	100	99	99
1,870 Am. Br. 100	100	100	99	99
1,870 Am. Br. 100	100	100	99	99
1,870 Am. Br. 100	100	100	99	99
1,870 Am. Br. 100	100	100	99	99

OIL ISSUES.

Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
1,870 Am. Br. 100	100	100	99	99
1,870 Am. Br. 100	100	100	99	99
1,870 Am. Br. 100	100	100	99	99
1,870 Am. Br. 100	100	100	99	99
1,870 Am. Br. 100	100	100	99	99
1,870 Am. Br. 100	100	100	99	99
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BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS OF ISSUES NOT TRADED IN COMPARED WITH QUOTES OF PREVIOUS WEEK.

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MUNICIPAL BONDS.

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CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE.

Throughout the day trading attention on the Consolidated Stock Exchange was particularly centered upon United States Steel common. It advanced sharply early in the session, but fell back again in the later dealings. Many of the railroad issues moved up decidedly in the early trading and their advance had an encouraging influence upon trading sentiment in regard to the whole market. The copper shares also strengthened decidedly early. The late afternoon tone, however, was reactionary all through the list.

FARMERS REFUSING TO SELL.

Reported That England Is Discouraging Buying in Order to Help the Exchange Situation.

STOP-LOSS ORDERS.

AID COTTON BEARS.

Prices Decline About a Dollar a Bale, Partly on Poor Spot Demand in the South.

SUGAR STOCKS.

Central Aguirre Com. & Pfd.

Atlantic Sugar Refining.

Cardenas Amer. Com. & Pfd.

New Niquero, Com. & Pfd.

St. Lawrence, Com. & Pfd.

Cuban Amer. Com. & Pfd.

Santa Cecilia, Pfd.

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Many Investors Are Unaware of the.

Large Dividends.

Central Petroleum.

COLORADO TOWED TO PORT.
The tug "Colorado" was towed to port early today, having caught fire Sunday night while en route from Charleston to New York with cotton. The vessel is badly damaged, but it is believed much of the cargo can be salvaged. The blaze started in the superstructure from a cause not yet determined.

The fire was burning so fiercely at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon when the tug "Colorado" and "Waban" reached the Colorado that it was necessary to play streams of water on the steamer for some time before a line could be attached.

COMMODITIES MARKETS.
WHEAT.
The wheat market was nervous and feverish and after numerous price changes both closed with a decline. The market was closed with a decline of 1/8 cent. Early in the day values were 1/2 cent. above the bushel under renewed liquidation and more vigorous operations on the selling side by leading bears, prompted by continued favorable weather conditions over the West and the belief that Sunday's advance had been due almost entirely to technical conditions.

In the local cash market No. 1 Durum was quoted at 1.11 1/2, free on board, New York; No. 2 at 1.07 1/2; No. 3 at 1.05 1/2; No. 4 at 1.03 1/2; No. 5 at 1.01 1/2; No. 6 at 1.00 1/2; No. 7 at 99 1/2; No. 8 at 98 1/2; No. 9 at 97 1/2; No. 10 at 96 1/2; No. 11 at 95 1/2; No. 12 at 94 1/2; No. 13 at 93 1/2; No. 14 at 92 1/2; No. 15 at 91 1/2; No. 16 at 90 1/2; No. 17 at 89 1/2; No. 18 at 88 1/2; No. 19 at 87 1/2; No. 20 at 86 1/2; No. 21 at 85 1/2; No. 22 at 84 1/2; No. 23 at 83 1/2; No. 24 at 82 1/2; No. 25 at 81 1/2; No. 26 at 80 1/2; No. 27 at 79 1/2; No. 28 at 78 1/2; No. 29 at 77 1/2; No. 30 at 76 1/2; No. 31 at 75 1/2; No. 32 at 74 1/2; No. 33 at 73 1/2; No. 34 at 72 1/2; No. 35 at 71 1/2; No. 36 at 70 1/2; No. 37 at 69 1/2; No. 38 at 68 1/2; No. 39 at 67 1/2; No. 40 at 66 1/2; No. 41 at 65 1/2; No. 42 at 64 1/2; No. 43 at 63 1/2; No. 44 at 62 1/2; No. 45 at 61 1/2; No. 46 at 60 1/2; No. 47 at 59 1/2; No. 48 at 58 1/2; No. 49 at 57 1/2; No. 50 at 56 1/2; No. 51 at 55 1/2; No. 52 at 54 1/2; 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DOUGLAS, Ariz., Oct. 27.—The advance guard of General Villa's forces invading Sonora was reported today by cowboys to have reached a point near the international border, eighteen miles east of Agua Prieta, opposite here, where Carranza forces are concentrated. General Villa was reported to be near Colonia Morelos, to the rear of this advancing column of soldiers, supervising the transportation of artillery and baggage wagons.

The troops which reached the border were estimated to number from 1,500 to 2,000, cavalrymen. Additional soldiers were arriving there hourly, the cowboys said. Army officers here today selected a party to take an advance patrol in the vicinity to approximately 4,000 United States soldiers to enforce American neutrality in the event of an attack upon Agua Prieta by the Villa forces.

Villistas Now Considered Outlaws.—
WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Should Villa troops cross the border and attack the Mexican town of Agua Prieta from the west, the United States Government would have indicated they might do so, they would be treated as outlaws, declared the military fire against the Villa forces. The situation of the Villa forces is now being watched by the United States Government.

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With a Priest He Is Held for Ran-
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EL PASO, Oct. 27.—Ernest F. Ayton, a wealthy British mining man, and the priest (unnamed) of the Guanacevi district of Chihuahua, were kidnapped on Oct. 19 by an unknown force whose motives are not known, according to reports received today by the Acting British Consul in Mexico City.

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Escorting Craft Flew Without
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LONDON, Thursday, Oct. 23.—A story of the sinking of the German armored cruiser Prinz Adalbert, which received from the British Admiralty, yesterday, was a complete answer to the charge. He was general manager of a company who had large interests here and in the United States, and had just arrived in England four days ago, on the ship "Humboldt," which was the last of a series of ships since the outbreak of the war.

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Weak attempts by two of the enemy's aviators to disturb our aircraft were quickly repulsed by our fire. During both attempts our aviators were unharmed, and a heavy, unsuccessful fire by the enemy's artillery. We returned unharmed.

Near Playa the Italian Infantry Corps, in the southern sector the Gorizia bridgehead is still under a heavy fire. The Italian forces are now being reorganized, and a small portion of our trenches, which we recovered at night.

Attacks on our Dolomites front continue. Attacks by strong Italian forces against the Col di Lana, Sief Sack, were unsuccessful.

GORIZIA STILL HOLDS OUT.
Italians Unable to Retain Captured Positions Under Austrian Fire.

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The situation of the Austrians at Gorizia is considered by the British dispatches indicate, as the Austrian artillery is outraged, and the Italians are now attacking the Austrian inner lines.

VIENNA, Oct. 27, (via London).—The early official Austrian bulletin today regarding the action in the Italian theatre, said:

Yesterday's fighting on the Dobrova plateau was less active than that of previous days. The severest fighting was on the night of the 25th, when our bridge-head positions from Gorizia to Tolmino up to Krn. These positions were held by our troops, and the enemy's attacks were repulsed.

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More Detective Bureau took him into custody at the Astor, Sommerfeld was identified by Hans Zimmermann, a real estate agent, of 150 East Twenty-second Street, as the man who stole \$275 from him on Sept. 14, 1898. An indictment was found against Sommerfeld last year, but that for sufficient reasons it had been decided not to do so. What these reasons are he did not say. Mr. Loewy said he would not waive a hearing, but would fight for one.

Louis Jersawitz and Abraham Snyder, attorneys, respectively, for Felix A. Sommerfeld, and for the detective bureau, and Mr. Snyder, was quoted as saying that Scholz had been used as a pawn and that he had advised him to confess. This report Mr. Snyder promptly denied.

Still Seek Men Higher Up.—
While it is understood that other arrests are not expected immediately, there is good reason to believe the heads of the conspiracy have not been reached and that others, further up the social and financial scale, and nearer the headquarters of intrigue will soon be taken. William J. Flynn, Chief of the Federal Secret Service, is making a careful investigation of the activities of German plotters, and he will not admit knowledge of the identity of the persons who may be involved in the case. He was general yesterday that there would be further exposures.

At Police Headquarters there was discussion with the implication that the Secret Service men thought the New York police were not doing enough. The arrest of Fay and Scholz last Sunday in Grantwood, which was pointed out by the police, was a serious experience knew that there was much risk in waiting in the hope of getting something right. The police were, however, understood to be disgruntled over the part played by the police.

The police as well as the Federal authorities are going ahead with investigations. The 200 letters found in Fay's room were turned over yesterday by the police to the Secret Service. The letters were not translated, but have been read carefully by the police.

Government Takes Explosives.—
Yesterday afternoon several Secret Service officials, accompanied by Colonel Dunn of the United States Army, went over to Westchester and took charge of the explosives belonging to Fay and Scholz, which were seized after their arrest on Sunday. They also took charge of the last motor boat which the two had purchased for use in their trip about the bay and presumably to take them out to fasten the mines on munition ships. The explosives were taken to the Government's island, and are now in custody of the Government officials there.

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FAY'S NEW TALE OF GERMAN PLOT

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BERNSTORFF DENIES FAY.

Says Prisoner Has No Connection
with German Government.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, has telegraphed to the State Department that Robert Fay, arrested in New York for alleged conspiracy to put bombs on departing ships, had no connection with the German Government. The Ambassador said that he was investigating the matter.

San Francisco Men Found Guilty of
Hiring Men for British Army.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 27.—Ralph E. Blair and Dr. Thomas Addis were found guilty today of conspiring to hire men in the United States for British military service. The cases against Lieutenant Kenneth C. Frost, aged 32, and Dr. Addis, 40, were heard in Federal Court today.

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PERKINS ATTACKS NEW ORGANIC LAW

Each Amendment Should Be Submitted Separately, Progressive Says.

KILLS MARKET DEPARTMENT

Exempts Sea Food from Conservation Commission's Jurisdiction.
Budget Plan Wrong, He Insists.

George W. Perkins, who announced several days ago that he would vote against the proposed Constitution, gave his reasons for opposing it in detail yesterday in a letter to Billie Root. In the first place Mr. Perkins said he was opposed to it because the voters had to accept as a whole or not at all. Sixteen of the eighteen sections, he said, are submitted in one block and these sixteen sections are the all-important part of the Constitution.

The Convention, in arranging this, either did not think the voters capable of wisely discriminating between the sixteen different sections, or it feared their intelligence, said Mr. Perkins. Which ever reason existed, he said, the fact was that the voters had been deprived of their unquestioned right to select and reject as they might deem proper.

It seems clear to me that there is no answer to the serious objection to the manner of submitting the new Constitution. It is a fundamental weakness in the whole scheme. I appreciate that in a great document like a State Constitution there has to be a certain amount of general and also some of the half a loaf is sometimes better than no loaf at all, granted always that the half loaf is not poisoned. Why should a man who objects to the conservation article, for example, but who favors the ballot article, be forced to take the conservation article in order to get the ballot article? This illustration applies to many of the articles.

Apportionment and Census
The apportionment article, which is submitted separately, Mr. Perkins called a delusion and a snare.

"It makes no difference in the apportionment," he said, "which way people vote on it, for if it is adopted things remain as they are and if it is defeated things remain as they are."

By tying up the State enumeration amendment with the apportionment, he said, the voters will be put in the position of approving the present apportionment and if they vote against it, of apparently approving the present apportionment and if they vote against it, of apparently approving the present apportionment.

I personally regard this as such a long and short ballot as to be inefficient. There is nothing except in a very slight way to suggest the idea of a short ballot. The only real short ballot proposed by the convention is in the method of submitting the constitution to the voters. That is a short ballot with a vengeance. There is no compromise about that.

Mr. Perkins said there were so many changes in the judiciary article and they were of such far-reaching effect that it was impossible for the people to comprehend their importance in the short time they have been given in which to consider them. On this point he said:

"Briefly, my objection to the article is that it puts the judiciary most in the practical politics of the State than it has ever been before, while progress should be made in exactly the opposite direction. To give judges the power to appoint subordinate judges in my judgment is all wrong. To give them the power to appoint judges in the new Constitution, power with which to appoint as many judges as they desire under the name of 'Supreme Court Commissioners,' is conferring on them a power that is not only a principle and sure to bring the court into politics. If the appointive principle is to be established in our Constitution, it would be much safer to leave it to the Governor than with the judges."

The Budget in Politics.
Regarding the power of the Governor and the budget, Mr. Perkins said:

"In the matter of giving the Governor more and broader power, I believe there are mistakes of such a serious character that the proposal in this respect will prove more harmful than beneficial. I believe thoroughly in a proper budget system, but under our plan of electing a Governor for two years, granted that there is a change every two years, we would get an independent responsible Governor, but we would get a Governor who would be elected in the year of the budget and who would be elected by the department heads that were going out with the outgoing Governor. The next year the new Governor and his department heads could make up their own budget, but the following year he would turn over the budget to the next incoming Governor. This certainly provides a beautiful opportunity for the Governors of different political parties to play politics with the budget and to make departments at the expense of incoming Governors and vice versa. No large business owner could operate in such a like reasonable efficiency under this method of doing business, and in my judgment no State with such vast administrative interests as ours can do so either."

Mr. Perkins is against the establishment of a State printing concern, as it might come the printing to Albany County printing firms. Mr. Perkins said he is in favor of consolidating a great number of State departments into a few large departments, but the matter is of such vast and far-reaching importance that he believed it should be studied by a committee of experts and recommended to the people "as a carefully thought-out plan."

The plan, as submitted, is intended to be made copper-fastened for twenty years. The proposed Constitution specifically takes away from the Legislature the power to create a single other department, for it specifically says: "No new department shall be created hereafter any bureau, board, commission or office hereafter created shall be placed in one of the departments enumerated in this article."

No Department of Markets.
This plan, he said, not only abolished the recently created Department of Markets, but prohibited the Legislature from creating a new one. He said:

"As a department of markets is not created as one of the seventeen departments or even indirectly referred to, the only possible way in the future of anything that would resemble a department of markets would be to have it created as a bureau of one of the seventeen existing departments. This means that it would be a very subordinate affair in the hands of an assistant or out direct responsibility to the public or control, without any opportunity to obtain recognition for his work in behalf of the people if it were good, or criticism from the people if it were poor—the precise position in which many department heads of the day, particularly in the great city of New York, in the highest of living, are placed."

In the solution of it until we have a market department in this State that is recognized as such and that is given the dignity of a department with all the power necessary to serve the producers on our farms and the consumers in our cities. In view of my experience in this matter, I regard the omission to create a department of markets and the provision prohibiting the Legislature from hereafter creating one as so detrimental to the people of the State that I would vote against the adoption of the Constitution for this if for no other reason.

Mr. Perkins said he regarded the entire scheme of conservation as outlined in the proposed Constitution as "a very dangerous and thoroughly objectionable" in place of centralizing power, he

said, "and placing it where the people can put their finger on it, the new Constitution broadly scatters it and places such executive power as there is in the hands of a Superintendent."

Sea Food Not Conserved.

Among the most serious objections to the conservation program, said Mr. Perkins, was the exemption of "migratory fish of the sea" from the jurisdiction of the commission. He said:

"This, of course, means to a large extent the sea fish in and about the waters of the City of New York. This brings up my own experience of the past year on the Mayor's Food Supply Committee, where it was found that the lack of supervision and control of this industry causes great destruction of perfectly good sea food, and to a considerable extent accounts for the high price of such sea food as we get. To deny to the Conservation Commission this extremely important function is, in my judgment, not only a great mistake, but an insurmountable impediment to any reforms necessary to provide New York City with a suitable supply of sea food at proper prices."

Mr. Perkins said he would not sum up his objections. Mr. Perkins said:

"There are various defects in the proposed Constitution, but I do not think a layman could find them all, for there is so much vagueness about so many provisions and one is put to the necessity of not only studying the new Constitution but the old Constitution, the laws of the State, and the practices of the Legislature in order to reach anything resembling an intelligent understanding of the matter in my judgment. The reasons stated above are ample to convince any thoughtful voter of his own conviction that the adoption of the Constitution as submitted is rejected, then automatically under the old Constitution a new convention will be elected in the fall of 1916 to assemble in 1917. Broadly speaking, if the proposed revision fails of adoption the time and money spent on it will have been in vain, for it has aroused a State-wide discussion that has been of great educational value and we approach the whole subject another year better equipped to deal with the great problem of real representative and efficient government which is facing us for solution. In view of the discussion since the Constitution convention adjourned another convention at least would not dare to submit a Constitution in black and white which would compel its submission article by article."

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B. B. ODELL APPROVES NEW CONSTITUTION

It Offers Relief from Many Evils State Has Suffered Under, He Says.

PAUL FULLER PRAISES LAW

Democrat Says Narrow Partisanism of 1894 Convention Was Not Repeated This Year.

Ex-Governor Benjamin B. Odell, Jr., said last night that he would vote for the proposed Constitution next Tuesday. That is, he will vote for the Constitution proper, under Question 2, he will oppose Question 3, the apportionment article, and Question 4, the taxation article.

"I believe the proposed Constitution offers relief from a number of evils from which the State has been suffering," he said. "I consider the central bond provision for the contracting of State debt a most wise provision, for the sinking fund system has proved a most expensive plan. I also consider the judicial article an able provision. Not only does it tend to speed up the action of our courts, but any one who knows the situation at Albany knows how lawyers have introduced special bills amending the code to suit their needs. The code is against the contentions of a lawyer who has a big suit pending; he goes to Albany and has the code changed. This is a most serious situation. I consider the really representative and efficient government which is facing us for solution. In view of the discussion since the Constitution convention adjourned another convention at least would not dare to submit a Constitution in black and white which would compel its submission article by article."

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ROOSEVELT INDORSES TWO.

Practices Payne for Alderman and Callaghan for Bench.

Colonel Roosevelt in a letter to Richard W. Lawrence, Chairman of the committee that has charge of the campaign of George Henry Payne, candidate for Alderman from a Bronx district, said of Mr. Payne:

"I know him well and have been associated with him in more than one capacity. I am extremely pleased that the Republican, Progressive, and Independence League Parties have joined to put him forward for Alderman and I trust that all good citizens will give him their support."

Mr. Payne's candidacy has also been endorsed by George McAneny, President of the Board of Aldermen, former Corporation Counsel, Archibald R. Watson, Oswald G. Villard, and William Jay Hoffman.

Colonel Roosevelt also endorsed the candidacy of Judge Stephen Callaghan for the Supreme Court on the Republican ticket in the Second Judicial District, which includes Brooklyn, Long Island, and Richmond County.

"Ordinary partisan consideration," wrote the Colonel, "should not obtain in choosing a Justice of the Supreme Court, for it is always a misfortune when an ordinary machine politician is put on the Bench. Judge Callaghan is a quality fitted for the high office to which it is sought to elect him and he should be supported by all independent citizens without regard to party."

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE FOR IT
President Seth Low Makes Organization's Position Clear.

Seth Low, President of the Chamber of Commerce, gave out this statement last night:

"Members of the Chamber wish it made clear that the Chamber has acted favorably on the revised Constitution, known on the ballot as Question 1; on the tax article, known on the ballot as Question 2, submitted by the Constitutional Convention, and on the canal referendum, known as Proposition 1, submitted by the Legislature, but that the Chamber has taken no action on the apportionment article, submitted by the Constitutional Convention, nor on the woman suffrage amendment, submitted by the Legislature, nor on the amendment authorizing the Legislature in certain conditions to change the rate of contributions to the sinking fund."

GRIFENHAGEN SEES SPLIT.
Thinks Citizens' Union Is Divided on Smith's Indorsement.

In a speech at the Yorkville Casino last night Sheriff Max S. Griffenhagen said that a serious split is imminent in the ranks of the Citizens' Union, owing to the action of the Executive Committee in indorsing the candidacy of Alfred E. Smith, the Tammany candidate for Sheriff, and expressing the opinion that he would improve conditions in the Sheriff's office.

"Letters are beginning to pour in on me," said the Sheriff, "from indignant members of the Citizens' Union who resent the new-born alliance between Tammany and the Union's Executive Committee. Other members are writing, I am informed, to Chairman Schiefelstein, and there is every prospect of an open split in the Union. Such a split can only be avoided, I believe, by a reorganization of this unholy alliance between Fourth Avenue and Park Row."

As to the criticisms of my administration of the Sheriff's office, I have taken in vain for an explanation and have demanded that Mr. Schiefelstein, as Chairman of the Citizens' Union, inform me that conditions exist in the Sheriff's office under my administration which he hopes the Tammany Hall candidate will remedy. But Mr. Schiefelstein has not responded except, indeed, to tell me that I am too thin-skinned and take too lofty a view of the office."

"Perhaps I am taking Mr. Schiefelstein too seriously, but I intend to find out what conditions exist in the Sheriff's office under my administration which he hopes the Tammany Hall candidate will remedy. But Mr. Schiefelstein has not responded except, indeed, to tell me that I am too thin-skinned and take too lofty a view of the office."

"All these criticisms are to be rejected because the members of the convention who are always in the lead of the people, which a part of our people at least desire, or because, as some believe, these criticisms are based upon a misconception of the Republican preponderance in the convention? Let us gladly accept the excellent changes secured by the proposed Constitution, and with time and patience work for other amendments, which are always in the mind of the people if they really desire them."

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MORGAN DISAVOWS 'YELLOW DOG' FUND

Tells Committee He Never Heard of Interborough Plan to Hide Dual Contract Cost.

FOUND SHONTS RELIABLE

Satisfied Proposed Stevens Contract Was Not Extravagant When Risk Was Considered.

J. P. Morgan told the Thompson Legislative investigating committee yesterday that he had never heard of an attempt by Theodore P. Shonts to let the Interborough Rapid Transit Company to hide by subterfuge obligations covertly incurred by the company in its efforts for the adoption of the dual subway contracts with the city.

Mr. Morgan denied knowledge of any obligations made by the company which might not wish to have on its books, and he testified that he had always found Mr. Shonts thoroughly reliable and trustworthy.

Mr. Morgan was summoned by the committee to tell of his part in the discussions relating to the one-time proposal by the Interborough Company to let a contract to John P. Stevens for third-tracking the elevated lines of the Manhattan Railway Company. Mr. Morgan's name was brought into the question by William A. Read, a former director of the Interborough Company, who told the committee last August that when Mr. Shonts attempted to persuade the Board of Directors in 1913 to accept the contract, he opposed the action and requested Mr. Morgan to dissuade Mr. Shonts from entering into it. Mr. Read, who was supported in the Board of Directors by the late Gardiner M. Lane of Boston and George W. Young, told the committee that the three opposed the contract on the ground that it was extravagant in that it allowed Mr. Stevens too much profit.

\$2,000,000 for 18 Months' Work.

According to testimony before the committee, Mr. Stevens would have got about \$2,000,000 for eighteen months' work had the contract been given to him, and the efforts of the committee have been directed toward finding out why Mr. Shonts and many of the Directors of the Interborough were willing to make a contract so apparently advantageous to Mr. Stevens. Mr. Morgan said that the committee has sought to prove or disprove a rumor that a part of this profit to Mr. Stevens was to be used for the direct appropriation to cover expenditures connected with the dual subway contracts which the company did not want to enter upon its books. This rumor, Mr. Morgan said, had been described as "the yellow dog fund."

Mr. Morgan seemed a frank and willing witness when he took his seat in the witness chair, half a dozen cameras were aimed at him, and preparations were made for a flashlight picture. Senator Thompson told the photographers to wait for Mr. Morgan's permission, and asked Mr. Morgan if he objected.

Complained of Extravagance.

"They said," Mr. Morgan went on, "that the contract was extravagant, that the Interborough's own engineers could do the third tracking for much less than Stevens would get. After I had seen them, I asked Mr. Shonts to come to see me, and he told me that because of the liability for injury and damage suits that might result from the work, he thought to the interest of the company to let the contract to Stevens, whom he had worked with in Panama and knew well. I told him that I simply wanted his assurance that the contract was not extravagant, and he gave me that assurance and I was satisfied. I recall that he used a favorite saying of his, 'When quality and price are equal, a customer is best advised to buy the better quality.'"

"Did Mr. Read or Mr. Lane give reasons for objecting to the contract?" asked Mr. Lewis.

"Not beyond saying that it was extravagant," Mr. Morgan replied. "Mr. Lane said, 'I don't like this thing, and I don't want it to go through. That was enough for me. When Mr. Lane said a thing was extravagant, I wanted to know that it was not extravagant before I disagreed with him.'"

"Did Mr. Lane make any charges of bad faith on Mr. Shonts' part, or refer to any collusion between Mr. Shonts and any one else?"

"I don't think so. I recall nothing like that."

"Did you ever hear from Mr. Lane or any one else, Mr. Morgan, that money had been expended by the Interborough Rapid Transit Company to bring about the dual subway contracts and that the company wanted to cover such expenditures without record on its books?"

"No."

"Didn't you know that George M. Anney opposed this contract on the Board of Estimates?"

"I don't think so."

"Didn't you know that Public Service

Commissioner Matthe opposed it to the commission?"

"No. There have been so many memoranda, answers, and rejoinders in the Public Service Commission that I can't remember them all."

No Supervision Required.

"Did you know that the certificates for third tracking issued by the Public Service Commission to the Manhattan Railway Company and the New York Municipal Railway Company were the same except that the Manhattan Company was permitted to contract for the third tracking of its lines in Manhattan without submitting the contracts for approval to the Public Service Commission while the New York Municipal Railway Company had to have its contracts for third tracking in Brooklyn approved by the commission?"

"I probably knew it at the time, but I have forgotten all about it now."

"I never heard of the 'yellow dog fund' until I read the article in the *Times*," Mr. Morgan said, "and I was surprised to find that it was a thing that had been eliminated from the Board of Directors of the Interborough Company."

"Did Mr. Lane tell you why he resigned?"

"No. I talked about resigning for some time before he got out. His health was failing, and he said that, as he lived in Boston, he could not attend the meetings of the board as regularly as he should."

"No. I knew only that the work of third-tracking was going on because my firm had to pay out the money for it."

"You did not know then that Mr. Gillespie sublet a contract to Terry & Tench by which that firm, did 80 per cent. of the work, took almost all of the profit?"

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"I think that would be a matter for the Board of Directors to look into."

"Don't you think that it is a matter for the Legislature to look into?"

Can't Direct the Legislature.

"That is for the Legislature to determine," Mr. Morgan replied, laughing.

"Mr. Morgan said that when his firm accepted the bonds of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company his counsel, Francis Lynde Stetson, had examined the details of its contracts and business and that he was satisfied with many of these."

Mr. Morgan was on the stand just forty minutes, and after his testimony the hearing was adjourned. It is expected that George W. Young will testify before the committee when it meets again in the latter part of next week.

INQUIRES INTO POISONING.

Atlantic City's Mayor Asks Report on Death Due to Nurse's Error.

Special to The New York Times.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Oct. 27.—Mayor William Riddle sent a letter today to the Board of Governors of the Atlantic City Hospital asking for a report on the death on Oct. 14 of Joseph W. Thomas, to whom a nurse gave poison in mistake for a remedy of similar color. The board announced tonight that the letter probably would not be considered until the next regular meeting on the second Wednesday of next month. It was said, however, that only two victims of the error of the nurse remained in the hospital and that only four had been affected at any time. Thomas died, and one other recovered. Here is Mayor Riddle's letter:

Gentlemen: Whether it be true or not I am unable to say, but this morning's papers say that the hospital refuses to file an account or information about three people who were handed the poison cocktail, one of whom died. As Atlantic City contributes \$32,500 annually to the support of the hospital it is a usual municipal and therefore all the taxpayers of the city are anxious to have an explanation and an investigation. I trust you will send it to me.

The nurse who administered the poison gave oxalic acid, and on discovering her mistake became nearly frantic. She is now in charge of the Rev. Father John Howard of St. Nicholas's Church, and is held to await action by the authorities.

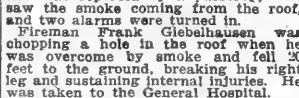
FIRE IN PATERSON CHURCH.

Blaze Does \$12,500 Damage to First English Lutheran.

Special to The New York Times.

PATERSON, N. J., Oct. 27.—The First English Lutheran Church, at Carroll and Pearl Streets, this city, was damaged by fire this afternoon to the extent of \$12,500. The rectory was threatened by the blaze, but the firemen and the police managed to save it and the silver communion service and the books belonging to the church, under the direction of Rev. Arthur N. Bean, the rector. The fire was reported by a passerby, who saw the smoke rising from the roof, and two alarms were turned in.

Fireman Frank Gleibhausen was chopping a hole in the roof when he was overcome by smoke and fell 20 feet to the ground, breaking his right leg and sustaining internal injuries. He was taken to the General Hospital.



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EPISCOPALIANS BAR RELIGIOUS CRUSADE

Mission Board's Delegates to the Panama Congress Can Do Nothing-but Confer.

HIGH CHURCH WILL FIGHT

Will Appeal to the General Convention of the Church, and Bishops May Also Use Pressure.

High Church will keep up its fight on the Protestant Episcopal Board of Missions, which at its adjourned meeting yesterday at the Missions House, 281 Fourth Avenue, officially appointed delegates to attend the Panama Congress on Religious Work in Latin America.

The five bishops and clergymen who had resigned the day before, after the board refused to rescind its action in arranging for representation at the congress, consulted with the eight others who had opposed the action but had not withdrawn.

The delegates who are to visit Panama are to pay their own expenses and are to do nothing but confer with others at the congress, but the opponents of the project feel strongly that even that limited participation endangers church unity and widens the gulf between Protestants and Catholics.

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High Church Party to Appeal.

Certain it is that the High Church party will make an appeal from the action of the Board of Missions in the Panama matter the next General Convention of the Church, which will be held a year hence in St. Louis. Its adherents maintain that they have been overridden ruthlessly, and not only do they propose to file an appeal, but they also try to depict the present board and elect one more to their liking.

Bishop Weller said in response to a direct question that there was no thought entertained by him or any of his associates of going over to the Church of Rome. They consider themselves the most loyal of churchmen, and, in fact, they regard themselves as the most loyal of churchmen.

"The Church" and their opponents in error on this question.

He said that since with Pan-Protestantism at this time was peculiarly unfortunate for the Anglican community, including the English and the Protestant Episcopal Churches, had always regarded itself as an intermediary between the Catholics and the Protestants.

"The Catholics can understand us," he said, "for we have orders and a priesthood and the English and we can treat with them with the idea of bringing about unity and help in drawing all Christian bodies into one fold."

The Bishop said he and the Rev. Dr. William T. Manning, rector of Trinity Church, were members of a Congress on Faith and Orders, which had church unity for its ultimate goal. Letters had been exchanged between members of a committee of this congress and the Papal Secretary of State just before the outbreak of the European war.

Planned to Consult the Pope.

"It was the intention," said the Bishop, "eventually to send a delegation of Episcopal Bishops from this country

to confer with the Pope on this matter, but everything was stopped by the war. After that conflict is over, I think the hearts of men will be more disposed toward religion and something can be done. I do not expect to see church unity come in my life, but I believe it will come some day."

It was decided by the thirteen members of the anti-Panama contingent that it was well that some of them remained and that the congress when reconvened came up before the General Convention they might be in a stronger position. The resignations of the five members were intended as an emphatic protest.

The Right Rev. G. Mott Williams, Bishop of Marquette, although he had resigned, appeared as usual at the meeting and took part in the discussion. He said he did not see the necessity of his resigning, although he had formally accepted in accordance with the mission policy and that other faithful were not to be antagonized.

While the anti-Panama faction was foregathering in another part of the building the board addressed itself to the task of preparing instructions for the delegates to the congress. Copious extracts from the bulletins of the Executive Committee of the congress were quoted. Referring to Bulletin 2, it appeared that the congress was to be a gathering for legislation on ecclesiastical questions or even on matters of mission policy, and that other faithful were not to be antagonized.

Delegates' Powers Restricted.

On the motion of Bishop Talbot a resolution, amended by the Rev. Dr. Alexander Mann of Boston, was passed as follows:

Resolved, That our delegates go for conference only and with no purpose, authority, or power of committing this board to any action.

To act under such conditions the following seven men were chosen: The Right Rev. Arthur C. Condon, President of the board; the Right Rev. Lucien Lee Kinsolving, Bishop of Brazil; the Right Rev. Henry D. Aves, Bishop of Cuba and now in charge at Panama; the Right Rev. Hiram R. Hulise of Cuba; the Right Rev. William C. Cabell Brown, formerly at work in Brazil but now Coadjutor Bishop of Virginia, and the Right Rev. Henry D. Aves, Bishop of Mexico.

It is understood that, although appointed as delegates, Bishop Knight is not in favor of the congress. Bishop Aves has not been heard from for several months, owing to difficulty of communication.

The Right Rev. Nathaniel S. Thomas, Bishop of Wyoming, introduced this memorial, which was adopted unanimously:

Resolved, That the Board of Missions appoint a committee to visit the Emperor of Germany, to the Emperor of Austria, to the Emperor of Russia, to the Sultan of Turkey with a view to securing the charges of religious persecution now inflicted by the Turks upon their Armenian subjects.

Much of the morning session was taken up with the discussion of the best method of raising \$100,000 as a fund to be specifically applied to domestic missions.

The afternoon session closed with an address by the President of the board.

'JITNEYS' IMPERIL TROLLEYS

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For three hours, from 1:30 until 4:30 on Monday morning, these men rowed about the *Colorado* in lifeboats, risking their lives again and again by getting near the crackling, roaring steamer in order to save Captain Congdon, who had been trapped on the forward deck of his ship by the flames.

"I was asleep when the fire was discovered," said Captain Congdon today. "We had left Charleston some hours before with 6,000 bales of cotton, bound for New York. Mr. Magruder first saw the flames coming from an after hatch. He gave orders to get the pumps to work and called the men to the side with a rope."

"I got out on deck wearing nothing but my undershirt. There isn't time to dress when a ship catches fire at sea. We had worked for half an hour when the flames broke out again from another hatch. This time forward. I told them to stay away, but they stuck around. Finally the masts went and I managed to get over the side with a rope."

But I ordered the men to rush across the flames, and they made it. When I had seen that all were saved, I reached the lifeboats the fire between me and the boats was too hot. I couldn't go through, so I ordered them to put off. Mr. Magruder didn't want to do it, but he obeyed orders. Then for four hours the thirty-three men, in two boats, stuck close to the *Colorado*.

It was getting hotter and hotter, and I was afraid that I would be hurt as I was formerly at work in Brazil but now Coadjutor Bishop of Virginia, and the Right Rev. Henry D. Aves, Bishop of Mexico.

It is understood that, although appointed as delegates, Bishop Knight is not in favor of the congress. Bishop Aves has not been heard from for several months, owing to difficulty of communication.

The Right Rev. Nathaniel S. Thomas, Bishop of Wyoming, introduced this memorial, which was adopted unanimously:

Resolved, That the Board of Missions appoint a committee to visit the Emperor of Germany, to the Emperor of Austria, to the Emperor of Russia, to the Sultan of Turkey with a view to securing the charges of religious persecution now inflicted by the Turks upon their Armenian subjects.

Much of the morning session was taken up with the discussion of the best method of raising \$100,000 as a fund to be specifically applied to domestic missions.

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Submarine's Builder Takes Issue—
Says Open Air Valves Caused Dis-
aster, and Charges Carelessness.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—A graphic story of the battle for life waged in vain 300 feet beneath the surface of the sea by the twenty-one men who perished in the navy's submarine F-4 last March at Honolulu is told in the final report of the inquiry headed by Rear Admiral Bush and made public today. Examination of the wrecked hull after it had been brought to the surface and placed in dry dock convinced the board that the disaster was caused by a leak resulting from a corroded battery lining and rusted rivets, and the failure of the boat, through poor diving qualities, to respond promptly to the rudder change which should have returned her to the surface.

Sharp issue with the conclusion reached by the Naval Board as to the cause of the loss of the F-4 was taken in a statement given out here tonight of Henry R. Carso, President of the Electric Boat Company, which built the submarine. When admitting that there may have been corrosion of rivets and that this corrosion may possibly have been contributory to the disaster, Mr. Carso practically charges that careless handling of the open air tanks was the real cause of the tragedy. In this connection Mr. Carso says in his statement: "The question of air valves having been found open on the forward middle, and aft main ballast tanks, and the auxiliary ballast tank will account for the loss of the vessel."

Flight of Trapped Men.

Discarding the theory once advanced that chlorine gas brought quick relief to death to the crew, the Naval Board of Inquiry, from signs within the rusted and battered hull, pieces out in its report a dramatic account of how the doomed men strove desperately to save themselves as their vessel sank to the bottom. Fifteen minutes after the engine room, where they sought refuge at the last, six died at their posts in the flooded forward compartment. All members of the ship's company are absolved from blame in this tragedy.

From the facts established, we find that the accident resulting in disaster to the F-4 was not due to carelessness, negligence, or inefficiency on the part of the officers or crew, but to a combination of factors, the most important of which were: (1) The poor diving qualities of the vessel; (2) The consequent failure of the vessel promptly to respond to measures taken to bring her to the surface; (3) The failure of the forward battery tank to respond, but, in fact, continued to descend, and downward momentum gained before propellers were stopped; (4) The automatic blow was tripped, and blow valve of auxiliary tank opened; (5) In the endeavor to check the downward momentum, maneuvering with propellers probably took place; (6) The appreciable length of time requisite for air to build up in ballast tanks for the expulsion of sufficient quantities of water resulted in the vessel reaching crushing depths; (7) The seams of the vessel began to open and—probably through open torpedo tubes and seams—water entered the vessel. A condition of positive buoyancy was never attained.

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Emergency Measures Failed.

From its examination of the valves of the automatic device, which was set to expel water from the vessel's ballast tanks at a depth of 100 feet as required by departmental regulations, the board found that the accident which started the F-4 on her downward plunge had occurred before the 100-foot mark was reached.

The most effective procedure for sending the boat to the surface was promptly carried out. Diving rudders were set to send her upward, valves opened to empty the forward ballast tanks, and

the electric motors started to drive her upward, all without avail. It was then that some member of the crew pushed into the engine room compartment and the door of the bulkhead was closed. Fifteen minutes were found there, and from this fact and the position of the valves and rudders the board concluded that:

"Some member or members of the personnel were alive and capable of action for at least a short time after the occurrence which led to the disaster."

The board places the primary cause of the tragedy forward of the engine-room bulkhead in this connection. It says: "Slop tanks and lead lining of battery steel tanks found corroded and therefore corrosion resulted from the chemical action of sulphuric acid upon impurities in the lead."

Rusted steel tanks in general were found in excellent condition, and therefore the corrosion of certain rivets occurred prior to March 23, 1915, the date of the disaster.

Excess air rudders found operated; switches found thrown; engine room door intentionally closed; and, therefore, the personnel were not asphyxiated before the vessel, under normal conditions, could have been brought to the surface.

A corroded rivet in port wall of forward battery steel tank, in wake of open air valve, was found to be slightly under even a small head of water—not more than one foot—in which the rivet was subjected to the action of the water, and, therefore, on the dive of the vessel, the corroded rivet leaked considerably.

"Due to inevitable short-circuit or leakage caused by flooding of cells through slop tanks, in the presence of chlorine and free hydrogen, (or, in the presence of free hydrogen alone, if in sufficient quantity), an electric arc struck, and therefore an explosion occurred."

A battery fire of limited extent occurred in the forward battery positive cell, but, nevertheless, this battery fire was not the primary cause of the disaster.

A leak found in port wall of forward battery steel tank, probable leaks around certain other corroded rivets, and the fact that the weight of water coming in through the open air valve, permitted the vessel to be expelled from the ballast tanks."

The report continues:

"No evidence was found that the F-4 had poor diving qualities prior to her sinking in February, 1915, when experimental propellers were fitted—the only known alteration made—and, therefore, the question of air valves having been found open on the forward middle, and aft main ballast tanks, and the auxiliary ballast tank will account for the loss of the vessel."

Causes of the Disaster.

After a review of all the facts established in the investigation, the board gives its conception of the disaster as follows:

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The secondary causes were:

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Water accumulated in the forward battery lead-lined tank and through corroded slop tanks, overflowed into the battery cells, in contact with sulphuric acid in the cells generating chlorine gas to drive.

When these intimations of danger, there followed:

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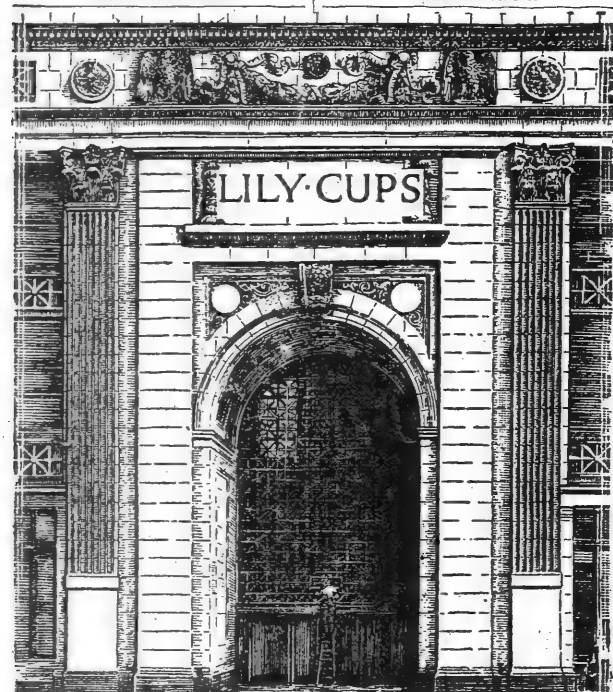
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Women and Children Boss Celebration
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Any one who happened along Oliver Street on the lower east side last night must have thought the election for Sheriff was over. It was "Old Home Night" for "Al" Smith. Several days ago friends and neighbors of the Tammany candidate decided to show him just what they thought of him. "Al" has lived on Oliver Street all his life, and his neighbors have been watching his career since he first entered politics. Even the children call him by his first name.

So the neighbors "chipped in" and arranged a carnival. Politicians were not allowed to "pole" Congressmen "Dan" Reardon and others prominent in Tammany affairs, who live on Oliver Street, a door or two from Smith, were allowed to do as was to look on. The women of the district arranged the celebration and nothing just like it has ever been accorded an east side candidate.

The blocks bounded by Oliver, Henry, Catherine, and Madison Streets were closed to traffic, and the houses were festooned with Japanese lanterns, bunting, and incandescent lights. In front of 28 Oliver Street, the candidate's home, there hung a great painting of Smith bordered with red, white, and blue lights.

"Al" Mrs. "Al" and the children, "Al" kiddies were "at home" to the multitude. For hours a stream of men, women, and children filed past and out of the house and congratulated everybody connected with the Smith family. Outside every now and then peripatetic policemen would push back the crowds and arrange a square in the middle of the street, where the children, some Greek, some Chinese, and some Italian, but mostly Irish, in carnival costumes, performed folk dancing and sang. Three bands had trouble making themselves heard. Open-air movies also furnished entertainment. When the candidate appeared on the steps of his home from time to time a mighty shout went up. The bands blared, and the children screamed. And every time "Al" would start to tell how happy he was some one would shout: "Hurrah for the next Sheriff!"

In the midst of the din a hush suddenly fell. Word went through the crowd that Mrs. Margaret Whalen, 85 years old, and confined to her bed for many years, was coming. Mrs. Whalen was present when "Al" came into the world and ever since she has lived just around the corner. She insisted that she be allowed to see the fun and they wheeled her in a chair through the shouting throng right into the Smith home. It was the signal for refreshment and the crowd squeezed into the house went out hungry or dry. Around the corner on Madison Street, where Mr. Smith has his office, there was a stern stuff for the thrifty.

It looks as if you might pull through, ventured Congressman Reardon with a grin.

"Yes, they tell me I have a fighting chance," said Smith, as he motioned the bartender to set 'em up for the house.

"They never did anything like this for me when I ran for Sheriff, and I've lived on Oliver Street longer than you have," complained "Big Tom" Foley.

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How to buy, when to buy, where to buy, how to choose food and how to keep food clean—these are the things that Miss Laura A. Caudle of the Bureau of Food Supply of the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor told mothers and housewives last night in the People's Kitchen, operated by the association at Twenty-seventh Street and Tenth Avenue. Miss Caudle and her assistants emphasized their words with exhibits of foods.

Some of the exhibits were designed to show the food values of popular edibles, so that the uninitiated might know what each article of diet was worth in calories and bone-building properties. The housekeepers learned from the stories of Miss Caudle that the food value is the same in 4 prunes, 3 heads of lettuce, 14 heads of cabbage, 2 dozen radishes, 15 carrots, and a glass of milk.

Another exhibit was of model meals which poor persons could afford. There was a 923-calorie meal, consisting of a cup of cocoa, two thick slices of bread, and a piece of butter. This meal in the People's Kitchen cost the consumer 10 cents. For those whose palates were not tempted by the 923-calorie meal there was a 945-calorie meal consisting of ham, a potato salad, one apple, a glass of milk, bread, and butter. This meal cost 15 cents, or 2 cents more.

There were also exhibits of model meals for growing children, each of which sold in the kitchen for a few cents and any one of which a careful mother might provide herself for a very small sum. The exhibits were also shown to the housekeepers, so that they might learn how to keep their kitchens, dining rooms, and foodstuffs clean.

The kitchen was filled all night with women who seemed eager to learn what Miss Caudle and her assistants had to tell and show them. The exhibition was continued this evening and tomorrow evening.

The People's Kitchen was made possible by the philanthropy of Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and Mrs. James H. Bush, who have donated the funds necessary for its opening. It is now self-supporting, however, despite the scale of its expenses. Something may be understood of what food costs in the kitchen from the fact that, in the 200 portions served last night, 100 cents a dish, split pea soup for 3 cents, baked beans for 3 cents, roast beef for 10 cents, a turkey for 2 cents, goulash for 7 cents, and so on.

Meals are served all day in the kitchen. The routine being: Breakfast for the fathers of families at about 3:30 A. M.; breakfasts for the mothers at 4 A. M.; breakfasts for the children just before school time; luncheon for every one at noon and meals in the evening from dusk until 8 o'clock.

The kitchen was opened on Feb. 22 last and by Oct. 1 had served 116,734 portions of food at an average cost of 4 cents a portion.

The kitchen is the only one of its kind in America, but it has been so successful in maintaining itself and supplying need to the poor, that the association is seeking to establish others. To do so, contributions of money are needed to defray the original expenses of opening the kitchens. After they are opened, as has been established by the experience of the one in Tenth Avenue, they will pay their own expenses.

AEROPLANES FOR ALLIES.

Baltic Also Carries Motor Trucks
for Hauling Guns.

The White Star liner Baltic, which sailed for Liverpool at 2:30 o'clock yesterday, was delayed two and a half hours on account of eighteen aeroplanes in cases which were late arriving from the New York Central freight yards.

The aeroplanes were lashed to the deck forward, with thirty-five big armored motor trucks behind them, wheels for hauling guns over rough ground.

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ORGANIST HITS BACK AT MUSIC COMMITTEE

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At the meeting, which was held behind closed doors, a letter was read from Mr. Jones, in which he expressed his indignation at ill treatment he said he had received from members of the Music Committee and at the charge made against himself that he had acted with dictatorial arrogance in controlling the musical talent of the church.

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The assembly of Mr. Jones's criticisms on the proximity of bass and sopranos on the night of Sept. 28 is said to have been the immediate cause of the quarrel. Mr. Bennett, it was said, sought tonight to be heard in his own defense. It was ruled that he could have a seat at the meeting, but not a voice in it, by reason of the fact that he contributed directly to the collection plate instead of extending support to the church by means of an envelope and check, of which records are kept.

Needless to say, as was said, reasserted their determination to remain out on strike until Mr. Jones should be removed from his position. Mr. T. Brooks, who presided, finally ruled that the whole meeting was out of order and that the case was one to be acted upon by the Trustees.

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How to buy, when to buy, where to buy, how to choose food and how to keep food clean—these are the things that Miss Laura A. Caudle of the Bureau of Food Supply of the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor told mothers and housewives last night in the People's Kitchen, operated by the association at Twenty-seventh Street and Tenth Avenue. Miss Caudle and her assistants emphasized their words with exhibits of foods.

Some of the exhibits were designed to show the food values of popular edibles, so that the uninitiated might know what each article of diet was worth in calories and bone-building properties. The housekeepers learned from the stories of Miss Caudle that the food value is the same in 4 prunes, 3 heads of lettuce, 14 heads of cabbage, 2 dozen radishes, 15 carrots, and a glass of milk.

Another exhibit was of model meals which poor persons could afford. There was a 923-calorie meal, consisting of a cup of cocoa, two thick slices of bread, and a piece of butter. This meal in the People's Kitchen cost the consumer 10 cents. For those whose palates were not tempted by the 923-calorie meal there was a 945-calorie meal consisting of ham, a potato salad, one apple, a glass of milk, bread, and butter. This meal cost 15 cents, or 2 cents more.

There were also exhibits of model meals for growing children, each of which sold in the kitchen for a few cents and any one of which a careful mother might provide herself for a very small sum. The exhibits were also shown to the housekeepers, so that they might learn how to keep their kitchens, dining rooms, and foodstuffs clean.

The kitchen was filled all night with women who seemed eager to learn what Miss Caudle and her assistants had to tell and show them. The exhibition was continued this evening and tomorrow evening.

The People's Kitchen was made possible by the philanthropy of Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and Mrs. James H. Bush, who have donated the funds necessary for its opening. It is now self-supporting, however, despite the scale of its expenses. Something may be understood of what food costs in the kitchen from the fact that, in the 200 portions served last night, 100 cents a dish, split pea soup for 3 cents, baked beans for 3 cents, roast beef for 10 cents, a turkey for 2 cents, goulash for 7 cents, and so on.

Meals are served all day in the kitchen. The routine being: Breakfast for the fathers of families at about 3:30 A. M.; breakfasts for the mothers at 4 A. M.; breakfasts for the children just before school time; luncheon for every one at noon and meals in the evening from dusk until 8 o'clock.

The kitchen was opened on Feb. 22 last and by Oct. 1 had served 116,734 portions of food at an average cost of 4 cents a portion.

The kitchen is the only one of its kind in America, but it has been so successful in maintaining itself and supplying need to the poor, that the association is seeking to establish others. To do so, contributions of money are needed to defray the original expenses of opening the kitchens. After they are opened, as has been established by the experience of the one in Tenth Avenue, they will pay their own expenses.

AEROPLANES FOR ALLIES.

Baltic Also Carries Motor Trucks
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The White Star liner Baltic, which sailed for Liverpool at 2:30 o'clock yesterday, was delayed two and a half hours on account of eighteen aeroplanes in cases which were late arriving from the New York Central freight yards.

The aeroplanes were lashed to the deck forward, with thirty-five big armored motor trucks behind them, wheels for hauling guns over rough ground.

The Baltic had 48 first, 261 second, and 327 third class passengers, a record number for any British steamer since the Lusitania was sunk. The majority of the passengers came from Canada and were principally people going over to see relatives fighting at the front. The Baltic had 16,000 tons of cargo.

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HARVEY—James, 32 King St., Oct. 25,
aged 20. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.
JOHNSON—Harry, 2,000 Amsterdam
Ave., Oct. 26, aged 20. Funeral today,
A. M., today, 2 P. M.
KAYE—Rugo, Oct. 25, Funeral 406 84th
Ave., today, 2 P. M.
KURIN, Charles, 113d St. and Webster Ave.,
Oct. 25, aged 20. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.
LE CATO—Obadiah W., 186 East 44th St.,
Oct. 25, aged 20. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.
LIPSKY—Harry, Oct. 25, Funeral, 88
Forsyth St., today, 2 P. M.
MAY—Henry J., 622 Greenwich St.,
Oct. 25, aged 54.
NEWMAN—Samuel, 9,006 Tibbett av., Oct. 25,
aged 20. Funeral today, 2-30 A. M.
ROCKWELL—Ida R., 304 East 41st St., Oct. 25,
aged 20. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.
SCANNON—Timothy, 117 Charles St., Oct. 25,
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SEAHAN—Samuel, 200 East 20th St., S. L.
Oct. 25, aged 20. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.
SPARKS—John, Oct. 25, aged 46. Funeral
335 24 Ave. today.
STANGE—Moritz C., 4,231 Carpenter Ave.,
Oct. 25, aged 20. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.
THOLKE—Lillian D., 1,001 Avenue A, Oct. 25,
aged 20. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.
VOLZIN—John, 1,000 77th St., Oct. 25,
aged 20. Funeral today, 1:30 P. M.
VON KATZ—Hans, 1,000 77th St., Oct. 25,
aged 20. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.
Brooklyn.
BAILEY—Christine, 1,749 West 121st St.,
Oct. 25, aged 20. Funeral today, 2 P. M.
CLARKE—Walter B., 605 East 22d St., Oct. 25,
aged 20. Funeral today, 1 P. M.
COSTA—John, 1,000 77th St., Oct. 25,
aged 20. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

DEBRY, Thomas H., 284 South 4th St.,
Funeral tomorrow, 10 A. M.
DEWEY, William, 1001 1/2 Broadway, Platte,
Oct. 26.
DOWLING, Mary, 550 Bridge St., Oct. 27
Funeral notice later.
DUNN, William, 1016 1/2 16th N. St.,
Oct. 22. Funeral today, 2 P. M.
HESS, William T., 247 Hamburg Ave., Oct.
22. Funeral today, 2 P. M.
HUGHES, William J., 35 Cumberland St.,
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HEMANN, Ann O., 8712 New Utrecht Ave.,
Oct. 22. Funeral today, 2 P. M.
JAMES, Albert E., 112 Livingston Ave.,
Oct. 26. Funeral service today.
JEFFSON, William, 1016 1/2 16th N. St.,
Oct. 27. Funeral private.
KEENE, William, 1016 1/2 16th N. St.,
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KELLY, John, East 24 St., Oct. 26.
Funeral tomorrow.
MCCANN, Lillian, 488 1/2 10th St., Oct. 28, aged
72. Funeral notice later.
MCKENNA, William J., 124 Clymer St.,
Oct. 28. Funeral notice later.
McLAUGHLIN, Daniel, Holy Family Hospi-
tal, Oct. 26, aged 57. Funeral tomorrow.
McNAMEE, Georgianna, 141 State St.,
Oct. 28. Funeral notice later.
MILLERSTADT, Charles, 243 Front St.,
Oct. 28. Funeral notice later.
MOPAN, James, 402 4th St., Oct. 28. Fu-
neral today, 9:30 A. M.
NEAR, George, 656 1st St., Oct. 28.
Funeral tomorrow.
RISAS, Mary, Fayette Ave., Oct. 28.
Funeral notice later.

REDMOND—Elizabeth, 115 Balmaine Bk.,
Oct. 25. Funeral tomorrow.
RICHARDS—Mrs. Mary Ann, 68. Funeral
Glasgow and Willoughby Aves., today, 3
P. M.
SCHOENK—Leopold, 400 Myrtle Av., Oct.
25. aged 39. Funeral today, 1:30 P. M.
SMITH—Mrs. Mary, 100 Bridge St., Oct. 25.
Funeral service today.
WILKINSON—Jessie O., 161 Holland Av.,
Hoboken, Jersey City, and Newark.
BURDEN—Elizabeth, 168 Clifton Av., Newark.
Oct. 27, aged 64.
DART—Mrs. Wm. T. 735 South 15th St.
2 P. M., Oct. 25, aged 64. Funeral today
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FAULKNER—Jennie E. 703 Bergen Av.,
Jersey City, Oct. 28. Funeral service to-
day.
HALL—Lydia, 281 Ogden St., Newark, Oct.
28. Funeral today, 2 P. M.
HEAD—Mrs. William, 350 New St., Newark.
Oct. 28.

27, aged 111. Funeral Oct. 30.
McARTHUR—Rita, 208 Jefferson St., Hoboken, Oct. 28. Funeral today, 1 P. M.
MURPHY—John, 1000 Park, Oct. 26. Funeral today, 8.15 A. M.
O'BRIEN—Daniel J., 241 Sherman Av., Jersey City, Oct. 25, aged 43. Funeral today, 1 P. M.
O'BRIEN—Margaret, 245 7th St., Jersey City, Oct. 25.
O'D—Mary, 215 Camden St., Newark, Oct. 25. Funeral today, 2.30 P. M.
ROSENHARD—Bertha, 170 New York Av., Jersey City, Oct. 25, aged 40.
SCHOFFER—Benjamin, 5.18 Irving St., Jersey City, Oct. 25, aged 40. Funeral tomorrow.
SPARMANN—Arnold P., 111 Bloomfield St.,

STERN.—John, 8 Tracy Ave., Newark, Oct. 26, aged 4 months.

TREACY.—Edward F., 607 Jersey Ave., Jersey City, Oct. 26, 1912. Buried, Morrow, 9 A. M., Long Island.

ATKIN.—Mary A., Inwood, Oct. 26, aged 66. Buried, funeral, Morrow, 9 A. M.

CODRICK.—John, 1001 Bayville, Oct. 26, aged 26. Buried, funeral, Morrow, 9 A. M.

DODGE.—Katherine, Woodside, Oct. 26, aged 26. Buried, funeral, Morrow, 9 A. M.

O'DONNELL.—Josephine M., Woodhams, Oct. 26, aged 26. Buried, funeral, Morrow, 9:30 A. M.

SPITZ.—William, Flushing, Oct. 26, aged 24. Buried, funeral, Elmhurst, Oct. 23, aged 4 months.

In Memoriam.

BUTLERLEY.—Jeremiah, mass St. Joseph's Church, Newark, 1912. Buried, 8 A. M.

CONNOLLY.—John, mass St. Mary's Church, Newark, 1912. Buried, 8 A. M.

HANLEY.—Martin, mass Church of Our Lady of Good Counsel, Newark, 1912. Buried, 8 A. M.

RYAN.—Joseph H., mass St. Joseph's Church, Newark, 1912. Buried, 8 A. M.

WOODS.—John W., in memory of; died Oct. 22, 1912.

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War Stocks Slump in Final Hour

—No New Deals for Exchange Market.

There were two popular views of yesterday's market. The first was that the professional traders, having witnessed a decline Tuesday on the whisper of peace overtures, took advantage of the ease of business to sell stocks for a further decline. This was the view of the public. The other was that the investing public, having seen how easy war stocks were depressed by mere rumor of peace, sold out positions taken at lower prices. This, needless to say, was the view of the professional traders.

In any event, the market proved itself in a position where it was susceptible to attack, and the reaction assumed good proportions in some of the specialties which have derived their popularity from the war. The rails were generally undisturbed, although they did not interest in some of the war order issues.

There was nothing more in yesterday's news to give color to the report that the Kaiser is willing to talk peace, and no one believed the report, but the fact is that it suggested what might happen some day when a real movement toward ending the war is made. Traders thought that if a random and extremely improbable rumor could start a reaction it was well to let the reaction take its course, in order that stocks may be better distributed before the advance is resumed. Baldwin Locomotive gave ground rather easily, slipping 1/4 point from 34 1/2 to 34.

Trading in Bethlehem was so limited that the movement in that issue was not significant. The stock closed at 55 1/2, with a net loss of 21 points. The Maxwell issues and Studebaker surrendered without much sign of resistance some of the gains so easily added in the last few days. Studebaker holders were not enthusiastic over the terms of the new stock offering under which they are to be allowed to subscribe to the extent of only 1 per cent. of their holdings to the new shares. As for Maxwell, the rise had been engineered so crudely that much of the work was easily undone as the stock was left to care for itself.

Steel regained its old position as market leader, transactions in that issue totaling 201,000, or about 20 per cent. of the day's entire trading. Whether Steel led the reaction or was influenced by it was not clear. The quarterly earnings statement did not prove disappointing to any but those persons who put their expectations beyond the happiest possibilities, and the indication in the statement that the company is now earning a surplus at the rate of approximately 20 per cent. per annum proved satisfactory to the Street. The issue sold up to 56 yesterday, but closed off a point at 54 1/2.

In the face of the weakness in most of the industries a display of strength throughout the list of coppers attracted not a little attention. Anaconda was both active and strong, closing at 78 1/2, with a net gain of 1 1/2 points. Incentive, Inspiration and Utah all held their ground after losing gains made before the market developed its real weakness in the last hour. Southern Railway responded quickly to an unusually good earning statement.

The bond market was again broad and active, New York City issues being in particular favor. Arrival of another \$5,000,000 in gold was without apparent effect on the exchange market. Talks of new Government credits is still decidedly premature, although there is a tacit understanding that Great Britain and France shall be extended the banking accommodations they want whenever they are prepared to confirm a tentative understanding reached some time ago. Russia has not yet opened negotiations through official channels, although inquiries have been made in a roundabout way.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

RESERVE BANKS DISCOUNT RATES.

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 27, 1915.

Total sales 1,112,336

Same day last year 1,138,794

Year to date 45,989,158

Same period last year 45,989,158

Average price and change 50 stocks 91.93

Same day last year 91.93

Year's range to date 94.13 Oct. 22 58.99 Feb. 24

Range year 1914 73.30 Jan. 31 57.41 July 30

Range year 1913 79.10 Jan. 9 63.09 June 10

Closing average July 30, 57.77.

Alaska Gold Mines 23 1/2

Allis-Chalmers Mfg. 23 1/2

Am. Agr. Equip. 23 1/2

Am. Best Sugar 23 1/2

Am. B. & S. P. 23 1/2

Am. Can. 23 1/2

Am. Coal Products 23 1/2

Am. Cotton Oil 23 1/2

Am. Express 23 1/2

Am. F. & L. 23 1/2

Am. Ice Securities 23 1/2

Am. Lined 23 1/2

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TOPICS IN WALL STREET.

Steel Centre of Interest.

Traders appeared to be fairly well divided yesterday in their sentiment toward United States Steel. While it was generally agreed that the quarterly statement had displayed excellent earnings and promise of better things to come, there was heavy pressure against the stock soon after the opening. There was also "good" buying. Steel declined before noon more than a point in the preceding day's closing figure, and then rallied in a manner to encourage holders. Then it sold off again. The fact that this stock supplied nearly one-fifth of the turnover of a more-than-a-million-share day shows the extent of the public's interest. The net reaction of a full point indicated that the bears somewhat the better of it, but this could not be referred to the influence of the quarterly report. Talk of a reaction was everywhere in the air during the session, and the war issues seemed to point the way in this direction.

Bethlehem Declines Sharply.

The sale of 370 shares of Bethlehem Steel brought a net decline of twenty-one points. Evidence was here supplied of the sort of action one may expect by an issue raised to such a high figure that, technically, it is out of the reach of ordinary speculation. The closing quotation showed a possibility of even greater fluctuations than occurred in actual trading. The bid was no higher than 52 1/2, and the offered price was 55, nine points under the quotation recorded in the final sale. A five-point move in Bethlehem has become too ordinary to receive anything more than slight attention.

Rock Island.

The Protective Committee formed last June by Harris, Forbes & Co. for the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway first and refunding mortgage 4 per cent. bonds, announced yesterday that it had secured a deposit of one of the largest bond issues ever floated, more than \$104,000,000, may be regarded as another shock for the Rock Island system. "The committee," said the announcement, "is of the opinion that the conditions and developments affecting the industry of the country and these bonds require that a deposit of the bonds with the Protective Committee should be made." The committee was formed to "watch" the situation. No interest payment on the refunding bonds is due. The Oct. 1 payment, after the expression of some doubt, was met, and the next payment is not due until April 1. Several large insurance and trust companies of the city are represented on the Protective Committee.

Amster Deplores Drop.

Mallagers of the Rock Island receive rejoinders from N. L. Amster of Boston, a faithful Director. In a statement issued yesterday Mr. Amster deplored the recent 10 point drop in Rock Island stock, and said that the figures purporting to represent Rock Island's financial needs, he said, were premature. Anyway, even if \$55,000,000 or \$40,000,000 cash were needed, he added, such cash would not have to be raised immediately.

Southern Railway.

A cheering item of news was the September report of the Southern Railway. The gross operating revenues were higher than for the corresponding month in 1914 and 1912 and within \$400,000 of 1913, the banner record. The net earnings exceeded the record of the same month for the last four years. The figures were \$55,018,338, an increase of \$1,001,000, and \$7,881,891, an increase of \$67,012. Gross earnings for the three months of the new fiscal year are still \$72,000 ahead of the same period of last year, but the net earnings are \$1,000,000 ahead. The increase is due to a reduction of expenses, and while the railroad problem is not yet solved, the reduction of expenses at that rate, it is in a fortunate position for the present. The Southern did \$300,000 more business in September than in August and increased its net earnings \$50,000 compared with August.

Union Pacific.

Another September report was that of the Union Pacific, but that was not so rosy. The Union Pacific, it appears, is not yet safely around the corner, though a trimming of operating expenses has improved the statement. The gross earnings for the month were \$12,468,243, a decrease of \$1,000,000, and \$1,475,000, a decrease of \$1,000,000. The gross earnings for the three months of the new fiscal year are still \$72,000 ahead of the same period of last year, but the net earnings are \$1,000,000 ahead. The increase is due to a reduction of expenses, and while the railroad problem is not yet solved, the reduction of expenses at that rate, it is in a fortunate position for the present. The Southern did \$300,000 more business in September than in August and increased its net earnings \$50,000 compared with August.

Tricks of the Trade.

Complaints have been heard lately that anonymous persons were resorting to tricks to depress prices of war materials in this country. Advertisements have appeared, for instance, offering explosive ingredients at very low prices. In one case, it was reported, an advertisement offered to sell a pound of dynamite below \$1 a pound when the market price was about \$2. Buyers sought the seller, but found that he had given a fictitious address. The only explanation offered for this scheme was that it was devised to frighten producers into letting their wares go cheaper.

LONDON MARKET IRREGULAR

Balkan Situation Causes Unsettled Trading—War Loan Declines.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—Money was plentiful today, but discount rates were inclined to be firmer on the Bank of England raising the interest rate on sales of Treasury bills over the counter. The Balkan situation was held as a restraining factor on the Stock Exchange. The war loan declined a fraction after active dealing but rallied when it was reported that the British Government was considering a new loan. American securities opened higher and later advanced when it was reported that the States Steel, Canadian Pacific, and Erie were to be sold. The closing was unsettled. Cable transfers opened at 4.01 and gradually improved to 4.02.

METAL MARKET REPORTS.

These prices were quoted on the local Metal Exchange yesterday:

Aluminum 1.25 1.25 1.25 1.25

Copper 1.25 1.25 1.25 1.25

Lead 1.25 1.25 1.25 1.25

Iron 1.25 1.25 1.25 1.25

Steel 1.25 1.25 1.25 1.25

Wrought Iron 1.25 1.25 1.25 1.25

Zinc 1.25 1.25 1.25 1.25

BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

Total sales Oct. 27 \$4,892,500

Same day last year \$4,892,500

Year to date \$4,892,500

Same period last year \$4,892,500

Average price and change 40 bonds 84.98 +.03

Same day last year 84.98

Year's range to date 84.98 Oct. 27 81.51 Jan. 2

Range year 1914 84.98 Feb. 4 82.73 July 30

Range year 1913 84.98 Jan. 2 81.51 Dec. 18

Closing average July 30, 82.73.

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MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

Trust Five Per Cent Bonds, Due January 1, 1917

First Collateral Mortgage Five Per Cent Bonds, Due August 1, 1920

The definitive certificates of deposit for these two issues have been listed on the New York Stock Exchange IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS THE COMMITTEE HAS EXTENDED THE TIME OF DEPOSIT UNTIL DECEMBER 1ST 1915.

A considerable majority of the Trust 5's of 1917 and a very substantial percentage of the First Collateral Mortgage 5's of 1920 have been deposited or pledged. The Committee solicits additional deposits of both issues of bonds in order further to strengthen their position.

In the opinion of the Committee the default, September 1st, of interest due on the Trust 5's of 1917 and the first default October 1st of interest due on pledged collateral covering the western portion of the transcontinental main line, threaten the security of the First Collateral 5's of 1920 equally with that of the 5's of 1917. No interest pledged collateral is being paid over to the Trustee to provide against the February 1st coupon of the 5's of 1917 the Missouri Pacific is in the hands of a receiver and the Plan of Readjustment does not contemplate leaving the railroad under such conditions.

ability of waiting for an actual default before depositing their bonds of 1920.

Copies of the Deposit Agreement may be obtained from the Depositary or from the Committee Secretary.

MORRELL W. GAINES, Secretary, No. 59 Wall Street, New York City.	MOREAU DELANO, Chairman.
CADWALADER, WICKERSHAM & TAFT, Counsel.	WM. ALLEN BUTLER,
COLUMBIA TRUST COMPANY, Depositary, No. 60 Broadway, New York City.	WILLARD V. KING,
BROWN BROTHERS & CO., Philadelphia and Boston.	JAMES TIMPSON,
BROWN, SHIPLEY & CO., London, E. C., England.	ASA S. WING,
will receive bonds for the Depositary.	L. EDMUND ZACHER.
New York, October 28, 1915.	

Babcock & Wilcox

Crocker-Wheeler

Crockett-Wheeler
Dixon Crucible
Eastern Steel
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Ford Co. of Canada
Hale & Kilburn
Laconia Car
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bearing interest, payable at
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49 Wall Street

The regular quarterly dividend
ent quarter) of one and three-
per cent. (13 1/2%) was declared.
Preferred Stock of this Corporation
December 1st, 1915, to stock-
holders of record November 15th,
of record November 15th, 1915.

T. W. MOFFATT, Secy.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

H. C. DU VAL & COMPANY,
CERTIFICATE OF LIMITED
PARTNERSHIP.

The undersigned, being desirous of forming
a limited partnership pursuant to and in con-
formity with the provisions of the Statutes
of the State of New York, DO HEREBY
CERTIFY as follows:

1. That the name of the firm under which
said partnership is to be conducted is H. C.
DU VAL & COMPANY, and the County
wherein the principal place of business is
to be located is in the County of New York.

2. That the general character of the business
intended to be transacted is that of brokers,
buying and selling, on commission, stocks,
bonds, investment securities, cotton, coffee,
and grain, and such other business as may be
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PACIFIC BANK.

470 Broadway, New York, Oct. 13th.

The Board of Directors have this day
declared the regular quarterly dividend of
one per cent., payable on November 1,
stockholders of record of Oct. 12, 1915.
Transfer books will be closed Nov. 1,
1915.

S. C. MERWIN, Cn.

American Brass Co.

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III. The names of all the general and special partners interested therein and their respective places of residence are as follows:

GENERAL PARTNERS.
Horace C. Du Val, New York. Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.
Clive L. Du Val, New York. Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.
C. Austin Whitehouse, 2121 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

SPECIAL PARTNER.
Robert Graves, Micoela, New York.

All of the said partners are of full age.

IV. The amount of capital which Robert Graves, the sole contributor, has contributed to the common stock is One hundred thousand Dollars, (\$100,000).

The time at which the partnership is to begin is the 1st day of October, 1915, and the time at which it is to end is the 30th day of September, 1918.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we the undersigned, have hereunto set our hands and seals the twenty-ninth day of September, one thousand and sixteen.

HORACE C. DU VAL. (I. S.)
CLIVE L. DU VAL. (I. S.)
C. AUSTIN WHITEHOUSE. (I. S.)
ROBERT GRAVES. (I. S.)

Notary at New York City and County of New York.

SUMMONES.
SUPREME COURT, NEW YORK COUNTY.
LUCIENNE LOES, Plaintiff, against
GILBERT, Caroline, Amelia Rose, sometimes known as Caroline Amelia Muller, individually and as sole executrix of the last will and testament of A. R. Gillette, deceased, and
ROSEMARY SCHLAG, William Koch, sometimes known as F. Koch, and Mary Koch, the defendant, William Koch, said "Mary" being fictitious, her true name being Rosemary, and
Jackson, Israel Joel, Florence Joel, and F. W. F. Koch, as surviving executrices of the last will and testament of William Koch, deceased, defendants.
To the above-named defendants and them:
You are hereby summoned to answer supplemental complaint in this action to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorney within ten days after the service of this supplemental summons, and to appear at the trial of this action on the day specified in the summons of your failure to appear or answer.

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House newly painted and decorated; everything in best condition. Rooms large and airy; plenty of closets; storage room top floor. Steam heat; Smith & Travers Dragon No. 206 E Boiler; radiators in hall and every room.

Beam Ceiling in Dining Room; Panelled Walls, Plate Rail, China Closet.

Extra large kitchen, pantry; Porcelain Sink and Drain Board. Large Double Richardson & Boynton Range; Wash Tubs in cellar.

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AROUND THE MAP
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A Musical Globe Tour by C. M. S. McLELLAN
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"THE SHENANDOAH"
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Under Fire
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THE HOUSE OF GLASS
Nov. 1, 1915. Rev. 10 to 11 P. M. Sat. & Thurs. (Elec. Day) 2.

ELTINGE Opening Tues., Nov. 2d
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"FAIR AND WARMER"
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REPUBLIC
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COMMON CLAY
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THE BOOMERANG
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ASTOR
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HIT THE TRAIL-HOLIDAY
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CARNEGIE HALL
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Announcement
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Course Ticket Sale
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ELMENDORF LECTURES
Nov. 1, 1915. Rev. 10 to 11 P. M. Sat. & Thurs. (Elec. Day) 2.

Prices: For Five
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LECTURES
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COURT
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"The Natural Law"
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STANDARD
Nov. 1, 1915. Rev. 10 to 11 P. M. Sat. & Thurs. (Elec. Day) 2.

THE SLOW SHOE
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And Lecture by Dr. Kurt E. Schellings
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Triangle Plays This Week:
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Ford Sterling in "His Father's
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Postcard from "The Yellow Girl"
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Katzenbocker Theatre, B'way & 38th St.
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CENTURY
Nov. 1, 1915. Rev. 10 to 11 P. M. Sat. & Thurs. (Elec. Day) 2.

62 St., at B'way. Rev. 10 to 11 P. M. Sat. & Thurs. (Elec. Day) 2.

Matinees, 2c, 50c, 75c, \$1, and 2c
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Ned Wayburn's Town Topics
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SUNDAY CONCERT—SYLVESTER SCHAPFER
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MRS. VERNON CASTLE, A Tiddling
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"THE WHIRL OF LIFE" (in 6 Parts)
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Note: "MONTGOMERY & STONE IN THIS PART"
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8th Hall, Mat. 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1, and 2c
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STRAND B'way & 4th St. BLANCHE KING
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Geraldine Farrar in "Carmen"
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GARRICK BURLESQUE
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38th St., at B'way. Mat. 25c, 50c
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operated by low priced, Normandy Hotel
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OPERA (Theatre Ticket Office, Broad-
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TICKETS, 1 way and 8th St.
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Ice Skating St. Nicholas Rink
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Ernest Cunniff, Lucie Arnall,

Camille Decres, Lucie Arnall,

Micha Elinan, Lucie Arnall,

Geraldine Farrar, Lucie Arnall,

Alma Fritz, Lucie Arnall,

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CLOSE TO BIG MEN
IN SHIP BOMB PLOT
Secret Service Agents Expect
to Make Important Arrests Soon.

DR. KIENZLE OUT UNDER BAIL
Government Seeks Details of His
Life Here and Abroad—Expect
Indictments Next Week.

Government agents are trying to find the missing link to complete a chain of evidence against persons "high up" in the plot to blow up ships carrying munitions to the Allies. It was said yesterday by a man in authority that if the trail "continues to lead true" several sensational arrests may be expected soon. Not a word to indicate the identity of the suspects, however, was to be had.

That everything possible is being done to keep the men under arrest from talking of the case was indicated yesterday. The lawyers for all the accused were in joint conference most of the afternoon in the office of John H. Stanfield, Max Levey and Banno Levey, attorneys for Dr. Herbert KiENZLE, who was released from the Tombs in \$25,000 bail yesterday, were present. At its conclusion neither Mr. Stanfield, Mr. Levey, nor Mr. Breitung would talk.

Louis Jersawitz of 220 Broadway, counsel assigned to Lieutenant Robert Fay, was in conference for an hour with his client in the Tombs. Afterward Mr. Jersawitz said he was not prepared to say what Fay had told him. Tomorrow, he said, he expected to have a three hours' conference with the prisoner, and that he might give a statement of Fay's position.

"Is there any likelihood of Fay repudiating his confession to the Secret Service agents?" Mr. Jersawitz was asked.

"I suppose you refer to the alleged statement he made to Captain Flynn?" Mr. Jersawitz replied.

"Have you any witnesses in view whose testimony may help your client?" Mr. Jersawitz was asked.

"I am not prepared to say."

No Help from Attaches.

"How about Captain Boy-Ed and Captain von Papen, the Attaches of the German Embassy? Don't you think they might help him if they went on the stand?"

"They says that at no time was he identified with the German Embassy, and not thing he even talked with Captain Boy-Ed, while, as for Captain von Papen, I have heard that he talked with that officer, but that of Papen frowned on the personal contact with the German Embassy," Mr. Jersawitz said.

"As far as I know, that is his name. He says there are two or three families in Germany who spell their names that way. I have no reason to think his name is not wtr," he says it is."

Mr. Jersawitz said his client had no statement to make which would implicate any persons except those already mentioned. Scholz's connection with Fay, he said, was that of a workman, for which he received \$25 a week from Fay. Scholz's work, he added, was restricted to drawing plans for Fay and for his own invention, and for running errands for Fay. He said Scholz admits being a German reservist, and said that he also told him he was a civil engineer and a graduate of a German technical institution. Mr. Snyder said he would make a strong fight for Scholz, and that he believed he could prove that his client had not violated any Federal law.

Tracing Dr. KiENZLE.

As for Dr. KiENZLE, his connection with the case is the important part of the Government's viewpoint, that his career in this country and in Germany is being thoroughly investigated. In the records of the United States District Court it was discovered that on June 30 of last year the United States brought a civil action against Dr. KiENZLE, brother of the German Minister here, for conspiracy to defraud the United States of money to recover \$38,879.64 on claims imported from Germany which it was alleged, were undervalued.

The papers in the case included an affidavit by Dr. KiENZLE to explain the absence from Germany of his brother, Dr. KiENZLE, who was said to be in the United States. The affidavit said that the head of the family is Jacob KiENZLE, the head of the great clock factory, another brother, Uskub, Dr. KiENZLE said was killed in battle in the present war, and that Dr. KiENZLE at that time was fighting in the German army. After saying that Dr. KiENZLE said for Germany on July 1 and on his arrival was ordered to the colors, the affidavit said that he was the impossibility of his leaving Germany and the unfairness of continuing the trial in his absence.

Passenger on the Cecile.

Dr. KiENZLE further on in his affidavit said that he was a passenger on the North German Lloyd liner Kronprinzessin Cecilie, which vessel was at sea bound for Bremen when the war began, and roared back to America to escape being captured there and at French cruisers then patrolling the North Atlantic. Max Breitung is also said to have been a passenger on the Cecilie, and that he had registered from Philadelphia. They ascertained that he had visited the town and had stopped at the Manhattan Hotel, also that he always came unaccompanied. There are three prominent factories near New Brunswick, one at Parlin on the Raritan River, another at Roosevelt, and a third at Millville. It is understood that the Government is

BACHE SELLS BANK
TO NATIONAL CITY CO.
International and Its Asiatic
Branches Likely to be Merged
in National City Bank.

The International Banking Corporation, a controlling interest in which was acquired by Jules S. Bache of J. S. Bache & Co. a few days ago, has been sold to the National City Company, the investing company of the National City Bank. It was said yesterday that Mr. Bache acted as a broker in finding a buyer for the stock owned by the estate of General Thomas H. Hubbard.

Frank A. Vanderlip, President of the National City Bank, would not make any comment yesterday on the reported purchase, but he denied that the National City Bank was a party to it. It is understood that the National City Company will retain possession of the International stock until the Federal Reserve Board approves a request for the transfer of the International's branches throughout the world to the National City Bank. When Mr. Vanderlip was asked if interests identified with his bank had not bought the Bache stock, he would only say:

"When you use that word 'interests' you open a wide range of possibilities."

Steps preliminary to the transfer of stock control of the International from Mr. Bache to the National City Company are now being taken.

It is believed that before final negotiations are completed application will be made by the controlling interests in the International Corporation for membership in the Federal Reserve system. The International, which has branches throughout the Far East and in Panama, has a State charter. Under the Federal Reserve act a member of the system may operate branches outside this country.

Ownership of the International would put the National City Bank in a strong position relative to its plans for extending operations abroad. It already has six branches in South America and Cuba, and the addition of the International's branches would bring the total up to twenty-two. The International under the administration of General Hubbard became a strong force in China, Japan, India, and the Philippines, and according to bankers familiar with the National City plans, the branches in Asia would do much to fill out details of the bank's world-wide plan.

BATTLE IN THE DARK
BY LIGHT OF SHOTS
Policeman on Stairway and
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Policeman John Benner of the Mulberry Street Station, talking at a police telephone box in Houston Street, a few steps west of the Bowery, at 9:30 o'clock last evening, heard a man yell and saw him point to the United Cigar Store on the corner and then race for a tenement, into the doorway of which he jumped. Benner dropped his telephone and jumped to the side door of the store, only a few feet from him. He recalled that he had seen two men enter the store a moment before.

But the door was locked now, and as Benner ran to the front door, which opens diagonally upon the corner of the Bowery and Houston Street, two men dashed out and started at full speed down the Bowery. Behind them ran a frightened clerk, shouting they had robbed him.

Benner, yelling to the men to stop, fired a shot into the air as he ran after them. The second of the fugitives halted at the report, turned, and fired two bullets directly at the policeman. Then he ran on. Benner fired two bullets from his revolver, and again the man turned and replied with two more shots.

The Bowery was crowded with terrified men and women all fleeing for stores and doorways to get out of range of bullets, and at the risk of hitting them Benner fired the last two shots in his revolver. Neither hit a fugitive and they kept on at full speed, now heading toward the Bowery and making for the corner of Stanton Street.

Cars Stop for Bullets.

Surface cars and automobiles, northbound from the Delancey Street bridge, stopped to let the chase go, or put on additional power and scooted beyond reach of the bullets. Benner, his weapon empty and useless, nevertheless kept on and reached the Stanton Street corner in time to see one of the men turn into the tenement at 10 and the other into the house at 14 Stanton Street.

Behind Benner ran Policeman John McCarron of the Fifth Street Station, whom the reports of the revolver had called from First Street and the Bowery. As Benner turned into 10 Stanton Street, McCarron kept on to 14, and went bounding up the stairs on the trail of the man, whom he could hear a flight above him.

But when McCarron reached the fifth landing, that of the top floor, he was in darkness, and above him everything was still. He started cautiously up the stairs leading to the roof scuttle. The scuttle was drawn back and against the blue black of the sky which showed through the narrow opening McCarron saw the arm of a man appear, a revolver clutched in the fingers. The policeman jumped the stairway rail to the landing above and crouched there as the weapon above him roared and two bullets buried themselves in the wall. Then the arm was withdrawn and the scuttle slipped back into place.

For an instant there was no sound from the roof, though below him McCarron could hear the frightened cries of the tenement running into the halls, shouting and shrieking. From the street came the roar of other dozens who had fled from their flats at the first reports and who now shouted, demanding to know what had happened.

Both Fire Together.

Still there was no sign from the roof, so again McCarron started up the stairs, and when he reached the fifth landing he was up only two or three steps when again the scuttle slipped back and the arm appeared. This time the policeman and the bandit fired almost together, but before McCarron could rush his man the scuttle was in darkness, and again the policeman was in darkness.

Again and again McCarron essayed the stairs, and again and again he encountered a fusillade, which he answered from his own revolver, but which nevertheless drove him down the stairs again. One bullet had gone through the left shoulder of the policeman. Another had struck his right breast, being deflected by a memorandum book in his pocket, and passed on to the back of his coat, scorching McCarron's side in its passage. A third had torn his left cheek, leaving a shallow furrow, and a fourth, and maddened the policeman, but he could not reach his man.

He was waiting, gun in hand, crouched at the foot of the stairs, for another movement of the scuttle when Detective Joseph Kemp, Policeman Hayden, and a dozen of the reserves from the Mulberry Street Station came running up the stairs.

There's others going up over the other roofs," shouted Kemp, encouragingly. "You'll drive him down!"

McCarron, who was alone, saw the scuttle opened. Apparently the bandit had seen the policeman rose toward the scuttle, and apparently, he had broken the scuttle open and was looking down at him. Against the sky which he was outlined as he stepped into the scuttle opening, the bandit showed a huge dark figure, his arm extended before him and in each hand a pistol. He began to fire as he set foot on the first step.

Twins Streams of Fire.

In the darkness the flashes of his guns showed like twin streams of fire shooting from the muzzle of each weapon, and he sprang down the stairs two steps at a time. He was almost at the bottom when McCarron let him have two bullets from his own revolver. His legs crumpled under him and he pitched headlong to the landing, where the policeman's shots had entered his right leg, and although no bones were broken, the shock had thrown the bandit from his feet.

Benner, who had joined the hunt for McCarron's man, reported that his own man had escaped him in the dark halls of the tenement at 10 Stanton Street.

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GIVING HIS SPECIFIC REASONS FOR VOTING AGAINST THE PROPOSED CONSTITUTION

New York, October 27th, 1915.

Hon. Elihu Root, New York City, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—In answer to your telegram of September 9th, asking me to become a member of a Committee of Citizens to advocate the adoption of the new Constitution, I said that I was not at that time sufficiently familiar with the Constitution to know whether or not I would be in favor of its adoption; furthermore, that I did not, at that time, know in what form it was to be submitted, whether in section or as a whole. Since that time the Constitution has been submitted substantially as a whole, and I have tried, as a layman, to make as careful a study of it as possible.

My conclusion is that it should not be adopted. My reasons are specific, and are as follows:

I am wholly opposed to the demand made on the people by the Convention that the Constitution be adopted practically in whole or not at all. Sixteen of the eighteen sections are submitted in one vote and these sixteen questions are the all-important part of the Constitution. I can think of but two reasons for the Convention having taken this course: First, that it had so little respect for the intelligence of the voters of this State that it did not believe them capable of wisely discriminating between the sixteen different sections; or, Second, that it feared the intelligence of the voters and realized that they would discriminate and that many of the proposed amendments, if submitted separately, would unquestionably be rejected. Neither reason is creditable to the Convention. *Whichever of these reasons existed, the fact is that the voters have been deprived of their unquestioned right to select and reject as they might deem proper.* This right was granted the voters of Ohio in voting on their recently revised Constitution, where 42 propositions were submitted, 34 of which were adopted and 8 rejected. It was granted to the people of New Hampshire, where 4 propositions were adopted and 6 rejected. In the State of Connecticut the Constitution was submitted in bulk twice, and each time was rejected. In this State in 1867 a new Constitution was submitted in bulk, with the exception of the Judiciary article, which was submitted separately. The Judiciary article was accepted and the Constitution rejected.

It seems clear to me that there is no answer to the serious objection to the manner of submitting the new Constitution. It is a fundamental weakness in the whole scheme. I appreciate that in a great document like a State Constitution there has to be a certain amount of give and take and that half a loaf is sometimes better than no loaf at all, *granted always that the half loaf be not poisoned.* Why should a man who objects to the Conservation article, for example, but who favors the Short Ballot article, be forced to take the Conservation article in order to get the Short Ballot article? This illustration applies to many of the articles.

In a statement issued by the "Committee For the Adoption of the Constitution," printed in Monday morning's papers, this procedure of submitting the Constitution in bulk was sought to be excused, and the Committee, among other things, said: "This might have been the appropriate method if the Convention had done nothing but suggest scattered changes on unrelated subjects. However, each important reform supplements and supports some other reform."

OBVIOUSLY DISINGENUOUS.

I can understand how it might possibly be claimed that it was necessary to submit together the Executive and Budget articles, and possibly, even the Short Ballot with them. But what has this group of articles to do with Judiciary, Conservation and printing legislative debates? The attempted justification by the Committee is obviously disingenuous.

The new Constitution provides for an increase in the salaries of the Legislature. You will remember, of course, that this was submitted to the people in the form of a separate amendment in 1911 and defeated by a vote of 267,000 in favor and 352,000 against; despite the strenuous efforts of the bipartisan machine to pass it. Is it not vicious, therefore, to submit it to the people so soon again in such manner that they cannot defeat it without also defeating other proposals, some of which they might favor? In the discussions that are now going on even the strongest advocates of the proposed Constitution admit that there are certain things in it that might be objectionable but that we should adopt it because, on the whole, they claim it is an improvement on the existing Constitution. To my mind the reverse is true. It should have been submitted section by section, in which event the people could have taken what they approved and rejected what they did not approve.

The two propositions submitted, separately, are the Taxation article and the Apportionment sections.

As to the Apportionment proposition, separately submitted, it is simply a delusion and a snare. It makes no particular difference in the apportionment which way the people vote on it, for if it is adopted things remain as they are, and if it is defeated things remain practically the same, but it should be remembered that tied up with this Apportionment submission is the provision abolishing under certain conditions the State Enumeration of its inhabitants and authorizing apportionment to be made on the basis of a Federal census. The State Enumeration has been one of our large and unnecessary expenses, for the Federal Census is all that is necessary, and if the amendment abolishing State Enumeration were submitted separately to the people it would unquestionably pass. By tying it up with the Apportionment amendment, however, the voters will be put in the position, if they vote for the proposition, of apparently approving the present apportionment, and if they vote against it, of apparently approving the continuance of the present unnecessary and extravagant State Census.

In support of what I have said above on this subject, I quote the following from the debate when the question of submitting this article separately was before the Convention:

By Mr. Brackett: "I ask the Chairman of the Committee (Mr. Parsons) what possible process of reasoning requires or suggests that the amendment should be submitted separately, when if it is rejected it leaves the Apportionment article precisely as it is? In other words, it is utterly insignificant as far as the result goes whether the present amendment pending is adopted or rejected. If it is adopted it adopts precisely the same method as in the existing Constitution, and if it is rejected of course it leaves the present one standing. Now, of all the sections of the whole instru-

ment from beginning to end, I should think that was the poorest one to submit separately, inasmuch as it does not make the slightest difference which way the vote is."

Mr. Parsons (Chairman of the Committee): "The result of the vote is correctly stated by Mr. Brackett."

The Convention went through the farce of submitting this Apportionment article separately and of attempting to make the people think that it was so important that they should give their especial thought and attention to it and vote on it separately, when, as a matter of fact, it does not make a rap's difference in the apportionment which way they vote. While this farcical question is being submitted separately, the people are denied the right, unquestionably theirs, to vote separately and independently on the great articles covering changes in reorganization of the Judiciary, Conservation, Powers of the Governor, Home Rule for Cities, Re-arrangement of all the Departments of the State, and other important questions, where the result of their vote would be of real importance to them.

This sort of treatment of the voters is an outrage that ought to be resented by the people at the polls.

SHORT BALLOT

I personally regard this as such a long short ballot as to be inefficient. It does nothing except in a very slight way recognize the theory of a short ballot. The only real short ballot recognized by the Convention is in the method of submitting the Constitution to the voters. That is a short ballot with a vengeance! There is no compromise about that.

JUDICIARY

There are so many changes in the Judiciary article, and they are of such far-reaching effect, that, in my judgment, it is impossible for the people to comprehend the importance of these changes in the very short time they have been given in which to consider them. Briefly, my objection to the article is that it puts the Judiciary more into the practical politics of the State than it has ever been before, while progress should be made in exactly the opposite direction. To give judges the power to appoint subordinate judges, in my judgment, is all wrong. To give them, as the new Constitution proposes, power without limit to appoint as many judges as they desire under the name of "Supreme Court Commissioners" is conferring on them a patronage that is bad in principle and sure to bring the court into politics. If the appointive principle is to be established in our Constitution, it would be much safer to leave it with the Governor than with the judges.

POWER OF THE GOVERNOR AND BUDGET

In the matter of giving the Governor more and broader power, I believe there are mistakes of such a serious character that the proposal in this respect will prove more harmful than beneficial. I believe thoroughly in a proper budget system, but under our plan of electing a Governor for two years, granted that there is a change every two years, we would get an independent responsible budget system but every other year. For, if the Governor were to be elected this year and take office on the 1st of January, the budget for him would be made up by the department heads that were going out with the outgoing Governor. The next year the new Governor and his department heads could make up their own budget, but the following year he in turn would make up the budget for the next incoming Governor. This certainly provides a beautiful opportunity for outgoing Governors of different political parties to play politics with the efficiency of the State departments at the expense of incoming Governors, and vice versa.

No large business concern could obtain anything like reasonable efficiency under this method of doing business, and, in my judgment, no State with such vast administrative interests as ours can do so either.

The plan by which the Governor makes up his budget and sends it in is not by any means free from legislative influence, because the Legislature has the right after it passes on the Governor's recommendations to initiate its own bills and pass them for submission to the Governor. This opens up a vast field of dicker and trade between the Legislature and the Governor, and between the "invisible government" and both. In this connection, the restoration to the Governor of the power to appoint members of the Legislature to any office within his gift is vicious to the last degree and thoroughly reactionary. The Governor of this State had this power one hundred years ago, and it was taken away by the Constitution in 1821 because of its great abuse. In the discussion on this subject in the convention of 1821 that adopted the section which is now sought to be repealed, Mr. Williams, a delegate, said:

"On the examination of the subject, it will be found that nineteen out of twenty of these offices have been filled out of the Legislature from year to year. It has been continued until the people have expressed their disapprobation from one part of the State to the other, and although they have selected in many instances fit and suitable candidates for office, yet, inasmuch as they were taken from the Legislature, they have been considered improper selections. An idea is entertained that the Legislature has been rendered subservient to the appointment power for the promotion of political views and the advancement of individuals in that body."

Another delegate, Mr. Bacon, said:

"When we see, as we have done at no remote period, more than one-third of the Legislative body returning home with their commissions in their pockets, the people will inevitably draw from it some unkind inferences."

(Mr. Bacon was evidently a very polite gentleman.)

POWER TO APPOINT MEMBERS OF LEGISLATURE TO OFFICE.

In this connection, it is extremely important to note that the proposed Constitution not only restores to the Governor the power to appoint members of the Legislature to office, but there is in the proposed new Constitution nothing whatever to prevent an Assemblyman or a Senator being appointed by the Governor as head of one of the State Departments and still remaining a member of the Legislature, sitting in that body which will adopt a budget for his own department. I consider giving the Governor such power as this tantamount to manufacturing a new and valuable currency with which the Governor can buy members of the Legislature for any purpose he desires. On the one hand it legalizes bribery by the Governor; on the other hand it enables influential members of the Legislature to browbeat the Governor into appointing them

to important offices in order to put through his measures; on all hands it

REINFORCES "INVISIBLE GOVERNMENT" IN THE MOST SINISTER POSSIBLE FORM.

This provision is so vicious that if it were submitted to the people by itself it would not have the ghost of a show being adopted, and the attempt is clearly being made to force its adoption by coupling it up with other measures that claim respectability.

Can the voters of the State afford to pay such a price as this, even to obtain the advantages which the advocates of the new Constitution claim for it?

STATE PRINTING

The Constitution provides that everything said in all the debates of the Legislature shall hereafter be printed each day in pamphlet form similar to the Congressional Record at Washington. This will cost many thousands of dollars a year. On its face, it looks like an innocent provision. Some people might think it a good thing; it has to be considered, however, in connection with its relation to other things, and one of these things is that the practice of the State Board of Printing has been to confine State printing to Albany County printing firms. The legislative investigation of two or three years ago and the Roosevelt-Barnes libel suit clearly showed that the State printing is so conducted as to be a valuable perquisite for the Albany bi-partisan printing ring. The scandals already developed in connection with State printing have long cried out for the establishment of a State Printing Department, and under such conditions to multiply the amount of State printing without the establishment of a State Printing Department would seem to be a grave mistake.

If this question of printing the daily speeches of members of the Legislature had been submitted as a separate question to voters, does anyone think they would adopt it?

STATE DEPARTMENTS

The idea of consolidating a great number of departments into a few large departments I thoroughly believe in, but the manner in which it has been done is open to grave criticism. This is a matter of such vast and far-reaching importance that before adoption it should be studied by a committee of experts and recommended to the people as a carefully thought out, practical and efficient scheme of administering the State's affairs. The plan, as submitted, is intended to be made copper-fastened for twenty years. The proposed Constitution specifically takes away from the Legislature the power to create a single other department, for it specifically says: "No new department shall be created hereafter. Any bureau, board, commission or office hereafter created shall be placed in one of the departments enumerated in this article."

ABOLISHES MARKET DEPARTMENT.

Therefore in the matter of a Department of Markets the proposed Constitution not only abolishes the recently created Department of Markets, but prohibits the Legislature from creating a new one. As a Department of Markets is not created as one of the seventeen departments or even indirectly referred to, the only possible way in the future to have anything that would resemble a Department of Markets would be to have it created as a bureau of one of the seventeen existing departments. This means that it would be a very subordinate affair,—in the hands of an assistant without direct responsibility, publicity or control, without any opportunity to obtain recognition for his work in behalf of the people if it were good, or criticism from the people if it were poor.

THE PRECISE POSITION IN WHICH MANY DEALERS IN FOODSTUFFS DESIRE TO HAVE THE MARKETS PLACED.

It so happens that last year Mayor Mitchell appointed a Committee on Food Supply for New York City, of which committee I have been chairman. A great deal of study has been given to the question of food supply and markets by this committee, and it was found that the high cost of food supplies in New York City does not arise from lack of supply in the country, for, as most farmers up the State know, vast quantities of produce are raised by them every year for which they are not able to find a market at a sufficiently high price to pay for gathering.

THE HIGH PRICE OF FOODSTUFFS TO THE PEOPLE OF OUR CITY IS AN INCREASINGLY SERIOUS PROBLEM.

It is largely occasioned because the supplies are controlled directly or indirectly by traders in New York who bring them into the city and distribute them. In running this matter down last Winter and in urging a market commission that would have a central head and be responsible to the public, a commission that could attempt to equalize the small prices obtained by the farmer up State and the high prices paid by the consumer in the city,

THE PROPOSITION WAS MADE TO ME,

as Chairman of the Food Supply Committee, that if we would give up the idea of a Market Department with a centralized and responsible head the market people would favor a sub-department under one of the present existing departments of government in the City of New York in charge of a Bureau Chief or an assistant.

The proposition was rejected, of course, as it would have played right into the hands of the very men who made the suggestion, and directly against the interests of the farmers of the State and the consumers of the cities.

These men want an obscure department, in charge of a small calibre man, with small power and away from the limelight, with whom they can deal; they are unalterably opposed to a man of sufficient calibre and occupying a position with sufficient power and publicity to enable him to serve the public as he should.

Knowing this situation as intimately as I do from personal contact, I am amazed and disturbed to see that the proposed Constitution fits right into the scheme of these very men as they outlined it to me.

THE PROPOSED CONSTITUTION TAKES AWAY FROM THE LEGISLATURE THE POWER EVER TO CREATE A GREAT, ALL-POWERFUL DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS

that could be of inestimable value to producer and consumer alike; all that the Legislature could do would be to place our

great marketing problem in the hands of a subordinate of some other department.

The proposed Constitution is careful to perpetuate the Public Service Commission, created to regulate the transportation affairs of the people; yet only about 10 per cent. of the average man's income goes for transportation. The proposed Constitution not only abolishes what we now have in the way of a State Market Department, but actually prohibits the establishment of such a department in the future; yet about 40 per cent. of the average man's income goes for food.

HIGH COST OF LIVING.

Perhaps the most burning question of the day, particularly in this great City of New York, is the high cost of living. We will never get anywhere in the solution of it until we have a Market Department in this State that is recognized as such and that is given the dignity of a department with all the power necessary to serve the producers on our farms and the consumers in our cities. In view of my experience in this matter, I regard the omission to create a Department of Markets and the provision prohibiting the Legislature from hereafter creating one as so detrimental to the people of the State that I would vote against the adoption of the Constitution for this if for no other reason.

CONSERVATION.

I regard the entire scheme of conservation as outlined in the proposed Constitution as pernicious and thoroughly objectionable. We have until recently had a three-headed commission, and, in my judgment, one of the very best things Governor Whitman has done and for which he deserves great credit is the establishment of the Conservation Department in the hands of one Commissioner and the securing of Mr. Pratt, of Brooklyn, as the Commissioner. Here we have centralized power, responsibility and a business man who is willing to perform public service,—precisely the programme of administration which all the advocates of the proposed Constitution claim is the objective of the entire Constitutional scheme; yet in this matter of conservation, exactly the opposite course has been taken. A commission of nine men is to be set up, selected by the Governor, one from each of the nine Judicial districts of the State. They are to receive no compensation, but are to employ a superintendent on a salary to conduct the affairs of the department. These nine men, living as they will in nine different parts of the State, will have very slight opportunity to get together often enough or for sufficiently long periods at a time to understand the vast problem of conservation in this State. The result will be, as it always has been in such cases, that the hired man will actually do the work. Who will know who this man is? He will have no pride of place, no responsibility to the people, and will be far removed from them. Does anyone suppose, for instance, that a man like Mr. Pratt would accept the position of superintendent? If the Commission does anything to which the people object, which one of the nine is going to be responsible?

In short, in place of centralizing power and placing it where the people can put their finger on it, the new Constitution broadly scatters it and places such executive power as there is in the hands of a superintendent.

One provision prohibits the Commission from selling any wood that it may cut in its forestry work. I happen to be fairly familiar with forestry work and know that much of the wood that is properly cut has a marketable value. If this nine-headed Commission can be so greatly trusted, as we are told it can be, why not give it the power to sell any wood that can properly be sold and turn the money into the State Treasury? Under the present provision they are prevented from selling it, but they are not prevented from giving it away. If they are dishonest and therefore should not be entrusted with the power to sell, why should they be entrusted with the power to give it away?

CURTAINS FISH SUPPLY.

Among the other serious objections to the Conservation programme is the exception of "migratory fish of the sea" from the jurisdiction of the Commission. This of course means to a large extent the sea fish in and about the waters of the City of New York. This again brings up my own experience of the past year on the Mayor's Food Supply Committee, where it was found that the lack of supervision and control of this industry causes great destruction of perfectly good sea food and to a considerable extent accounts for the high price of such sea food as we get. To deny to the Conservation Commission this extremely important function is, in my judgment, not only a great mistake, but an insurmountable impediment to any reforms necessary to provide New York City with a suitable supply of sea food at proper prices.

The exception was avowedly placed in the proposed article at the instance of the Long Island fish interests, for Mr. Pelletreau, a delegate from Suffolk County, said during the debate on a motion to strike out the exception:

"This is a matter of grave importance to the people of my locality. Aside from viewing it in a broad and State sense, viewing it from my own personal comfort, if I down in my county, Suffolk, it is learned that the salt water fisheries had been by constitutional provision placed under the Conservation Department, why, I will have the entire salt water fish industry after me with a sharp stick. I won't dare to go home."

There are various defects in the proposed Constitution. I doubt if a layman could find them all, for there is so much vagueness about so many provisions, and one is put to the necessity not only of studying the new Constitution, but the old Constitution, the laws of the State and the practices of the Legislature in order to reach anything resembling an intelligent understanding of the matter. In my judgment the reasons stated above are ample to convince any thoughtful voter that it is his duty to vote against the adoption of the Constitution as submitted.

If this proposed Constitution is rejected, then automatically under the old Constitution a new Convention may be elected to assemble in 1917. Broadly speaking, if the proposed revision fails of adoption the time and money spent on it will not have been in vain, for it has aroused a State-wide discussion that has been of great educational value, and we will approach the whole subject another year better equipped to deal with the great problem of really representative and efficient government which is facing us for solution. In view of the discussion since the Constitutional Convention adjourned another Convention at least would not dare to submit a Constitution in block. Public opinion would compel its submission article by article.

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New York Senator Will Vote For
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NOT A NATIONAL PROBLEM

Says New Organic Law Is a Parti-
san Instrument, Undemo-
cratic and Autocratic.

United States Senator James A. O'Gorman yesterday declared against the proposed Constitution and in favor of woman suffrage. He said he opposed the Constitution because of its denial of fair representation to the voters of New York City, and he compared the complaint of the metropolis to that of the women in their plea for the right of equality of citizenship.

The Senator also attacked the proposed Constitution as a partisan measure and a document framed in denial of the principles of democratic government, calling it an experiment in despotism. He said: "I am opposed to the proposed Constitution and hope to see it defeated. I shall vote against it chiefly because of the injustice it inflicts upon New York City in denying it fair and equal representation in the State Legislature. A large part of our citizens are practically disfranchised and this utterly indefensible discrimination should not be tolerated by a people who believe in the equality of citizenship."

"We hear much of excessive taxation these days, but most of it is due to mandatory laws enacted by the Legislature at Albany, where New York City is unable to make an effective protest. It is said that the Constitution makes ample provision for home rule, but the very charter that the citizens of New York City may adopt can be rejected by the Legislature, which will be dominated by members who have no immediate concern with the city, are ignorant of its needs and conditions and bear none of its burdens."

"Partisan," Senator Cries.

"The proposed Constitution is a partisan instrument. Notwithstanding the former protestations of non-partisanship, appeals are now being made openly to the passion and prejudice of partisanship to save it from the repudiation that awaits it next Tuesday. In such a situation all citizens who place the public welfare above partisanship should unite in securing its defeat. It is not enough to say that the Constitution contains some good provisions. All of its provisions should be good. The people of a great State should not be asked to adopt a Constitution that is confessedly bad in spots. We should not be required to balance its virtues against its vices. A Constitution freed from partisan impulses would have imposed no such difficulty upon the electorate."

Moreover, the entire revision betrays a want of confidence in the principle of representative government as heretofore applied in the State and in the Nation. It is undemocratic. It is autocratic. The executive and the legislative branches of the government are no longer to be independent of each other. The Legislature is to become dependent. Its powers are to be transferred to the Executive. It is clear that the legislative branch of our State Government has incurred the distrust of those whose influence in the convention was potential.

A despotism if benevolent may have its advantages, but it is a mistake to experiment with such a system in this country. The people will have none of it. They have made great progress un-

der our present form of government, and their advance will not be checked if they reject the new system which offers so little for commendation and so much for condemnation. I shall not repeat in detail the objections which have been presented to the public so frequently.

Apportionment Gravest Fault.

"To me its gravest fault is in the plan of apportionment. I shall never plan to support a Constitution whose framers deliberately provide for the disfranchisement of citizens of the State. That strikes at the very root of free government, and I believe that a great majority of the fair-minded and patriotic citizens of the State, without partisan feeling, will condemn at the polls the work of a convention that for political reasons lends itself to the subversion of the fundamental principles of representative government."

Smarting under the sense of injustice inflicted by the Constitutional Convention in the disfranchisement of citizens in this city, my sympathies go out to the women of the State who are justifying the denial of equality of citizenship upon which our fundamental structure rests, and without which representative government cannot endure. "While adhering to my views, previously expressed, that woman suffrage is not a national problem, that it is a question that each State must settle for itself, I shall vote for the woman suffrage amendment."

SEABURY FEARS THE SOURCE.

Judge Says Corporation Lawyers
Made Constitution.

Rabbi Stephen S. Wise wrote to Justice Samuel Seabury of the Court of Appeals for his opinion of the proposed Constitution. In his reply the Judge said that he regarded the Constitution as detrimental to the rights of the citizens of the State. He described the judiciary article as the "work of a little coterie of corporation lawyers."

The source from which this proposed Constitution emanates does not inspire confidence," said Judge Seabury. "While this does not justify one in voting against it if the Constitution itself was meritorious, it overcomes any presumption that might otherwise be indulged in its favor. The convention was controlled by a small coterie of corporation lawyers from both the great political parties. They did their work under the leadership of Elihu Root. The ability of the gentlemen who controlled its action is unquestioned, but personally I feel that they represent reaction rather than progress."

Rabbi Wise yesterday issued a statement on the Constitution in which he said: "We protest against this stealing of the Commonwealth. It is infinitely more important than the stealing of a little money from the Treasury. It must be prevented, just as the theft of the money would be."

"The new Constitution is undemocratic. Mr. Root doesn't know what democracy is. If he does, he is afraid of it. Why does he make such slow and halting progress in the last generation in American cities? Because the people rightly distrust the men who profess to stand in the foreground of the so-called battle for good government."

PRAISES JUDICIARY ARTICLE.

Job E. Hedges Says It Is a Direct
Answer to Critics.

Job E. Hedges yesterday told why he will vote for the proposed Constitution next Tuesday.

"The most direct answer that the proposed Constitution makes to previous criticisms of State affairs is the judiciary article," he said. "For the first time in many years it will be possible for the average citizen, learned or unlearned, rich or poor, to define just where he stands in the enforcement of a right. The reason for this will be that

court procedure will be practically entirely in the hands of the courts and the Legislature must keep its hands off for five years at least."

Argument for the budget has been made so frequently and so clearly and has had so little objection made to it as a specific article that nothing more need be said in its favor except that it will save enough in the avoidance of unnecessary interest charges to pay probably a third of the administrative expenses of the State. In other words, it will save enough to more than meet the direct tax provided by the last Legislature.

Extra provision for printing the records of the Legislature will go far toward restoring the vocal cords of many of the members of the Legislature and prevent the exposure to their constituents of mental conditions that were not made apparent at the time of election. "The concentrating of authority in the hands of the Governor will prevent an executive from trying to make a burnt offering of others to excuse his own incompetency and to cover up his own mental and moral lack of stamina. Much of the opposition to the proposed Constitution comes from men who have not read it and from men who have voted for most of its provisions."

The proposition of the short ballot has been advocated by both parties. That proposition is now opposed by the Democrats who voted for it. There is no reason why the Governor should be elected by the people, while the Legislature is elected by the people, without destroying the efficiency of that party as a militant organization. The Constitution can do, or the Legislature can do, or the Governor can do, or the people can do, or the man without morals, give an ounce of grace to the man with morals and mentally and trust to the grinding effect of human experience to turn out desirable officials."

REPUBLICANS FEAR TAMMANY.

See Plan to Defeat Constitution and
Hold New Convention.

The Republican State Committee issued a statement last night explaining just why Tammany wants the proposed Constitution defeated. If it is defeated this year, Tammany expects of the people to vote next year on the proposition of holding another convention in 1917, the statement says.

First—In order to force personal registration upon the rural voters, as she tried to do in 1913, when she controlled the Legislature and passed an act for that purpose which the courts held unconstitutional. The present revised Constitution continues the protection of the rural voter against personal registration. She wishes to change it.

Second—In order to apportion the State according to population instead of citizenship, New York City contains hundreds of thousands of aliens, who are not naturalized. Tammany's representatives in the convention last summer urged that the present apportionment be based on population. This would go far toward giving New York City control of the Legislature. The convention last summer defeated her effort. That is another reason why she wants another change.

Third—In order to establish Assembly districts without regard to county lines. Her representatives urged this last summer in the convention. They were defeated. Her opponents clamored for it last Friday. If she succeeds, she will break down county lines throughout the State and New York City would soon absolutely dominate the Assembly.

Fourth—In order to wipe out the present provisions of the Constitution, which provide that New York, Bronx, and Kings Counties shall not elect more than half the members of the Legislature. She tried for this last summer. She was beaten. She clamors for it now. She will vote up-State with the Senate to be controlled by these counties? If so, the surest way to accomplish it is to defeat the Constitution which protects them against it.

The statement adds that the Republican State Committee believes that the up-State voters, without regard to party, are strongly opposed to having Questions 1 and 2 struck out of the Constitution.

"The voter," the statement adds, "should vote 'Yes' on these two questions in any event. To vote 'No' on these questions is to vote against the Constitution, and thus imperil all the provisions which protect this State from complete Tammany domination."

TROOPS DUE TODAY ON ARIZONA BORDER

Funston Told to Use All the
Forces He Needs to Protect
American Territory.

VILLA PROTEST REPORTED

Passage of Carranza Troops Through
the United States Its Subject—
Douglas Awaits Mexican Battle.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—The Seventh and Twentieth Infantry from El Paso and Batteries C and D of the Sixth Field Artillery from Nogales should arrive at Douglas, Ariz., tomorrow morning. A squadron of the Tenth Cavalry from Fort Huachuca has been ordered to Naco for the purpose of watching the western flank of Douglas to prevent any passage over on this side of the line.

Major General Frederick Funston, commanding the American Army forces on the border, has carte blanche to distribute troops along the border, and Secretary Garrison will send any additional troops he may require. The fact is made no more troops will be sent to the border. The position of Secretary Garrison is that General Funston is the best advised official of the Federal Government as to the requirements there and that no additional troops should be sent unless they are absolutely necessary. He understands that he will be supplied with all the forces he needs.

The charge against the fifty-one names in the summonses is a violation of Section 108 of the election laws of Arizona which require that those who are to be registered in the election must be citizens of the United States and must have been born in the United States or have been naturalized. The law also requires that they be residents of the county in which they are to be registered. The law also requires that they be residents of the county in which they are to be registered.

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The list of entries received for the combination Eastern tryouts and James E. Sullivan Memorial amateur boxing tournament is as follows: The first night in the gymnasiums of the New York Athletic Club and Crescent Athletic Club, is the best ever announced for an amateur tournament in the city. The list includes international, national, State, and association champions, and lots of action is promised in every bout. The preliminary bouts of the 106-pound, 125-pound, 141-pound, and either the heavyweight or 175-pound class will take place tonight at the New York Athletic Club.

Cornell to Run at Harvard.
HARVARD MAY BE CALLED TO RUN THE RACE AGAINST CORNELL IN THE FOOTBALL GAME.

cross-country team, composed of ten men, left today for Cambridge, where on Saturday they will run Harvard over the Belmont course. The Cornell harders are led by Captain Dave Potter, and the team is composed of Varsity veterans. Several thousand students last night officially cheered Cornell's Varsity crew victory on the Hudson last June. A tribute was paid to Coach Courtney, although he was unable to be present.



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After Beating R. W. Lewis in Tie Playoff.

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ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Oct. 28.—After a player of a tie Maxwell R. Marston of Baltusrol, New Jersey's golf champion, won the medal in the eighteen-hole qualifying round of the open tournament on the links of the Country Club of Atlantic City, today. There would not have been need for a playoff had Marston won by a margin of a putt on the home green. The Jersey title holder and Reginald M. Lewis of Wykagil finished on even terms, with 75 each. Later on Marston won, 77 to 80 for his opponent.

It was the best turnout this club has known in years, both as to quality and number of players, and for once weather conditions were ideal. Contestants qualified in five sixteens, but with few exceptions the favorites finished in the main division. Next to the leaders came Maurice Risley, a local star, with 78, closely followed by M. R. Lewis, a Princeton leader, with 79. Hugh W. Long, the Philadelphia champion, got a 78, while Pierre A. Proal of Deal made the circuit in 81. James C. Parrish, Jr., the Shinnecock golfer, who won here in the Spring, had to be content with an 83, because of playing a couple of holes badly. This was a stroke better than the effort of Harold A. Steiner, the former Inwood champion.

When Lewis worked in consecutive two at the seventh and eighth holes in the playoff it made Marston's success doubtful. Lewis reached the turn in 87 to 89 for the Baltusrol man. Coming back, however, Lewis grew wild off the tee, and a number of his approach shots left him too much to do. Going to the home hole he was only a stroke better than the effort of Harold A. Steiner, the former Inwood champion.

The following delegates were present: Stuyvesant, Wainwright, American Y. C., W. A. Walters, City Island Y. C., H. Schellberg and Harry Stephenson, Knickerbocker Y. C., F. J. Jones and Richard C. P. Granberry and G. C. Malloy, New Rochelle Y. C., H. C. Perrin, Larchmont Y. C., and Richard A. Monks, Indian Harbor Y. C.

LAKEWOOD GOLF RECORD.

Mrs. Ronald H. Barlow Plays the Course in 86 Strokes.

Establishing a woman's record for the links of the Country Club of Lake, Mrs. Ronald H. Barlow of the Merion Cricket Club won the medal in the qualifying round of the invitation golf tournament for women at Lakewood, with a score of 86. The best previous competitive mark was the 88 made a year ago by Mrs. H. Reeve Strickland of Philadelphia.

Mrs. Barlow's fine score was brought about through a remarkable inward journey. She played the last nine holes in 39 strokes and on only two holes did she need more than par figures. These were on the thirteenth and the sixteenth. On the tenth she took an extra putt and had to be content with four on the hole. On the sixteenth her approach overran the green into a sand trap and she needed six for a hole. Mrs. Barlow is a rather short driver and the Lakewood traps are not easy to get out of. She was out of the hole on the thirteenth and the sixteenth and had to be content with 47. She was bunched on several holes and it was almost impossible for her to miss a putt and she went along steadily enough.

Mrs. Barlow practically outclassed the field, for the only other score less than a hundred was the 107 of Mrs. Irving. Mrs. Potts vs. Mrs. Lawrence, Miss Randall vs. Miss G. Pickard, and Mrs. Barlow vs. Mrs. Stockton. The scores:
First Eight—Mrs. Ronald H. Barlow, Merion Cricket Club, 86; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 87; Mrs. J. S. Irving, Scarsdale, 100; Mrs. C. F. Fraser, Balduin, 101; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 102; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 103; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 104; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 105; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 106; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 107; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 108; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 109; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 110; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 111; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 112; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 113; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 114; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 115; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 116; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 117; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 118; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 119; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 120; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 121; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 122; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 123; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 124; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 125; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 126; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 127; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 128; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 129; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 130; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 131; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 132; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 133; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 134; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 135; Mrs. W. W. Barlow, 136; Mrs. W. 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dividend, payable November 10,
PAUL F. LEE, Secretary.

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At a meeting of the Board of Directors of this bank, held to-day, a semi-annual dividend of five per cent. on the paid-up capital stock was declared, payable November 1, 1915, to the stockholders of record at the close of business October 28, 1915.

ARTHUR P. LEE, Cashier.

THE AMERICAN GAS COMPANY.

New York, October 28, 1915.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 6, 1915.

A quarterly dividend of one per cent. (share) has been declared on the capital stock of this company, payable Dec. 1, 1915. The stockholders of record at the close of October P. M. November 17, 1915, please call on the stock exchange and receive their dividend by mail.

J. D. TOWNSEND, Treasurer.

LUDLOW MANUFACTURING ASSOCIATION.

New York, October 28, 1915.

111 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

Dividend No. 68.

A quarterly dividend of one per cent. has been declared, payable on November 1, 1915, to the shareholders of record at the close of business October 28, 1915.

MALCOLM B. STONE, Treasurer.

J. G. WHITE & COMPANY, INC.

48 Exchange Street, New York.

A quarterly dividend of one-half per cent. (1/2%) has been declared, payable on November 1, 1915, to the stockholders of record at the close of business October 28, 1915.

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DIVIDENDS.

Bankers Disability Corporation,
115 Broadway, N. Y.
October 27, 1915.
A dividend of four per cent. 1915 on the common stock of Bankers Disability Corporation has been declared, payable November 30, 1915.
PAUL F. LEE, Secretary.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT have this day admitted Mr. WILLIAM C. BAILLY to partnership in our New firm.
JOHN SWANSON & C.

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close of business October 28, 1915.

HAROLD C. WHITMAN, Treasurer.

The American Exchange National Bank.

New York, October 28, 1915.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of this bank, held to-day, a semi-annual dividend of FIVE PER CENT on the paid-up capital stock was declared, payable November 1, 1915, to the stockholders of record as of October 1, 1915, proximo, to wit: the close of business on October 28, 1915.

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F. B. TOWNSEND, Treasurer.

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Special to The New York Times.
TRENTON, N. J., Oct. 28.—A boy
born in Washington, N. J. 2½ years

ago this month may prove to be the wait-just adopted by the former Helen Gould and her husband, Finley J. Shepard.

Such is the belief of Police Chief John J. Cleary communicated today to Hampton G. Silcox, a detective employed by the Shepards in their country-wide search for the parents of the youngster.

Trenton was one of the cities in which the investigation was made, Chief Cleary detailing Detective Sergeant John Hehen to the case. After running down many

Special to The New York Times.
TARRYTOWN, N. Y., Oct. 22.—Son—

ny" Shepard has returned to Lyndhurst and in all probability he will assist Mrs. Shepard in receiving Saturday afternoon when she gives a reception to the mothers of the children in the school. The school will mark the end of the school year when children will graduate and diplomas will be awarded. There are 600 children in the school, and nearly 300 mothers are expected to attend. It was said today that when the school closes the children will be sent to the Irvington public school. Mr. Shepard is a member of the Board of Education and it is probable the boys

will start there next year.

CORONER SEIZES DAUGHTER.

Wife, from Whom He is Separated,
Has Another Woman Arrested.

Coroner William Schlemm of Hudson County, who lives at 426 Spring Street, West Hoboken, N. J., has been separated from his wife, whom he is suing for divorce, for the last four months. She has been living at 472 Park Ave.

nu, Weehawken, and with her three seven-year-old daughter, Dorothy. The child was playing on the sidewalk late yesterday afternoon when her father came along in an automobile, swept her into the car and drove off. Mrs. Schlemm saw the departure of her daughter from a window, rushed screaming into the street and caused the arrest of Mrs. Marie Farrell of 519 Blum Place, Union Hill, who was hurried along to the station.

Mrs. Schlemm said she was sure Mr. Farrell had assisted in the kidnapping of her child.

Mrs. Farrell said she hadn't and gave a \$100 bail for examination today in the

recorder's Court.

WOMAN DIES IN PRISON.

Daughters Arrive Too Late to See
Mrs. Skalla Alive.

TRENTON, N. J., Oct. 28.—Mrs. Sophia Skalla, 46 years old, of Washington, N. J., sentenced on Nov. 17, 1914, to serve from two to seven years for arson, died in the prison hospital today. She had been in poor health

Mrs. Skalla was convicted of burning a pavilion in a pleasure park she owned at Washington. Mrs. Skalla's husband, Frank, and their son, Frank, arrived here a half hour before her death. An hour later her daughters, Mrs. Norman Shweekrote, of Easton, Penn., and the Misses Emma, Marie, and Madeline Skalla, the youngest a child 8 years old, arrived at the prison.

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PEKING, Oct. 29.—The Chinese censor here is under instructions to stop all telegrams regarding the monarchical agitation. He refused to transmit the full text of a dispatch from the Japanese Chargé d'Affaires, M. Obata, regarding the land lines to the Yangtze region.

TOKIO, Oct. 29.—Official announcement was made by the Foreign Office today that Japan has requested China to establish a monarchical form of government. The Foreign Office statement said that Japan has requested China to establish a monarchical form of government. The Foreign Office statement said that Japan has requested China to establish a monarchical form of government.

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TALK OF CONSCRIPTION STIRS AUSTRALIANS Deputation Visits Prime Minister and Is Assured It Will Not Be Undertaken.

MELBOURNE, Sept. 29.—The conscription propaganda suffered a setback a few days ago when the Prime Minister, Andrew Fisher, told a deputation from the Trades Hall Council that it would not be introduced in Australia until the people had expressed their opinion on the subject. The deputation, which was headed by Mr. Fisher, visited the Prime Minister and was assured that conscription would not be undertaken.

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"JOHNNY" POE KILLED FIGHTING IN FRANCE Famous Princeton Football Player Died in British Advance on Sept. 25.

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
BALTIMORE, Oct. 29.—John Preston Poe, Jr., soldier, adventurer, and once famous as a football player at Princeton, where he was popularly known as "Johnny" Poe, was killed on Sept. 25, while fighting as a private in the British Army in France. The Black Watch Regiment, of which he was a member, was practically annihilated during the fighting. Poe was killed in action on Sept. 25, while fighting as a private in the British Army in France.

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JAPAN NOT TO MAKE A SEPARATE PEACE Authorizes Ambassador at London to So Notify the Other Allies.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—Japan has become a party to the agreement not to conclude a separate peace. The Japanese Government has authorized its ambassador at London to notify the other Allies of this decision. The Japanese Government has authorized its ambassador at London to notify the other Allies of this decision.

HEAR ECLIPSE WAS SUNK. Virginia Girls Bring Rumor of Fate of Escaped Germans.

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
ROANOKE, Va., Oct. 29.—If information given from Roanoke girls who were passengers aboard the liner Bermudian was correct, the ship was sunk on Oct. 29, and the Germans who were aboard were killed. The girls brought the news that the ship was sunk and that the Germans were killed.

FOR PROPERTY REPAIRS. Daily Mail Says England Holds £625,000,000 of Foe's Wealth.

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ITALIANS ATTACK IN RENEWED FORCE Vienna Reports Violent Assaults on Austrian Lines, But Says All Were Repulsed.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—New and violent attacks are being made by Italy's forces on the Austrian front, especially on the east before Gorizia. The Austrian official bulletin says that the Italian attacks were repulsed. The Italian attacks were repulsed, and the Austrian lines were held.

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BRITISH CASUALTIES NOW OVER 550,000 Were 111,311 from Aug. 21 to Oct. 9; 74,297 in October.

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FOR WAR COUNCIL OF THREE. London Paper Suggests They May Be Asquith, Balfour, Kitchener.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
LONDON, Saturday, Oct. 30.—The Daily News's lobby correspondent says that the Cabinet meeting yesterday afternoon considered the make-up of the war council. The war council is being formed, and it is expected that it will be composed of three members.

TOY SALE TO AID WOUNDED. Wonderful Collection. Here the Work of French Soldiers.

Thousands of toys, all the work of wounded French soldiers, in the near future are to be placed on exhibition and offered for sale in this city. The exhibition, which will be held in the old Knickerbocker Club, Thirty-second Street and Fifth Avenue, will be under the auspices of the War Relief Committee.

KAISER'S MILLION A MYTH. Official German Denial That He Has a Bank of German Credit.

AMSTERDAM, Saturday, Oct. 30.—The North German Gazette, the official organ of the German Government, a copy of which has been received here, contains a denial of the report that Kaiser Wilhelm has a private credit of \$1,000,000 in the Bank of England. The report is denied, and it is stated that the Kaiser has no such credit.

BLOCKADE CLAIMS SHIPPED BY MILLIONS Value of American Goods at Rotterdam Less Than \$15,000,000 Instead of \$150,000,000. ONLY 500 INVOICES FILED Release Applications So Far Cover a Total of \$7,500,000 — Eng- land Refuses Extensions.

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AMERICAN AIRMEN DEFIANT. Loop the Loop Over Germans Guns as an Expression of Contempt.

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PARIS, Oct. 29.—American airmen with the French Army have discovered a new way to irritate the Germans and to express their contempt for German anti-aircraft gunners. When they come into range over the German lines they loop the loop, indicating a sense of mind and defiance.

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JULES IN EPAULETS WEARS A WAR MEDAL Onetime Proprietor of the Sans Souci Now a French Officer and Alive and Well.

One uncertainty that has prevailed in Times Square and among those who affect that locality when the lights are on may now be banished. Jules has been located. He is not dead, as word from the front has made it appear more than once since Jules rushed off soon after the breaking out of hostilities to fight for France. On the contrary, he wears the shoulder straps of a lieutenant and the Croix de Guerre, the French military medal which some have presumed to be the decoration of the Legion of Honor.

On the Upper Cordeve our forward march on the night of the 20th had progressed to the west of the steep hill of Sauras, which was conquered by the 18th and 19th divisions. More of the field forts with which the flanks of Colonel Di Lano are covered.

TO TEST AERIAL TORPEDOES. Maxim Timing Device to Be Tried Out by Ordnance Officers.

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GARRISON CONFERS WITH MILITIA CHIEFS Gen. O'Ryan and Others Discuss Efficiency Plans and the New Pay Bill.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—The relation of the National Guard organizations to the Garrison plan of army reorganization and development was considered in a conference today between Secretary Garrison and representatives of the organized militia of the country. The Secretary conferred mainly with members of the National Militia Board and members of the Executive Committee of the National Guard Association of the United States.

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In making this solemn appeal to the voters of the State of New York the undersigned Citizens' Committee is actuated by one single purpose. This purpose is to prevent the passage of the proposed fundamental law which in our opinion would be an assault on honest, effective government, a blow to democracy, and a calamity to the public.

1. We oppose the proposed Constitution on both general and particular grounds. We oppose it on the ground that the effect of the whole instrument is to reduce to the lowest possible terms the control of the people of the State over their own affairs, and to concentrate this control in the hands of the Executive without at the same time providing the checks and balances necessary to safeguard the public interest.

2. We are opposed to the proposed Constitution because the effect of its passage into law would be to intrench boss government more strongly than ever before. Boss government, not popular government, as the framers of the proposed Constitution would have us believe, has been the curse of the State. Today the only check the public has upon the boss is through independent legislators who refuse to do the boss's bidding. In order to control the State the boss must now control the whole Legislature, or a large part of it. But by exalting the Executive and weakening the Legislature, which with all its faults is the people's only responsible representative, the proposed Constitution brings about a situation where a boss, or a great corporate interest, need only control the Governor in order to dominate the Government of the State. If the Governor is a weak man he will be clay in the boss's hands. If he is a strong man he will be the boss himself.

3. We are opposed to the proposed Constitution because it promises home rule and gives little. It takes the function of assessing personal taxes from the hands of local boards and places it in an Albany commission appointed by the Governor. It gives the cities as little, and in some cases less, self-government than they have today.

4. We are opposed to the proposed Constitution because it plays into the hands of the corporate exploiters of our citizens. It gives Constitutional protection to unscrupulous public service corporations by providing for the permanence of the present Public Service Commissions, which have been notorious for their incompetence and neglect of the public interest.

5. We are opposed to the proposed Constitution because by placing control of the expenditure of the public moneys in the Governor's hands, without providing such appropriate safeguards as everywhere accompany the grant to the Executive of similar powers, the new Constitution defies the principles of modern scientific government and opens the way to the destruction of useful departments and public servants, as well as to the building up of a tyrannous and arrogant political machine.

6. We are opposed to the proposed Constitution because it repeals Section 7 of Article III. of the old Constitution, which wisely forbade the Governor to appoint sitting members of the Legislature to lucrative office. This offers to the Governor a means by which he can reward legislators who support his policies.

7. We are opposed to the proposed Constitution because it reverses the settled theory of American government by taking from the Legislature broad law-making powers and giving them to the Executive and by transferring the veto power from the Executive to the Legislature.

8. We are opposed to the proposed Constitution because the judiciary provisions would entail a huge additional expense upon the City of New York. The proposed Constitution confers upon the Appellate Division, up to now unusually free from politics, the power to appoint unlimited Supreme Court commissioners and to fix their salaries. The Governor appoints the Appellate Division, the Appellate Division appoints the commissioners, and the result would be the injection of partisan patronage into a hitherto clean situation.

9. We are opposed to the proposed Constitution because after a decade of effort the State approved, in 1913, an amendment authorizing condemnation proceedings before the Supreme Court without a jury, thus doing away with extravagance

and delay. The proposed Constitution, providing for condemnation proceedings before commissioners, will, in effect, negative this important reform.

10. We are opposed to the proposed Constitution because the conservation section provides for an unpaid commission of nine men appointed from each judicial district. This puts politics into conservation and exposes the natural resources of the State to the control of special interests while pretending to protect them. The larger part of the Adirondack and Catskill forests are left open to destruction because there is no provision for regulating cutting on private lands. Under the proposed conservation provision there is nothing to prevent the most valuable asset of the people outside of the forest preserve, namely, the undeveloped water power of the State, from being given away forever and for nothing.

11. We are opposed to the proposed Constitution because through its length and breadth it bears the impress of the minds of men whose interests are not now, and never have been, coincident with those of the public. The new Constitution is eloquent of contempt for the public's aspirations toward a more representative, responsive and righteous government.

12. We are opposed to the proposed Constitution because it is replete with a disregard for the rights and liberties of the wage-earner and the common citizen.

13. We are opposed to the proposed Constitution because it is obscurely drawn, uncertain in its meaning, and impossible for the lay citizen to vote upon with knowledge. Years would pass and immense sums of money would be expended before the meaning of the proposed Constitution could be established by the courts. Not even the delegates themselves can hazard more than a guess at the probable effect of some of its most important sections.

14. We are opposed to the proposed Constitution because it is submitted in such a manner that, with the exception of the articles on taxation and apportionment, the voter must cast his ballot for all of it as a whole or against all of it as a whole. As not one voter in a thousand will know what the major part of the Constitution contains, this provision will force him to vote blindly and, for all he knows, against his own interests.

15. We are opposed to the proposed Constitution because we believe that, on the whole, it is inferior to the present Constitution, for every substantial gain which it offers is offset by a still more substantial loss.

16. We are opposed to the proposed Constitution because the electorate of this State had a right to look forward to the submission of a brief, straightforward, intelligible instrument which would represent the will of the public and the purposes of democracy. Instead of that we are offered a huge, mysterious document, upholding privilege, deifying the Governor, debasing the Legislature, and substituting an alleged efficient system of bookkeeping for democracy.

17. We are opposed to the proposed Constitution because, if we reject it, we can either change the present Constitution through ordinary process of amendment or at the next general election vote for another Constitutional Convention. The adoption of new fundamental law is a solemn function of citizenship which should not be consummated without full consideration and adequate public knowledge. The questions which Chairman Root and the advocates of the proposed Constitution urge the public to answer in the affirmative after thirty days of confused controversy are so important, and many of them so complicated, that they should only be acted upon after months of public discussion.

We earnestly advise the voters of New York State to vote against the proposed Constitution on the above grounds.

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The following opinion of the budget section of the proposed Constitution is interesting, because it comes from a man who is probably America's highest authority on State Constitutions, and who is above all suspicion of partiality. From the start, Dr. Charles McCarthy, Chief of the Department of Legislative Reference of the University of Wisconsin, has followed the framing of the proposed fundamental law of New York State. He has also had his staff of experts work upon it. And the conclusions which he embodies in a letter to a member of the above committee are the result of careful and painstaking analysis.

Dr. McCarthy holds a unique position of authority on constitutional questions. He belongs to no political party. Yet, at national and State conventions of all parties Dr. McCarthy is welcomed as an adviser, and often invited to sit as an unofficial member of the resolutions committee. To his thorough knowledge and wide experience in the practical working of constitutional provisions is due much that is best in the State constitutions and national platforms of the United States.

My Dear Mr. Pinchot:

In answer to your inquiry as to my opinion of the budget section of the new Constitution, I beg to write you as follows:

This is not a budget. It is not a governmental budget; nor is it a business budget, either, such as the Pennsylvania Railroad has. A governmental budget must be subject to the will of the people before action can be taken on it. If the people disagree in England to a budget, the budget will be thrown out by the action of the legislature, and the body that proposed the budget will be subject to another election.

Thus this is not a budget. If an official of the Pennsylvania Railroad puts in a budget, he does so subject to the confirmation of the officers and directors of the road. If he tried to say to the officials of the road, "I have cut out these items—you cannot put them back for two years," how long would he stay there? He would be discharged at once, if his budget did not suit the majority of the officials. Thus this is not a business budget, either. It has no parallel in business.

In a real budget the master always controls. He may have his servant, the cabinet or executive make out the financial plan for him and submit it, but nevertheless he controls. But what do we say of a servant who can make out the plan of appropriation, cut out what he chooses, juggle as he pleases; and you cannot touch him for two years—until he has done all the damage that he sees fit, protected by the Constitution? Is such an executive a responsible executive? No! For he is not responsible to the master, the people. He is responsible only to himself for two years.

Such a device is unknown in any advanced constitutional government today. No country in the world, possessing liberal government, would tolerate such a thing. No reactionary in the House of Lords in England would dare propose such a thing. It is a sad comment on our political education, on our political wisdom, these so-called learned leaders of the bar, forgetting their respect for the fundamentals of representative government, forgetting democracy, forgetting the lessons and the struggles of our democratic government.

The liberties of a people are based fundamentally on the control of the purse. I care not what is in the rest of the Constitution. This budget section alone is enough to condemn it and put it in line with the worst State Constitutions that this country has ever been cursed with.

They say that public opinion can act upon the Governor. Public opinion can act, yes,—two years from now, after the horse is stolen from the barn; not before the horse is stolen. The man who steals the horse can go away and be gone for two years before public opinion can touch him. A hundred issues can come up in the meantime, so cleverly arranged, that the people can form no public opinion upon any one of them; so fixed that the people cannot say yes or no to the whole mass of them. This is what, by the way, is happening now, by the submission of this whole Constitution at once, containing so many varied items. At least, the Constitution should have been submitted so that separate votes could have been taken up on separate subjects. As this was not done, the only recourse for the voter is to defeat the whole thing upon this vicious budget section.

Under the new Constitution the shrewd Governor knows how to say to A: "You be good and I'll do this or that for you. You help me to fix B and keep him quiet." He can balance a printing contract here with public works there, or an insane asylum somewhere else; he can keep campaign pledges based upon large contributions by cutting the salaries or appropriations for vigilant and vigorous officials who may have offended powerful interests. He can absolutely wipe out civil service, and the Legislature cannot put it back. He can absolutely destroy any good administrative department, and the Legislature cannot touch it. If he does not want to destroy, he can cow, browbeat and threaten into submission any strong, independent official. The budget section in the proposed Constitution is the best device I have ever heard of for settling a private or political grudge; you can cut the man out, or cut his salary, as you may see fit, and the Legislature can do nothing about it, and the public can cry out as much as it wants to, but its hands are tied for two years.

Give Huerta two years of this kind of power, let him hold the purse-strings of the army as he pleases, let him destroy civil service, and cow his administration by control of office, and see if he will or will not fix himself in an impregnable position. Charles I. would have been delighted if, when John Hampden refused to pay his Tonnage and Poundage tax, he had had this beautiful device which has been discovered by so-called reformers in New York in the Twentieth Century.

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Moreover, the remedy for extravagance and log-rolling is already in the New York Constitution. Any Governor can make out his budget, submit it to the Legislature and say, "If you do not pass legislation providing for the budget I have submitted to you I'll go to the people on the issue and veto your budget bills." He can compel the submission of proper bills, if he is a right-minded and vigorous Executive. That is already in the Constitution of New York, and it does not need this extraordinary amendment of the budget clause. In order to have a budget, New York does not need an Executive budget bill.

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A serious split among the members of the Board of Estimate is expected to develop tonight when the Board meets to pass the budget. Under the law it must be passed before midnight of Oct. 31, and it is expected the session will continue well into Sunday morning. It will be one of the most important budget meetings held in years, owing to the Administration's plan to standardize salaries.

The majority of the members of the Board of Estimate are against salary reductions this year, and the Mayor's entire plan of standardization may be defeated. If the Mayor attempts to carry out the recommendations of the Bureau of Standards it is probable that he and Controller Frederick, with six votes, will stand alone. President George McAneny of the Board of Aldermen, and the five Borough Presidents, with the remaining ten votes, it is expected will vote against the plan unless it is materially altered.

By the strictest economy the Mayor hopes to keep the 1916 appropriations for city departments within the 1915 figure. Nearly \$1,000,000 must be added to the 1916 budget as the city's share of the direct State tax, however, so that the final budget will probably be around \$22,000,000. The Mayor hopes to save about \$1,000,000 in salary reductions and the abolition of jobs. Probably \$4,000,000 will be included in the budget to write off the books that amount in uncollected taxes. Substantial cuts have been made in the salary of the Mayor, the Mayor's personal apartments directly under the jurisdiction of the Mayor. The tax rate, which is probably 2.12, as against 1.37 this year.

The Board of Estimate continued its work on the budget yesterday. The first schedule taken up was that of the Board of Aldermen and the City Clerk, Mr. Scully, who is the clerk of the board. Clerk Scully's salary was reduced from \$8,000 to \$7,000, the salary of the assistant to the President of the board from \$5,000 to \$4,000, the Secretary to the President from \$3,000 to \$2,400, and the Sergeant-at-Arms from \$2,000 to \$1,600. The salaries of the eight Assistant Sergeants-at-Arms remain at \$1,200 each. It was recommended that the salary of Frank Martin, who has been ordinance clerk of the board for twenty years, be reduced from \$4,000 to \$3,000, but it was kept at the former figure. The total of the board's appropriation is \$2,000,000.

The budget of the Board of Education shows a departmental total of \$40,000,000, an increase of \$2,710,000 over last year. The general school fund, to be raised by a 3 mill tax, amounts to \$25,000,000. The Board of Education is to be raised by \$4,173,193, making a total of \$33,553,041. Last year the mill tax was reduced to \$2,458, and the additional amount allowed was \$7,430,229, a total of \$32,000,000.

The Board of Education was taken up at the afternoon session. Dr. Morgan O'Brien appeared for the public library and said that while the work had increased this year the appropriation had been reduced \$5,000 for the coming year.

"Of course," he said, "we know that this board is up against a cry of retrenchment, but this is a great public work and we must have the appropriation should be reduced."

The Mayor promised to take up the matter in executive session. Dr. Berg, representing the United Real Estate Owners' Association, appeared in opposition to the Board of Education schedules. He said the amount asked by the Board was properly had been reduced and he showed how it could be still further reduced without making the school children suffer. The Mayor said it had been thought proper to allow the Board of Education to reduce the salaries of its teaching force in its own way.

"If it was necessary to trim this year," said Dr. Berg, "the trimming should have been done on the facts and figures, and not on the children." Stewart Browne thought that pupils in the high schools should be made to pay for their tuition. President Churchill said that in spite of the reduction in immigration many children were coming to the country. The Shepards, he said, were not the ones who found children on the Cathedral steps.

"We, too, are shepherds," he said, "and we have to look out for the children." President Churchill read a letter from Superintendent Maxwell advocating an increase in appropriation for 1916. Mr. Churchill said he believed the Board of Education should be separated from a body that was running on a shoestring and how much money was to be raised to meet the expenses of the city.

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Rabbi Wise is as much opposed to the adoption of the Constitution as is Justice Seabury. Between the facts brought out in my letter to Mr. Root and the facts presented by Justice Seabury, can any voter longer doubt the wisdom of defeating the proposed Constitution next Tuesday?

GEO. W. PERKINS

New York, Oct. 30, 1915.

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51 Chambers Street,
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was for providing that persons charged with the commission of a felony punishable by imprisonment for not more than five years should be permitted to waive a jury trial and be tried by a single judge.

The reason assigned for this provision is that it would facilitate the administration of justice. It is a fair subject for inquiry whether it was not inserted so as to permit influential and powerful persons who might be charged with a crime to dispense with a jury trial and be tried by a single judge.

I do not pretend to know the real purpose that actuated those who inserted this provision in the proposed Constitution. I do know that it is an exceedingly dangerous provision and may seriously impair the efficacy of trial by jury. Trial by jury is a protection and safeguard not only to the rights of the accused, but also to the general public.

Bearing in mind some of the important criminal cases that have been tried in this State in the last few years where juries have convicted powerful and influential criminals, I appreciate that the result in these cases might have been different if the accused had been permitted to dispense with a jury trial and elect to have his case tried by a single judge. I regard this provision of the proposed Constitution as one of the most sinister and dangerous attacks that has ever been made upon the right of trial by jury.

More Justice, Not More Appeals, Needed.

The Judiciary Article in which the little coterie of corporation lawyers which dominated the Convention have shown such an acute and lively interest is inadequate to correct the evils of the present system. This subject has been approached from the wrong end. What is needed is to increase the power and dignity of the courts of first instance, and to see to it that decisions of the trial judges and verdicts of the juries, when in accord with justice, should be permitted to stand in a greater number of cases than at present.

The public interest demands that we should have fewer appeals and more justice in courts of original jurisdiction. There are some who desire less justice and more appeals.

By greatly increasing the number of judges assigned to the appellate courts the Trial and Special Terms of the Supreme Court will be weakened and the few additional judges of the Supreme Court provided for will not be enough to make up for the large number of judges to be assigned to the appellate court work. At present about one third of the judges of the State are engaged in reviewing the acts of the others. The proposed Constitution aggravates this evil. In substance it provides that the judiciary of the State shall be more top-heavy than it is at present.

A Mere Pretense.

The claim that the proposed Constitution establishes an efficient and responsible government is a mere pretense which is utterly unwarranted. Instead of devising a system of government where the responsibility is direct it has devised a complicated system under which responsibility is divided between the Governor, Legislature and numerous commissions. The action of these bodies must necessarily result in an irresponsible government which affords and invites ample opportunity for invisible interests to accomplish their purpose.

I concede that there are some improvements in the proposed Constitution that are not in the existing Constitution, but the advantages seem to me to be greatly outweighed by the disadvantages.

Defeat Will Help the People.

I have only attempted to specify a few reasons that have occurred to me in answer to your inquiry. There is, however, one great advantage that will accrue to the State by the defeat of the proposed Constitution. Under our existing Constitution the question whether there shall be a Constitutional Convention will be submitted to the people in 1916. If the proposed Constitution is defeated because of its reactionary character the next Constitutional Convention will be much more progressive. The delegates to that Convention will do their work with knowledge of the fact that this proposed Constitution now submitted to the people was defeated because it was reactionary.

I have already said that I shall vote in favor of the Woman Suffrage amendment. That amendment will be submitted to the people by virtue of the action of the Legislature and not by virtue of the action of the Constitutional Convention.

As I have long been a firm believer in the extension of the suffrage to women, I shall be glad to avail myself of the opportunity which will this year be presented of voting in favor of woman suffrage.

Not in Popular Accord.

The Constitutional Convention that has just adjourned was entirely out of touch with the present needs of our great State and out of sympathy with the liberal spirit that actuates the independent voter of to-day. In this respect it resembled the Constitutional Convention of 1867, whose work was overwhelmingly repudiated by the people.

Because I regard the dominating influence in the Constitutional Convention of 1915 and the proposed Constitution itself, which is the result of its labor, as unworthy of public confidence and support I shall vote against its adoption.

Sincerely yours,
(Signed) SAMUEL SEABURY.

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Aluminium Money, Promises to Cut Prison Appropriation, Says Warden Osborne.

ENDS WASTE OF RATIONS

Inmates Now Conserve Their Food and Tobacco and Put the Savings Out at Interest.

That the new system at Sing Sing, where each convict pays aluminium "money" for everything he receives at the prison, including even his board and lodging, would save the State at least \$1,000 a year, was the statement made yesterday by Warden Osborne to a Times reporter.

"You see," said Mr. Osborne, "the State allows each man a certain amount of tobacco each day. Under former conditions this was allowed to the men whether they used it or not, and they may be sure that all of them were present to receive it. Those who smoked used it, but those who did not either gave it away or threw it away."

"Now they have to pay a nominal sum in token money for it, and no man wastes his. The non-smokers do not buy it, for even the most generous man does not want to squander his money when the possession of it brings creature comforts to him that hath."

"There is still another way that the system makes for economy in prison administration. The State allowed each inmate groceries to supplement the ration. Formerly every man attempted to eat every meal, whether he had eaten his fill of the groceries or not, in the expectation that there would be a dish that he liked especially. And so a man's meal was often wasted. But at present when they must pay for everything they eat, those who are not hungry economize on food."

"An incident to show how self-government here may give a man an opportunity to make good outside happened the other day," continued the Warden. "A representative of a motor company on Long Island came up to deliver the automobile which his company had given to our automobile class. I wish I knew, by the way, there are more than 200 applicants."

"We took him to a session of the

Mutual Welfare League's court, where he heard the man argue their cases. One inmate made a stirring appeal in one case; and after he had finished, the automobile man told him that when his term ended he would try to get him a place as a salesman, where such oratory would not be wasted."

"I see the papers have taken up Issey Blum's work here. Issey was head of the knitting class, and you never saw a man more anxious to succeed in his work. He offered to stay awhile longer if we needed him, which is remarkable, considering that several years ago Issey escaped and had to be brought back by force. I was glad to have him come back, this time of his own accord. For it seems to me to be much better to have them feel that they can live here until they are settled and have a job than for them to be drifting around in their old haunts with nothing to do."

According to the Warden and every man employed about the prison there is little cause to criticize conditions there. The earnings of the industries at Sing Sing for the past year were \$1,000,000, a record that has never before in the history of the institution. In 1911, the previous banner year, the receipts totaled \$82,000, but this, \$1,000,000 came from the cart and wagon shop. In 1914 the cart and wagon shop had received from that industry this year. Nevertheless, the 1915 budget showed a surplus of \$2,000, a clear balance of \$11,000 in its favor.

The Warden declined to comment on the recent attack by Dr. Rudolph Dierling, the Saengerie member of the Prison Commission, who issued a statement recently that prices in the prison were being subverted by having unofficial Paul Frys do the steps of the Prison Commission, and that "conditions in the prisons of the State were growing worse instead of better."

FIRE HOLDS UP MUNITIONS.

Bunker Coal on the Harrovian of French Line Found Smouldering.

The British freighter Harrovian, which was to have sailed yesterday for Havre with 8,000 tons of war munitions under charter to the French Line, is still at her pier, foot of West Forty-fourth Street, on account of fire smouldering in her bunkers. According to Captain Jones, the difficulty in putting out the fire lies in the fact that it started at the bottom of the side bunker and the longshoremen will have to remove 400 tons of coal to get at the burning fuel underneath. This will be a long and tedious task, the captain said, and he does not expect the Harrovian to sail before Monday night.

The engineers of the steamer think the fire was caused by spontaneous combustion of the coal, which will be a long and tedious task, the captain said, and he does not expect the Harrovian to sail before Monday night.

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Mrs. Louise B. Decker, ex-Cashier of Marbury Hall, Arrested While Sick in Bed.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE TWICE

She Is Accused of Using Receipts from the Guests to Lead a Gay Life Along Broadway.

Charged with the theft of more than \$10,000 from the hotel where she had been employed for six years as a desk clerk, Mrs. Louise B. Decker, 35 years old, was arrested yesterday in her apartment at the Alhambra Hotel. When Detective E. S. Boyle of the Fourth Branch Detective Bureau, who made the arrest, entered her rooms, Mrs. Decker looked up at him from a sick bed. She had been poisoned by a tablet which she said had taken last Sunday with the intention of putting an end to her life.

"I want to die, I want to die," she murmured. Detective Boyle, "I've been going back on me. They are a lot of pliers, that's what they are."

After her arrest, Mrs. Decker was taken first to the Polytechnic Hospital and then to Bellevue, where, according to Detective Boyle, she confessed to the shortage which appeared in her accounts as cashier at Marbury Hall, an apartment hotel at 146 West Seventy-fourth Street. She told Detective Boyle, however, that the moneys for which she had not properly accounted, had really been expended by her in payment of bills for the hotel. Her fault, she insisted, lay not in stealing any money, but in failing to have these bills properly recorded. In the same breath, Detective Boyle says, she admitted she had entertained friends lavishly along the "great white way," which she could not have done on a salary of \$35 a month in addition to her board.

"I could give up some of my friends if I wanted to," she declared to Detective Boyle, "but I'm not going to."

Evidence that there had been some col-

lusion is now in the possession of the police, and there is likely to be at least one more arrest.

Very little is known of Mrs. Decker's past excepting that she was divorced from her first husband, by whom she had three children, and that she was living apart from her present husband, who is believed to be a resident of Monticello.

According to Mrs. Catherine E. Sefton, proprietor of Marbury Hall, Mrs. Decker for the first three years of her employment lived at Marbury Hall. After that she established herself at the Alhambra Hotel, where she worked. Mrs. Sefton knew she had many friends, and in some way found enough money to indulge in the luxuries of expensive dining and theatre parties.

It was not until last August that suspicion was aroused as to the possible source of Mrs. Decker's income. About that time Mrs. Sefton thought the receipts from guests at the hotel ought to be greater than the books seemed to indicate. She engaged an accountant, William A. Flemming of 30 East Forty-second Street, who made a report showing that Mrs. Decker's books were in a very confused condition. Mrs. Sefton thereupon discharged the woman, not suspecting the enormity of her losses.

After Mrs. Decker had been discharged, a further examination of her books showed a large number of entries of moneys and checks received for the account of the hotel which she had failed to deposit in the bank account of the hotel. More than \$10,000, it is alleged, was found to have been unaccounted for by Mrs. Decker within a period of about two years. Magistrate House was asked to issue a warrant for the arrest of Mrs. Decker, which he did, but the detectives took no immediate steps to arrest her, believing they could get a line on an accomplice by allowing her to remain at liberty for a time.

Mrs. Decker learned that she had been suspected of theft, so she told Detective Boyle yesterday. The fact weighed on her mind heavily, and she began to brood and worry. She could not eat, she could not sleep. She tried to forget her troubles in entertainments, in cabarets, in theatres, in the big Broadway restaurants—Sherry's, the Waldorf, and the Rector.

Deputy Assistant District Attorney R. L. Leoning studied the evidence and the conclusion was reached that Mrs. Decker had been locked up before she made any move to disappear. Mrs. Decker, through some secret means, learned that her day of grace was about to expire, and tried to take her life. According to Detective Boyle, she said she had made two attempts, one more than two weeks ago, and a second attempt last Sunday.

The specific charge on which Mrs. Decker will be arraigned alleges that on April 2 last she received from Frederick K. Zittel, a guest at Marbury Hall, the sum of \$1,118 in payment of his bill. This amount she entered up in the book kept by her for that purpose, but she has not deposited the money in the account kept by Mrs. Sefton at the Hudson River Branch of the Corn Exchange Building, who has the hotel's books, it is alleged she appropriated it to her own use.

HUSBAND WAS CRUEL, SAYS MRS. ROOSEVELT

Bases Suit for Separation on Allegations of Physical Violence.

DEFENDANT TO FIGHT CASE

Annoyed Because Auto Trip Was Spoiled—Declares New Notes Are Spoiling Women.

The complaint of Mrs. Edith Hamerley Blace Roosevelt in her suit for a separation from her husband, John Edith Roosevelt, first cousin of Theodore Roosevelt, was submitted to public scrutiny yesterday in the office of County Clerk Schneider. When it was filed it was sealed under a rule giving the County Clerk the right of concealing such a character as to be detrimental to the public morals.

The complaint of Mrs. Roosevelt is barren of anything that this rule was meant to cover. It charges, as set forth in the Times yesterday, cruel and inhuman treatment, and specifies three separate occasions, when, the plaintiff alleges, she was the victim of violence at the hands of her husband. On the occasion in Naples, on or about March 1914, which was less than two months after their marriage, she said the latter, without cause, struck her several violent blows on the face, and she said she was made her black and blue, and made marks and bruises upon her arms and shoulders, at the same time using toward

plaintiff violent and insulting language."

Mrs. Roosevelt said she was subjected to similar treatment in the Savoy Hotel, London, on April 19, 1914, and that on Oct. 3, 1915, in the "presence of his brother and his wife, defendant called her insulting, disgusting, and abusive names."

In a preamble to these specific incidents Mrs. Roosevelt said she was married to the defendant in Washington on Jan. 6, 1914, and that there are no children.

Mrs. Roosevelt asks provision for her separate maintenance.

Mr. Roosevelt said yesterday at his home, 615 Madison Avenue, that he would contest the action. He laughed at the charge of cruel and inhuman treatment, but said that the subpoena had been served on him at a very inopportune time, inasmuch as he had just finished preparations to take a long automobile trip with his daughter, Jean.

Mr. Roosevelt said his household had been broken up because it had two heads and because his wife refused to accept his ideas in regard to the place where they should reside.

"The trouble," he said, "with the women of today is that they have too many strange theories which make for domestic unhappiness. You are having too much feminism. There should be but one head for a household. Two heads are bound to cause trouble. That is true in this case. For instance, Mrs. Roosevelt would want to live in one place, and for business and other reasons, would want to live at another. Perhaps that is where I was cruel and harsh."

Mrs. Roosevelt and myself spent the summer at our Sayville place, but two weeks ago she took her departure. She deserted me, and I cannot see where she has any ground of action against me."

I guess it is the result of the modern tendency of women. When the women get the vote, it will be all over with us."

Mr. Bennett Was Allowed to Speak. In an account in THE NEW YORK TIMES on Thursday of the meeting of the congregation of the First Baptist Church of Tarrytown, it was said by mistake that permission to speak had been refused to E. L. Bennett on the ground that he did not contribute to the church by check. Permission to speak was not refused to Mr. Bennett, but to E. Griffin.

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**Preliminary Contests Held at
New York and Crescent
Athletic Clubs.**

The preliminaries of the Eastern try-outs for the International Amateur Boxing Tournament which will be held at the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco Nov. 11 and 12, were held simultaneously last night at the New York Athletic Club and the Crescent Athletic Club in Brooklyn. The final rounds will be contested tonight, the winners of the preliminaries at the New York A. C. going to Brooklyn and those who competed last night over there coming to New York at 6 P. M. The money received for tickets during the two nights will go to the fund which is being raised for the memorial to James E. Sullivan.

There was much to interest one in the New York Athletic Club bouts, but it was not so much from this viewpoint as from the fact that the element of the ludicrous. Two boxers came in the ring in bathing suits, and another wore golf stockings.

The first bout, and that was nothing to boast of, as far as skill was concerned, was between George Weisler and a little fellow named Scudellari. The Seventy-first Regiment A. A. Weisler had scored one knockout in the heavy-weight class, and Scudellari, who is C. C. Danielson of the Neptune A. C. in the first round, and he was expected to win a little more than the somewhat smaller fellow who opposed him in the next bout. Scudellari, however, was a man of no opinion, and the two stood and matched blow for blow for the first of the five rounds.

The Weisler was caught with a hard right to the jaw, followed by a left, and then a right to the head. Scudellari, however, did not follow up his advantage soon enough. The round passed with the men exchanging blows almost out. In the next round the men battered each other fiercely, and eventually Weisler was able to get a few ropes and the referee stopped the bout.

The first knockout of the evening came in the second round, when Philip Ryan of the Morningside A. C. of this city put Herbert W. Clock away with a right to the jaw. Clock was on the program as from Freeport, L. I., but was announced as from Oxford University, New York.

He had the first round easily and was

Fifteen preliminary bouts were held at the Athletic Club. Contests were held in three classes, the 115, 135, and 165 pounds. The featherweight division there were a number of fast bouts. Herbert, with graduated from the 108-pound class with a record of 10-0, made his debut in the 115-pound class with a victory over William Morris of the East Side House. It was a victory for Herbert, although the fight was a close one. The 135-pound class champion, drew a bye in the 135-pound class, and did not appear until the 165-pound class. The 165-pound class of Brooklyn, who had previously defeated William McLean, Trinity Club, Marks was defeated by a 10-0 score. The points by his more scientific opponent.

There were three hurricane bouts in the 108-pound class. The first was between formerly of San Francisco, easily defeated John J. Walton, Scranton, Penn., stopped Jack Bauman of New York in the second round.

Bouts at New York A. C.

108-Pound Class.—Pat Owens, Boston, defeated Charles Rosenbaum, New York, in three rounds; judges' decision.

125-Pound Class.—Tommy McAle, Cleveland A. C. defeated Flynn, unatched, New York, in three rounds; judges' decision by referees. Walter Kremler, East Side House, New York, defeated Joe Jonkrow, Brooklyn, in three rounds; judges' decision.

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of Worcester, Mass. In three rounds—first, second and third—Christian, a foreigner T. and A. C. New York, defeated William Reams Union Settlement, New York, by a 2-1 decision in the second round. M. Tauber, Union Settlement, New York, O'Neil, New York, defeated the latter by referee in second round; Frank McConell, New West Side A. C., New York, defeated John Roth, New West Side A. C., Brooklyn, in three rounds—referee's decision. Eddie Phillips, New York, defeated and knocked out Herbert W. Clark, Freeport, L. I., in the second round.

Bouts at Crescent A. C.

116-Pound Class—Preliminary—Abbe Zellner, Trinity Club, defeated Joseph Levy, Brooklyn, three rounds, judges' decision. Main event—John Flynn, New West Side Union Settlement, defeated William Herbert East Side House, three rounds, judges' decision. William J. Jones, East Side House, defeated Charles Beachler, Educational Alliance, three rounds, judges' decision. New York defeated Abe Chadwick, New York City, 115-Pound Class—James M. Barbour, New York, defeated John Flynn, New West Side, two rounds; G. Marks, Trinity Club, New York, defeated John Flynn, New West Side, two rounds, judges' decision; Walter Keith, Paulist A. C., defeated Frank B. Cassidy, Paulist A. C., two rounds, judges' decision. Barbour defeated James Di Anno, Brooklyn, 115-Pound Class—Fred Balsam, Paulist A. C., defeated Charles B. Berman, New York City, three rounds, judges' decision. Albert Nelson, San Francisco, defeated Thomas Charles Berman, New York City, three rounds. John J. Walton, Scranton, Pa., defeated and knocked out John J. Lyons, in the second round.

117-Pound Class—Louis Penn, Hamilton Ly., defeated and knocked out Wittingham, Inside A. C., three rounds; judges' decision.

Matt Wells Defeats White

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 29.—Matt Wells, Milwaukee lightweight, defeated White, a Chicago in a ten-round bout here tonight. Wells outboxed the Chicago boy and sent him to the hospital in the eighth round, though the fight. Persistent holding on the part of Wells costed against the Briton. Wells won the first four rounds, White the fifth, sixth and seventh, while White took the fourth, seventh, and tenth. The others were even.

Columbia Freshmen's Run.

Columbia freshmen won their first cross-country race in a sharp contest against the High School runners yesterday afternoon, in close score. Less than one minute and a half separated the first runner from the last, and the Columbia boys were victorious by 2.40. Dewitt Clinton, 29. H. G. Larson, the winner, was 29.40. He was the only one who ran the entire race. He was closely pressed by his own team-mate, Fred Berman, who was 30.00. The times follow:

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W. E. Larson, Columbia 1919.	29:44
A. Fried, Dewitt Clinton.	29:00
W. E. Larson, Columbia 1919.	29:00
N. Barlin, Columbia 1919.	29:06
A. E. Guerrero, Dewitt Clinton.	29:26
W. E. Larson, Columbia 1919.	29:26

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Pastor, R. D. DE W. JOSEPH MURRAY.
Subject—"SACRAMENT."

The Mid-Week Service in the Chapel on Wednesdays at 8:15 P. M. will be conducted by Dr. Jewett.

FORT WASHINGTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
174th St. and Broadway,
Rev. Dr. HOFMEYER, D. D., Pastor.
Will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
West End Ave. and 91st St.
EDGAR WHITAKER, Rev. D. D., pastor.
11 Dr. Wolfe & Rev. F. S. Erickson.

MADISON AV. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
North Ave. and 78th St.
Rev. RENEY SLOANE COFFIN, D. D.,
Pastor, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

MADISON SQUARE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
12th St. and 5th Ave.
C. H. PARKHURST, D. D., Pastor; Rev.
C. B. MONTGOMERY, Ph. D., Assistant
Pastor.

Bible School at 9:40, and General Bible Discussion Class at 10, Prof. Charles T. Terry, Midweek Service, Wednesday at 8:15 P. M. UNION THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY, (except Nov. 2.) 12:30-1:30 P. M.

THE UNION THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY, Service in the Chapel, Claremont Avenue, between 120th and 122nd Streets, at 11 o'clock, Sunday School, 9:40, and General Bible Discussion Class, 10, Prof. Charles T. Terry, (except Nov. 2.) 12:30-1:30 P. M.

UNION THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY, Northwest Corner of Broadway & 120th Street, The Bible from the Modern & Point of View, Sunday School, 9:40, and General Bible Discussion Class, 10, Prof. Charles T. Terry, (except Nov. 2.) 12:30-1:30 P. M.

UNIVERSITY PLACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Corner 10th Street, Sunday School, 9:40, and General Bible Discussion Class, 10, Prof. Charles T. Terry, (except Nov. 2.) 12:30-1:30 P. M.

ASCENSION, 8TH AV. & JOSEF ST.
Rev. PERDUE HENRY GRANT, Pastor.
11--Ret. Rev. Herman Page, Preacher.
S--Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, "Why We
Should Not Be at the Woman Sur-
frage Amendment."

CALVARY CHURCH,
4th Avenue and 12th Street,
Rev. Theodore Redgwick, Rector.
N--Baptist Service, 9:00 A.M., 11:00 A.M., 8:00 P.M.

CHURCH OF THE HOLY COMMUNION,
6TH AVE. AT 20TH ST.
8:00 A. M.--Holy Communion.
9:00 A. M.--Prayer Service, L. Knevising.
P--Holy Communion.
12:00 P. M.--Children's Service.
3:00 P. M.--French Service.
8:00 P. M.--Preacher, Rev. Robt. Eickman.

HOLY SAINTS' DAY.
8:00 A. M.--Holy Communion.
11:00 A. M.--Prayer Service and Sermon.
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Morning Prayer: 11 A. M. Holy Communion
 Service in C. King Hall; Sermon by Rector;
 Postlude. Organ. Organists: H. H. Harp
 O. Oberthur; & F. M. M. Popular Vespers.
 Prelude. Invocation Religious Weller
 Cella, Harp and Organ.
 E. M. Barnby
 Adoration Filippucci
 Soprano Soloists Are They from
 The Holy City Gaul
 Organ Solo Evanson Johnston
 Soloists: Righteous
 Violistine, Andante in D. Bachellet
 Cello, Harp and Organ.
 P. M. Floyd
 S. Leach, P. M. Congregational Singing.
 All Saints' Day, Monday, November
 1st. F. M. M. Sermon by the Very Rev.
 William G. Grosvenor, D. D. Deak
 of the Cathedral.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, Convent Ave. and 141st St., Rev. G. Ashton Oldham, Rector.—Services, 8 and 11. A. P. M., (Rector.)

ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH, 28 West 84th St. Rev. ARTHUR L. BROWN, Rector.—Services, 8 and 11, and 5.

ST. STEPHEN'S 69th St., near Broadway. Dr. BEAGLE (Rector) preaches at 11 and Dr. Cyrus Conover at 8 and 4.

ST. THOMAS'S CHURCH, FIFTH AVE. and 54th St. Rev. ERNEST M. STIRES, D. D., Rector. Holy Communion at 8 and 11. Morning Service and Sermon. (Rector.) Dr. E. Svenson and A. A. (Rector.) Evening Service, Nov. 4, All Saints' Day 8 and 11. (Rector.)

Rev. JOHN G. FAGG, D. D., Minister,
will preach at 11 A. M. and 3 P. M.

THE MARBLE COLLEGIATE CHURCH,
Rev. DAVID JAS. BURRELL, D. D., Minister,
at 11 A. M. "The Great Adventure."
3 P. M. "A Good Opinion of One's Self."

THE COLLEGIATE CHURCH OF ST.
NICHOLAS,
Rev. MALCOLM JAS. MACLEOD, D. D.,
Minister, will preach at 11 A. M. and 3 P. M. "The City of God."
3 P. M. "Ought Women to Preach, to Rule,
to Vote?"

Church School at 9:45 A. M.

THE WEST END COLLEGIATE CHURCH,
Rev. HENRY J. HARRIS, D. D., Minister,
will preach at 11 A. M. and 4:30 P. M. at 4:30 P. M. Special Music, Men-
toring and Prayer.

SPIRITUAL-ETHICAL SOCIETY, 142 West 125th.—Mrs. Helen Temple Brigham speaks Friday evening; evening theme, "Vision and Visions."

Theophany.

L. W. ROGERS
Lecturer, Theosophical Society, at Radio City Auditorium, Oct. 8, at 7:15. Subject: "The Living Dead."

Unitarian.

ALL SOULS' (UNITARIAN).
Fourth Avenue and 20th Street.
Rev. Dr. R. C. Tuckwell, Minister.
REV. WM. LAURENCE WILLIAMS, Assoc. Secy., will preach Sunday, Sept. 29, at 11 A.M. and 7 P.M.
Friday, Mass., will preach. Services at 11 A.M. All cordially invited.

CHURCH OF THE MESSIAH, Park Av. and 66th St., New York City.

MATRICE L. SHAINA, Attorney for Assignors.
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE
United States for the Southern District
New York.—In Bankruptcy. In the matter
of the **Estate of JAMES S. WEINBERG,** Assignee.
U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern Dis-
trict of New York. The undersigned, being duly
qualified by order of the Court, will sell by pub-
lic auction, at 10-30 A. M., at 586 Broadway, New
York, Manhattan, assets of the above
bankrupt, consisting of pianos, piano stools,
cabinets, typewriters, sewing machines, hand-
wood duplicator, safe, addressing ma-
chine, card index, figures etc.
PETER B. OLNEY, Trustee.
Refer to **JAMES S. WEINBERG, S.N.Y.**
DENISE R. DENARD, S.N.Y., Attorneys for
Trustee, 261 Broadway, New York, for

There will be a very attractive musical program by the Homebodie by the Choir, under the leadership of Mr. Stanley A. Hunter, at Prayer Meeting Wednesday Evening at 8 o'clock in charge of Mr. Stanley A. Hunter.

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CHURCH
APAYETTE AVENUE. PRESBYTERIAN
Corner of South Oxford St., Brooklyn.
Services 10:30 and 7:30.
Morning-Dr. A. Herbert on "Cameo Parts in Roman XVI."
Evening-Rev. R. H. Clegg on "Lip Loyalty."
Bible Classes for men and women at 12:30.
Bible School at 2:45.

Protestant Episcopal.
CHURCH
TRINITY, P.L.A. BUSH, Ocean Ave. and
W. 4th St., Brooklyn, N. Y. 11224. Rector,
Rev. J. I. A. M., S.P.M.; 3d Sun. also 8 A.M.

Unitarian.
CHURCH OF THE SAVIOUR, (Unitarian),

The easterly corner of One Hundred and Thirtieth Street and Lenox Avenue, part of the way through which runs the center line of said street; thence easterly, parallel with One Hundred and Thirtieth Street, eighteen feet six inches; thence northerly, parallel with Lenox Avenue, part of the way through which runs the center line of said street, eleven inches to the northery side of One Hundred and Thirtieth Street, and thence easterly, parallel with said street, between One Hundred and Thirtieth Street, eighteen feet ten inches; and land lying in Section 6, Block 97, on the Land Map of the City of New York.

Dated New York, October 21st, 1915.
JULIAN & ROE, Attorneys for Plaintiff,
Part Row, Borough of Manhattan, City
of New York.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold; its street number is 41 West 181st

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE
United States for the Southern District of
New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of
EASTON BLOOM, Debtor. On the 23rd day of
January, 1916, at New York, New York, before
me individually and as co-partners, trading as
LOCK & MILLER, alleged Bankrupts.—No.
1040.

Notice is hereby given that a petition in
Bankruptcy has been filed against the alleged
Bankrupts herein, and that the creditors
meeting will be held at the office of Stanley W.
Dexter, 225 Broadway, New York, New York,
City, City of New York, on the 8th day of
November, A. D. 1916, at 11:30 o'clock in the
forenoon, for the purpose of organizing a
committee of creditors, and for the purpose of
which meeting the said creditors may at-
tend, and thereat discuss the affairs of the
Bankrupts, and transact such other business
as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated October 23rd, 1915.

STANLEY W. DEXTER,
Debtor.

Stanley W. Dexter, In Bankruptcy,
Plaintiff.

ember 17th, 1915, at 10:30 A. M. Creditors may prove claims, appoint a Trustee, examine the bankrupt, and take any other action as may be properly come before the meeting.

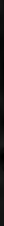
PETER B. OLNEY,
Reliefee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT,
Southern District of New York.—No. 10,000.
In re Bankruptcy of JACOB BERGER.
Bankrupt.

JACOB BERGER was duly adjudicated bankrupt on September 18, 1915. The first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, of Wall Street, City of New York, on November 10, 1915. Creditors may prove claims, appoint a Trustee, examine the bankrupt, consider an offer of compromise and take any other action that may come before said meeting.

WILLIAM L. ALLEN,
Receiver in Bankruptcy.

New York, October 26, 1915.



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THE SECURITIES

Sharp Advance in Prices in Practically All the Curb Stocks—Bonds Higher.

Transactions in the outside security market yesterday amounted to 482,000 shares of stock and \$125,000 of bonds. The sales of stock were divided as follows: Industrials, 171,401; oil, 8,004; and mining, 31,770. The range of prices of all issues in which transactions were recorded was:

INDUSTRIALS.

Stock	Open	High	Low	Last
Am. Br. Mfg.	100	100 1/2	100	100 1/2
Am. Can. Zinc	100	100 1/2	100	100 1/2
Am. Can. F. & P.	100	100 1/2	100	100 1/2
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OLD ISSUES.

Stock	Open	High	Low	Last
1000 Caden Co.	100	100 1/2	100	100 1/2
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MINING STOCKS.

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1000 HA-C. Co.	100	100 1/2	100	100 1/2
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LONDON MARKET IS FIRM.

Rise in American Exchange—Money in Shorter Supply.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—Money was in shorter supply today owing to month-end requirements. Discount rate was 4 1/2 per cent. and there was a good demand for Treasury bills. American exchange rose sharply 3 points, to 4.65, on the announcement that some of the proceeds of the Anglo-French loan will be available in New York shortly, and the expectation of an early official announcement of steps to be taken to assist the exchange market.

The stock market was quietly firm with the specialties leading. Japanese bonds, Canadian issues, and diamond mine issues were also prominent, while strength was maintained in South American securities.

American securities opened higher in sympathy with Wall Street, and despite the rise in exchange, closed firm.

BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS.

Closing quotations for United States Government bonds:

Stock	Open	High	Low	Last
2 1/2% U.S. 1930	100	100 1/2	100	100 1/2
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Closing quotations for stocks in which there were no transactions:

Stock	Open	High	Low	Last
Adams Ex. 100	100	100 1/2	100	100 1/2
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St L.....	40	52	Pitts S pf.	93%	98
Do pf.....	72	78	Rdg 1st pf.	41%	44
l & Pitts.	77	..	Rumely(20)		
Quett-P pf.	109	112	Co cfts...	3%	
rex Carp.	40	60	Do pf.....	8	
g-Am Sug			Do cfts....	..	
pf.	96%	103	St L & S		
Do P & L.	36	50	F 1st pf.	10%	11



THE WOMAN SUFFRAGE PARADE, IN WHICH 25,000 PERSONS MARCHED, PASSING THE NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY AND THE OFFICIAL REVIEWING STAND, FIFTH AVENUE, FORTIETH TO FORTY-SECOND STREETS. The Westchester Division, Consisting of the White Plains, Tarrytown, Bronxville, and Yonkers Contingents, Can be Seen in the Foreground. (Photo by Pictorial News Co.)



Mayor John Purroy Mitchel, with Mrs. Mitchel and President George McAneny of the Board of Aldermen, in the Reviewing Stand. (Photo © by American Press Assn.)



MRS. HERBERT CARPENTER, Leader of the New York State Woman Suffrage Association, Returning the Salute of a Fellow-Leader. (Photo © by Underwood & Underwood.)



MRS. CHARLES C. BAUER AND MRS. MALCOLM DUNCAN, BANNER BEARERS, FIGHTING THE TREACHEROUS FLATIRON WINDS. Additional photographs of the Suffrage Parade are reproduced on Pages 6 and 7 of this Section.



MRS. PHILIP BOILEAU, WIFE OF THE ARTIST, IMPERSONATING VICTORY. (Photos © by Henry Stoffen.)



MRS. FELIX D. DOUBLEDAY, FORMERLY MISS RHODA VAN BIBBER TANNER, AND HER WEDDING ATTENDANTS.
In the group, left to right, are Miss Agnes Claflin; the bride; Miss Mary Stewart Claflin, and Mrs. Abbott A. Low, Matron of Honor. (Photo by Mr. & Mrs. Braden.)



MISS JULIA ZABRISKIE.
The Debutante Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew C. Zabriskie.
(Photo by Aime Dupont.)



MISS MEADOWS, Winner of the Whippany Challenge Cup at Peapack, N. J., Over the Jump, with Shelton Martin, Her Owner, Up.
(Photo by Edwin Levick.)



FINLEY J. SHEPARD, JR.,
The Little Wolf, Known to the Courts as John Doe, No. 104, Who Has Been Adopted as the Son of Mr. and Mrs. Finley J. Shepard, Formerly Miss Helen Gould. (Photo from Underwood & Underwood.)



MISS MARY FRANCKE,
Who Is to be Presented This Season.
(Photo by the Misses Selby.)



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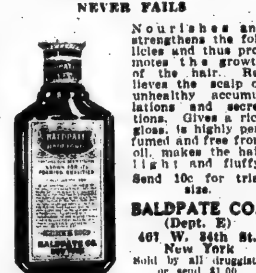
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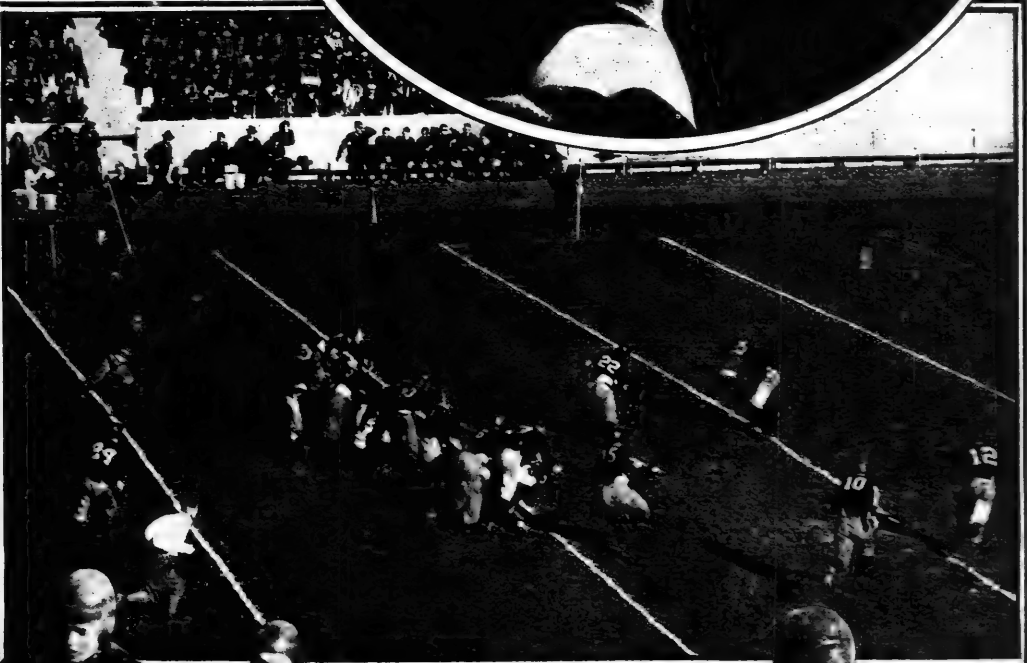
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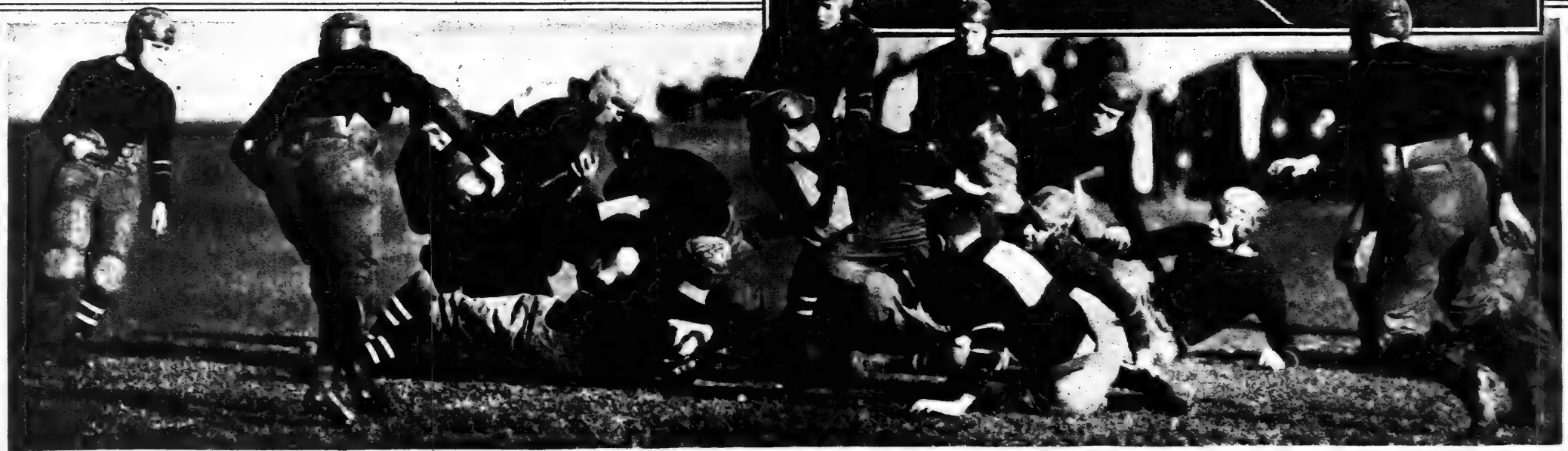
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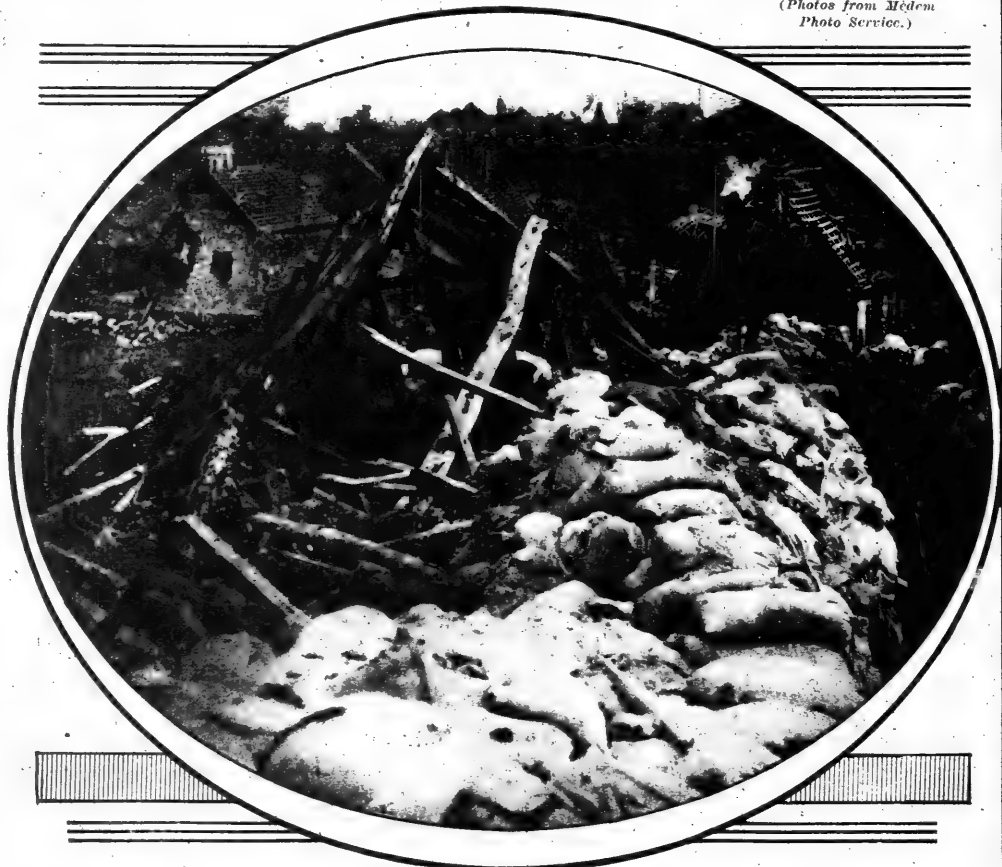
GERMAN PRISONERS, CAPTURED IN THE RECENT BRITISH OFFENSIVE IN FRANCE, REACH SOUTHAMPTON.
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THOUSANDS OF GERMAN PRISONERS, CAPTURED IN THE CHAMPAGNE COUNTRY, MARCHING UNDER FRENCH GUARD TOWARD PARIS.
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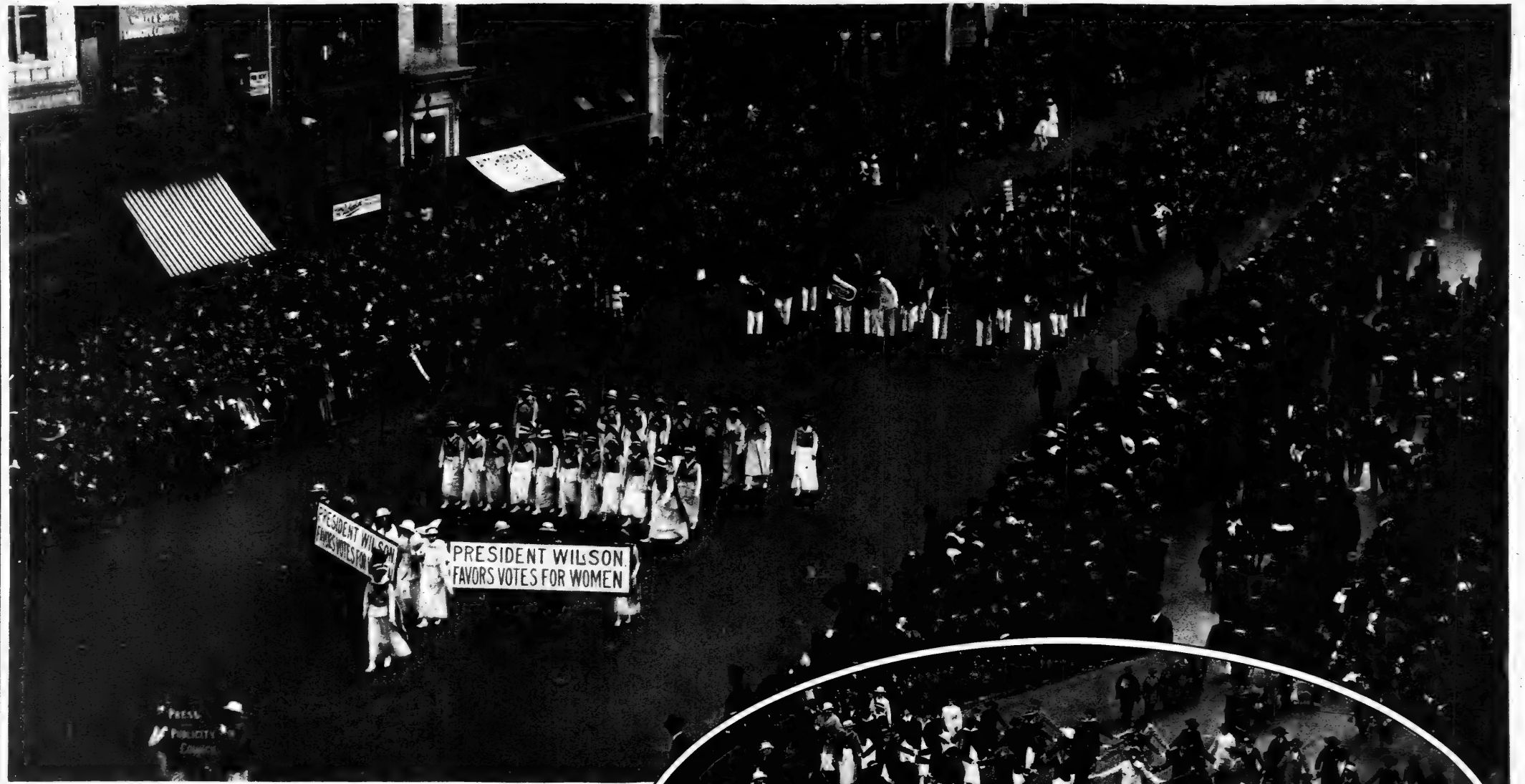
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NEW JERSEY DIVISION IN THE WOMAN SUFFRAGE PARADE PASSING THE MAYOR'S REVIEWING STAND.
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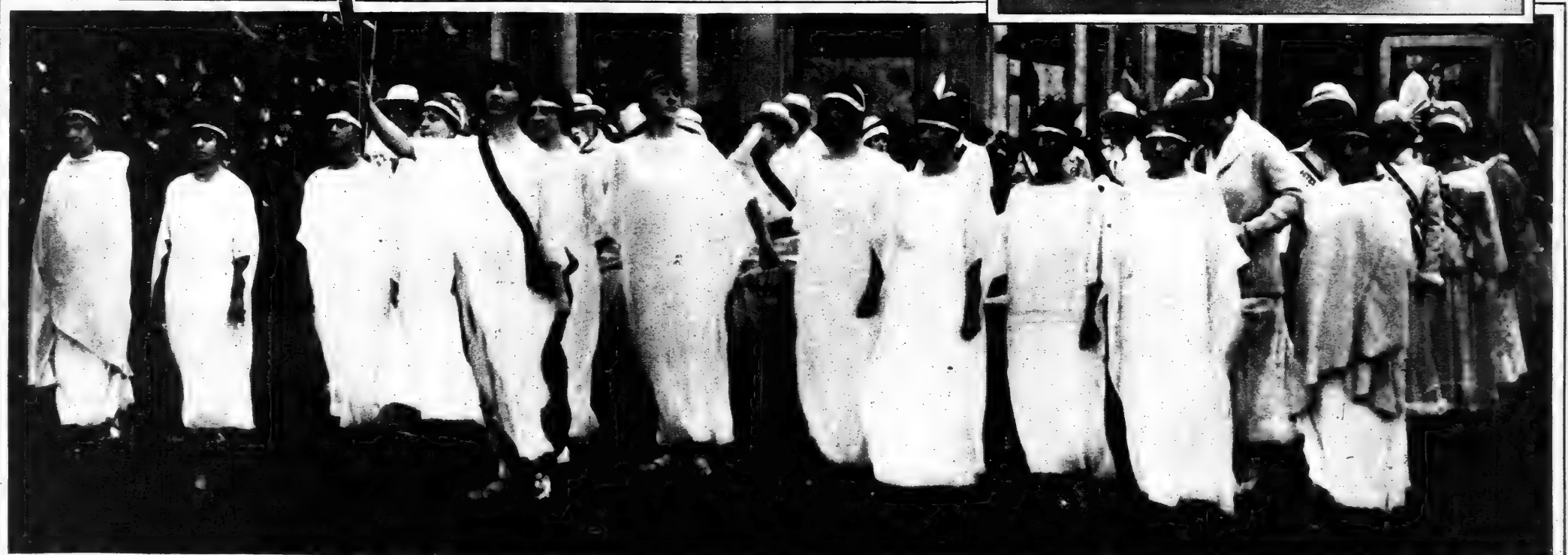
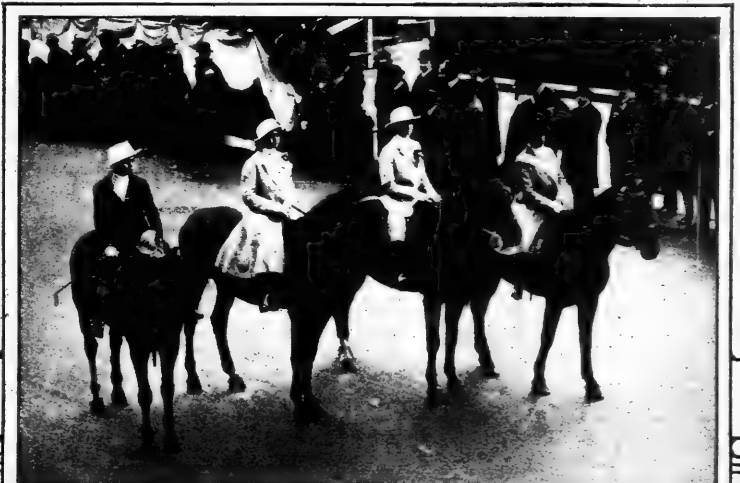
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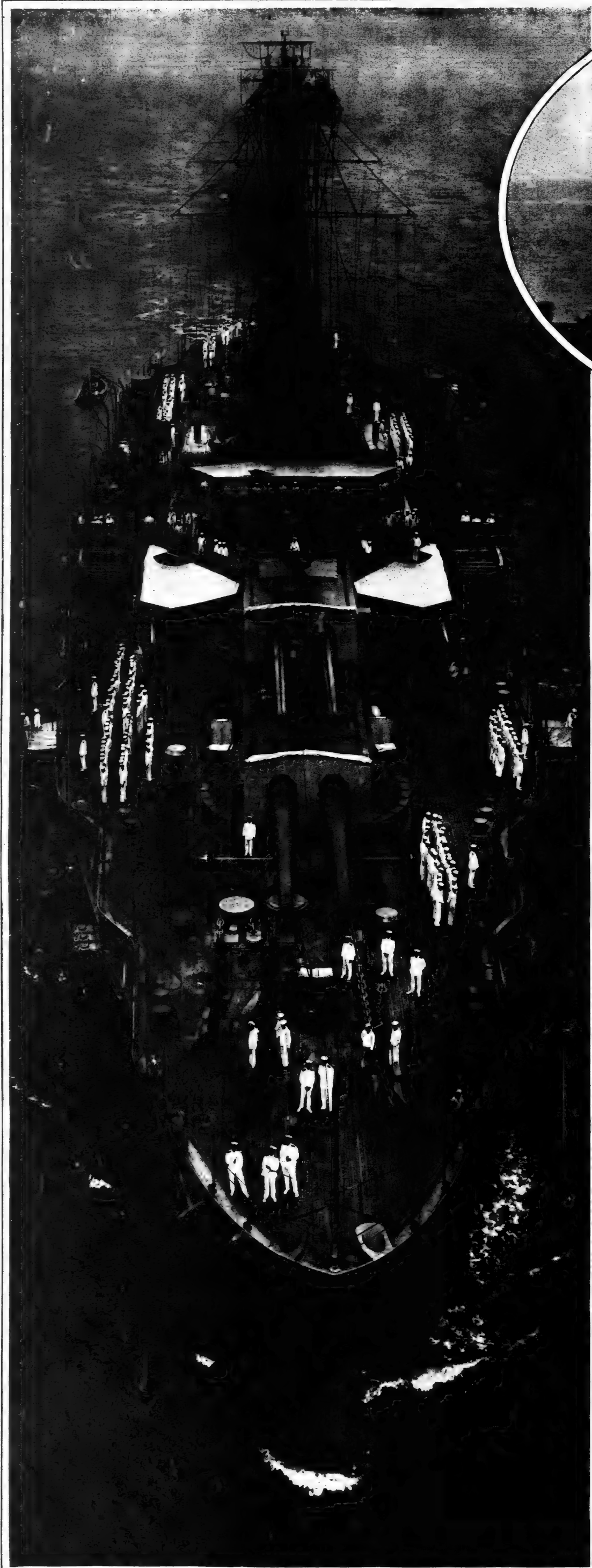
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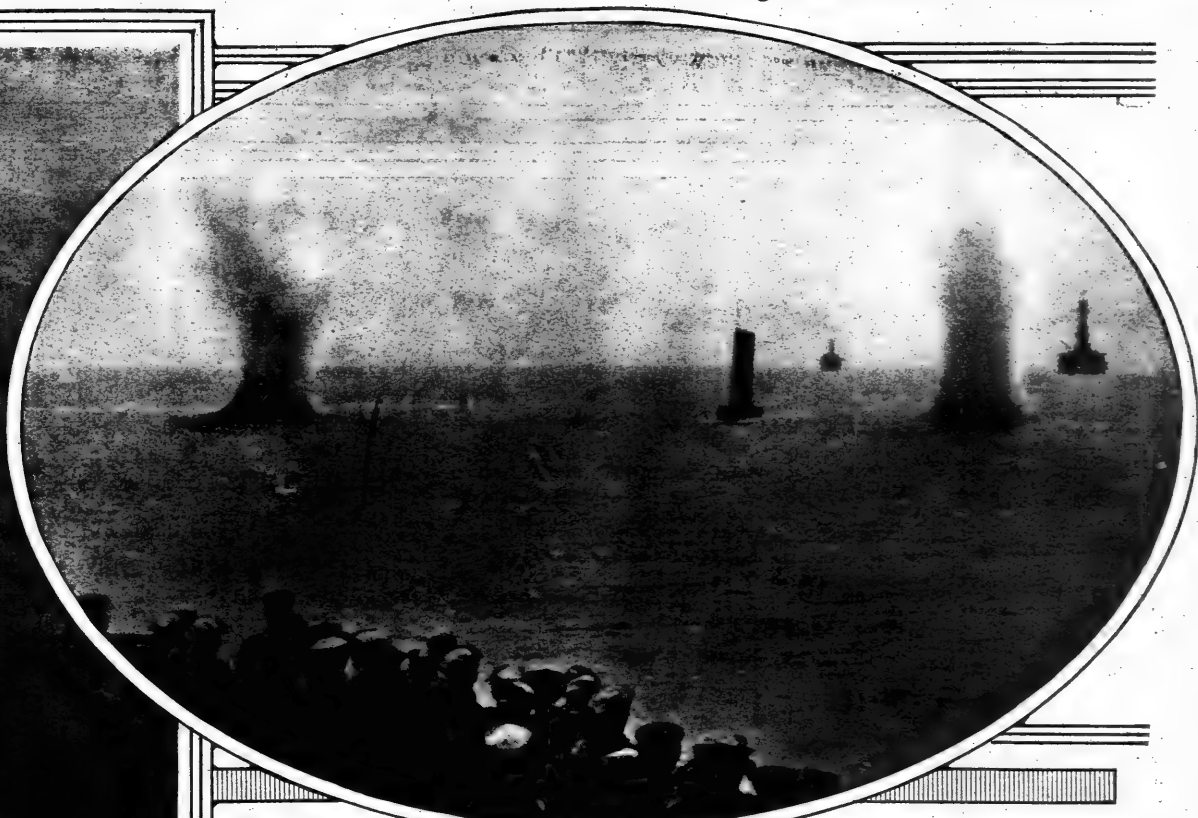


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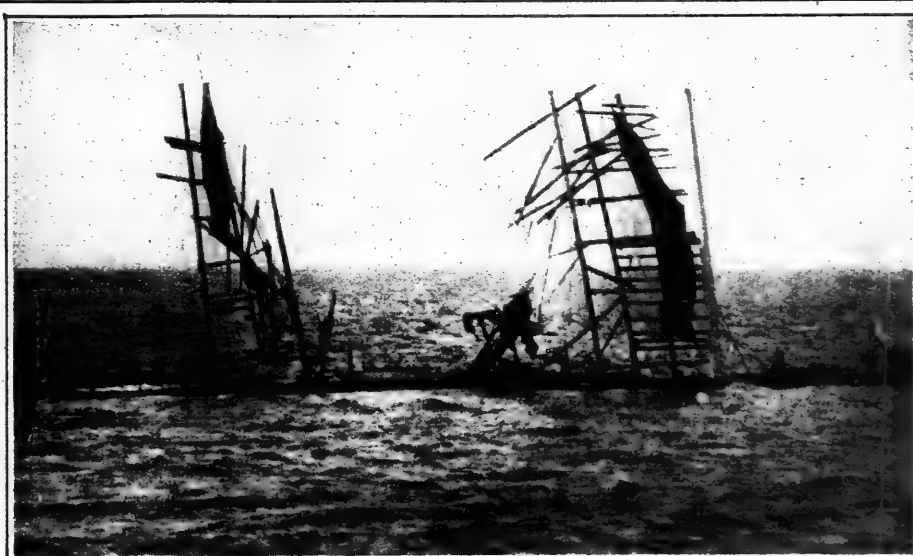
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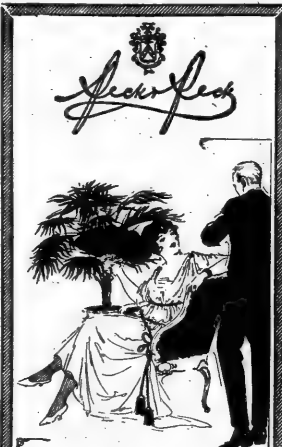
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All Sides in Fifth District Hopeful
of Gaining the Lumber
and Farm Votes.

Special to The New York Times.

UTICA, Oct. 30.—Here the trenches of the opposing forces in the woman suffrage struggle are close together. Standing in the windows of their respective campaign headquarters, the suffragists and the antis can look daggers at each other across Genesee Street, Utica's busiest thoroughfare.

Until the antis got actively into the fight some four months ago Oneida County, of which this busy city is the political clearing house, was looked upon as doubtful territory in the suffrage fight. Today the antis claim the victory by a substantial majority. Their prediction has the backing of the best judgment in both the Republican and Democratic camps. The suffragists themselves do not forecast victory but express hope.

There is no doubt that Oneida will roll up a big suffrage vote. Oneida may prove a "close" county. The Progressive spirit is strong here and the leading men in the old Bull Moose organization, even those by whom they have returned to the Republican camp, are outspoken for woman suffrage, which was one of the cardinal articles in the Progressive faith.

Frederick M. Davenport, professor of political science at Hamilton College, and Bull Moose candidate for Governor last year, campaign for re-appointing at suffrage meetings in Oneida County even though he is back in the Republican organization here, which is not by any means pro-suffrage. John C. Davies of Camden, former Attorney General, and close friend of Colonel Roosevelt, is another outspoken pro-suffragist.

Here in Utica the men are very active on both sides of the suffrage fight. Merwin K. Hart, former Assemblyman, who was an active supporter of Governor Hughes, and in 1912 left the Republicans to follow the political fortunes of Colonel Roosevelt in the Bull Moose movement, is one of the prime factors in the Men's League for Mutual Suffrage. Ex-Judge Watson T. Dunmore, who was a delegate to the Constitutional Convention from this Senatorial district, is President of the Utica branch of the Men's Anti-Suffrage Association. On the membership roll of the organization are practically all leading men in the civic and financial life of this city. This city is the base of operations in the suffrage fight for the Twelfth District forces of the Empire State Campaign Committee.

Led by Wealthy Woman.
Miss Lucy Carille Watson, a gentle, sweet-looking woman, whose hair is beginning to turn gray, is the generalissimo of the very aggressive host of suffragists here. She is regarded as probably the wealthiest woman in Utica, and is maintaining a splendidly equipped headquarters from which to direct the votes for women.

"I think it would be very foolish on my part to make an unqualified prediction of victory for woman suffrage in Oneida county," said Miss Watson to the reporter. "I am not sure of it. All our predictions on either side of this struggle are based on the empty air, for no one can tell what the future will be. We have made a good fight and it all the men who have promised to support us keep their word we shall win."

Oneida is only part of the territory covered by Miss Watson and her suffragist friends. The fifth campaign district besides Oneida takes in the Counties of Fulton, Hamilton, Lewis, and Herkimer. Much of this is in the Adirondacks, and the women who are battling for the ballot here have had some thrilling experiences carrying their doctrine into the lumber camps deep in the forest.

"We feel very much encouraged over our reports from the rural sections of the district," said Miss Watson. "We feel that we should get a majority of the votes for the amendment in Fulton, Hamilton, Lewis and Herkimer. Our reports from Lewis County are not quite as favorable, but the workers there are doing a splendid job. Miss Watson said that, in such a large territory, it is not surprising that the suffragists had had splendid meetings and felt that they would get a big vote."

In Oneida we have both the wealthy population and the workers with us," said Miss Watson. "In Little Falls, which is in Herkimer County, too, we surely will get a vote which will carry the town."

Little Falls figured prominently in the newspapers a couple of years ago in connection with Socialist and I. W. W. disturbances.

here. Mr. Gordon has had every section of the county—even the remote forest regions—placarded with suffrage literature. Post Offices and country stores in the rural sections of Oneida at present are serving as depots for the distribution of literature directed against the suffrage cause.

There is a large "foreign" vote in Utica, and both the suffragists and the antis are looking on this with considerable interest. There are 22,000 Italians, 12,000 Poles, and a great number of Germans. The antis have sent out scores of Italian and Polish agents to do missionary work and give voting instructions to the voters of these respective nationalities. The suffragists made a special effort to corral the German vote, but according to statements from leaders in the German colony here the attempt was not attended with very telling results.

Both the Republican and Democratic leaders here are opposed to woman suffrage. Mr. Jesse Harrison, who is the active Republican leader in Utica, is actively identified with the male anti-suffrage forces. He is one of the most influential among the Republicans in the rural sections of the county, favoring suffrage. The newspapers here are neutral.

STANTON LUNCHEON A RALLY.

1,000 Women Renew Pledge at Centenary of Suffrage Pioneer.

One thousand women yesterday pledged themselves anew to the suffrage cause as the finale of the Elizabeth Cady Stanton centennial luncheon at the Hotel Astor and hurried back to their posts in the campaign for the vote.

The celebration was more like a council of war, for many of the speakers came and went quickly in order that they might reach their board automobiles for distant rallies.

Amid the tributes to the memory of the woman who was one of the most noted pioneers of the movement came the quick, incisive orders of the campaign leaders. Watchers were notified where to go for instruction today.

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The Times Searchlight on Tower To Tell Results of the Election

After the closing of the polls on Tuesday, the counting of the vote will start immediately throughout the State. As soon as returns enough have been received to make the results of the complete count reasonably certain, the verdict of the voters will be communicated instantly to everybody for miles around through the use of the great searchlight on the tower of the Times Building, at Forty-second Street and Broadway. The signals will be as follows:

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SUFFRAGE WINS IN STATE—White shaft of light pointing west.
SUFFRAGE LOSES IN STATE—White shaft of light pointing east.
REPUBLICAN ASSEMBLY ELECTED—White shaft of light pointing north and swinging to east and west.
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NEW CONSTITUTION APPROVED—White shaft of light pointing east and swinging up and down.
NEW CONSTITUTION REJECTED—White shaft of light pointing west and swinging up and down.

told of a Chicago woman settlement worker who in an automobile took many Italian women to the polls on Election Day and "delivered 500 votes to Bath House John."

"If there are going to be women bosses, why do the men bosses object to women voting?" asked Mrs. Hepburn.

"I cannot tell you, because I do not know any political bosses," returned Miss Price.

"I am very glad to hear Miss Price say that she does not know any bosses," said Mrs. Hepburn, "because when she was working in Connecticut she was escorted everywhere by the most notorious political bosses, and that they might be well equipped for their work at the polls next Tuesday. A call came between two speeches for Mrs. Hepburn to distribute literature to every person who last night might enter Carnegie Hall for the meeting of the anti-suffragists. A daughter of Mrs. Stanton, Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch, head of the Woman's Political Union, gave details of the organization which she presided, and a granddaughter, Mrs. Nora Blatch de Forest, reported on the progress of the campaign and pleaded for recruits.

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"Of all the advocates of the rights of women," said Roger Foster, "none accomplishes more than Elizabeth Cady Stanton. None is entitled to so much honor as she. Taken all in all, she was a woman on whose like we will never look again."

Addresses were also made by Mrs. Havemeyer, Miss Helen Ford of California, and Mrs. Raymond Robins of the National Women's Trade Union League. Dr. Shaw spoke eloquently of Mrs. Stanton as she had known her when the pioneer of the cause was a young woman and had stood before Legislatures fearlessly advocating the cause to which she devoted her life.

The luncheon closed with the guests on their feet in memory of Mrs. Stanton and the admonition of Mrs. Blatch, to which all gave hearty approval that they consecrate themselves anew to the cause.

WOMEN DEBATE ON SUFFRAGE.
Spirited Argument Before Audience That Fills Carnegie Hall.

There was a spirited suffrage debate yesterday morning when the League for Political Education, a neutral organization which holds discussions of public questions, had three women on each side, suffragists and antis, discuss the subject, "Ought Woman Suffrage to Win?"

The league, knowing the general interest in the subject for the first time in its history engaged Carnegie Hall, instead of the Hudson Theatre, where its meetings usually are held. The house was full and the audience showed keen interest which culminated in questions at the close.

Mrs. Thomas N. Hepburn, President of the Connecticut Woman Suffrage Association, and Mrs. William Vanamee spoke for the suffragists, and Miss Alice Chittenden, President of the New York State Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage, Miss Lucy Harrison, and Miss Minnie Munn for the antis. The burden of answering questions fell to Mrs. Hepburn and to Miss Price, each of whom was responded to by both the suffragist and the anti. The suppressed feeling was so strong that the suffragist officer, R. E. Ely, was moved to remark at the close of the meeting that there had been orderly behavior under difficult circumstances. One of the questions, "Why Is An Anti?" was received with particular interest.

"Why," said the woman who asked it, "if woman's place is the home, ought there be an anti-suffrage organization?"

We are only quoted as saying that women's place is the home, said Miss Price. "She cannot always be at home, but we wish to prepare things so that the future woman may stay at home."

The reason there are anti-suffrage organizations, said Mrs. Hepburn, "is because when there is any important public question these women wish to be heard and to say about it."

Miss Price declared the idea of woman in politics was a mistake, that it was mean woman political bosses. She

pleasure to send through you this letter on behalf of the suffrage amendment in New York State; and, of course, what I write applies no less to Massachusetts and Pennsylvania, and to all the other States which vote this year on the proposition to give women the right to vote.

There has always been to me an element of great absurdity in the arguments advanced against woman suffrage when we consider the fact that from time immemorial in monarchies women have been regarded as the very highest type of governmental power, that is, the position of sovereign. For example, this content was discovered by Columbus upon the patronage of King Ferdinand and Queen Isabella of Spain; and he owed more to the Queen than to the King. The oldest State in the Union, Virginia, derives its name from the fact that the first effort at colonization from England on our shores was made by a woman, Queen Elizabeth; and during the last four centuries Queen Elizabeth was certainly the greatest sovereign who sat on the English throne. When Frederick the Great was King of Prussia the only two European sovereigns who in any shape or way compared with him were two women—Catherine of Russia and Maria Theresa of Austria.

I have thus mentioned four Queens who were great sovereigns, four Queens who would by all capable historians be given leading places among the sovereigns of their time. If a woman deemed fit to be the head of a mighty monarchy, surely no adequate reason can be advanced against allowing her to exercise the right of suffrage in a democracy; that is, to be one of the free citizens who vote so as to decide upon their own intimate concerns shall be managed.

The opponents of woman suffrage say that this will take women away from the home. If this were so, I should certainly not favor it just as giving man the suffrage took him away from his business.

I should not favor it for making and keeping the home must always be the chief work for both man and woman. There is, however, in my opinion, nothing whatever in this objection. Undoubtedly some foolish women may believe that getting the vote will excuse them from the performance of home duties, just as in every democratic extension of the suffrage some foolish men have believed that getting the vote would excuse them from their civic duties. But it is no more possible to base action on an argument of this kind in one case than in the other. There are, of course, exceptional women who will do work outside of the home just as there are exceptional men who will do work outside of their business—and by business I mean not only what is commonly called business, but any of the professions and handicrafts such as a man may follow as a mechanic, clerk, laborer, farmer, skilled man, professional man, artist, musician, writer, or in any of the other professions or occupations and does not do much work outside of his home. In just the same way the average woman will find that her time is largely occupied in dealing with her household duties but this is no more an argument against giving suffrage to women than the fact that the man is an artist or a poet or a musician means that he will neglect his home. The other day I was pleased, as I am sure many of us are, to see the charming photograph of Mrs. Homer and all her children in some of the Sunday papers. It is evident in her case that to be mistress of a household has not interfered with her being a fine type of mother and mistress of her own house.

I emphatically do not believe that better men and women there ever can be identity of function, but this has nothing to do with giving them equality of right. They are entitled to it, and this they ought to have. Faithfully yours,

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THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Colonel Roosevelt first came out for woman suffrage a few years ago when in the Metropolitan Opera House at a big suffrage meeting he made a speech in the interest of votes for women.

The letter from Colonel Roosevelt was read by Mrs. Dreier last night at the Academy of Music in New York, where she was Chairman of a mass meeting under the auspices of the Woman Suffrage Party, and evoked much cheering from the 3,500 men and women present.

The speakers included Mrs. Philip Snowden, Mrs. Raymond Robins of Chicago, Dr. Stephen S. Wise, Mrs. Dreier, and Representative Edward Keating of Colorado. In the audience were Supreme Court Justices Russell Benedict and Townsend Scudder.

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PREDICT BAY STATE WILL BURY SUFFRAGE

Politicians and Women Foes of Cause Put Massachusetts Majority Near 100,000.

CLAIM 25,000 IN BOSTON

Some Leaders Forecast a Landslide in Which the Amendment Will Be Beaten in Every County.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 30.—The political campaign in Massachusetts ended tonight with the anti-suffrage forces asserting that they would defeat the woman suffrage amendment on Tuesday by a majority of from 10,000 to 100,000. Some said the figure would be even higher and that reports from every section of the State showed that suffrage would not carry a single county. The majority, however, was content to settle for the best estimate.

The suffrage workers did not offer figures, but through Mrs. Gertrude Halliwell, chairman of the Executive Board of the State organization, announced that they were confident of victory, because of the thorough campaign they had made and the fact that "the great majority of men and women prominent in the life of the State are with them."

Mrs. Leonard said she thought the vote in Boston would be close, but that suffrage would carry the city. The anti-suffrage claim Boston by at least 25,000, and in that their opinion is backed up by keen political observers.

It may be said, and the statement is a conservative one, that not half a dozen of the political leaders of the State really believe suffrage will win at this election and if the amendment should pass it will be the biggest surprise in the political history of the State. The New York Times correspondent found that most of the politicians and women foes of the suffrage workers felt that the cause had a much better chance to win in the New York State than here. Several of those who feel that it cannot win here believe the result in New York may be favorable to the cause.

Efforts to obtain from the suffrage leaders the total number of women enrolled in the fight, or who had signed cards signifying their desire for the ballot, were not entirely successful. An estimate founded on such facts as could be obtained put the number at approximately 100,000 or slightly under ten per cent. of the 1,400,000 women of voting age in the State. The anti-suffrage workers listed the total number of women enrolled in the fight to be 40,000. It is entirely too high for the number of their opponents, and that such a figure is quoted by the anti-suffrage workers is founded on signatures obtained from having the vote and have simply signed slips to avoid annoyance.

Mrs. Leonard, who is in charge of suffrage headquarters, refused tonight to make an estimate. She said it would be fair to say that the movement of women as workers had been stopped several weeks ago in order to devote all efforts to the work among the men. Thousands of cards, from both men and women, she said, had been sent in during the past few weeks. She said that the men had been classified or listed, so that it was impossible for her to give accurate information.

The anti-suffrage workers have a strong drive which they say has added to the impetus of the movement against the suffrage cause. The anti-suffrage workers have the best organization in the country and there is plentiful evidence to bear out such statements. There can be no question that there is plenty of optimism at the anti-suffrage headquarters. Mrs. John Balch, President of the Massachusetts Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage, said today that she had heard from her leaders within the past two or three days, and that there could not be the slightest doubt how things were going. She said that suffrage would not carry a county and few if any of the more important cities. She named Quincy as one city where there might be doubt.

"The close of the anti-suffrage campaign," she said, "finds us full of hope and confidence that the majority of Massachusetts men and women are in favor of the majority of the Massachusetts women, voting 'No' on the woman suffrage amendment. The vote gives us, we believe, a victory of at least 100,000. This forecast is not merely a guess, but is based upon the reports from our branches in every section of the State, reports from the organization of men, which our request was formed to do the strictly political work of our campaign, and reports from newspaper editors and other who have conducted independent and impartial polls.

Suffrage supporters privately admit they cannot win in Massachusetts, and any statement to the contrary can only be made for political effect. The great mass of women of this State are not asking for the franchise. The great mass of men, we believe, will not vote to impose burdens upon them without their consent.

"Although we believe our forecast of victory is conservative, we trust that it will not in the slightest degree lessen the activities of our friends. What we want is not merely a victory for the women of Massachusetts against the suffragists, but a victory so overwhelming as to be enduring."

At the headquarters of the Massachusetts Anti-Suffrage Committee, the organization composed of men, and of which Robert N. Turner is in charge, a detailed estimate of the vote in most of the larger cities of the State was given.

Specimen of Ballot for the Election of Candidates on Tuesday

TO VOTE FOR A CANDIDATE ON THIS BALLOT MAKE A CROSS IN ONE OF THE SQUARES OR IN THE SPACE AT THE LEFT OF HIS NAME.

TO VOTE FOR A CANDIDATE NOT ON THIS BALLOT WRITE HIS NAME IN THE BLANK SPACE UNDER THE CANDIDATES FOR THAT OFFICE.

MARK ONLY WITH A PENCIL HAVING BLACK LEAD.

ANY OTHER MARK, ERASURE OR TEAR ON THE BALLOT RENDER IT VOID.

IF YOU TEAR, OR DEFACE, OR WRONGLY MARK THIS BALLOT, RETURN IT AND OBTAIN ANOTHER.

1. JUSTICES OF THE SUPREME COURT FOR THE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT (Vote for six).	2. JUSTICE OF THE CITY COURT (Vote for one).	5. JUSTICE OF THE MUNICIPAL COURT, EIGHTH DISTRICT (Vote for one).
FRANCIS B. DELEHANTY..... JOHN PROCTOR CLARK..... SAMUEL GREENBAUM..... CLARENCE J. SHAW..... EDWARD R. FINCH..... JOHN M. TIERNEY..... DANIEL DANIEL..... JOHN J. O'CONNELL..... HUGH WINTHROP..... ADOLPH WARKHOF..... JACOB HILLQUIST..... LEON A. MALONE..... NICHOLAS ALINKOFF..... IRVING S. OTTENBERG..... JACOB REINHEIMER..... JAMES T. HUNTER..... EDWARD REIDEL..... ARNOLD PETERSEN..... ROBERT OLAKER..... JOSEPH P. JOHNSON.....	LORENZ KELLER..... PHILIP C. KANDEL..... CHARLES E. HANDEKE..... ALEXANDER LEVINE..... SIGMUND MOSKOWITZ.....	EDMUND E. MEDALL..... JOHN F. COWAN..... ABRAHAM RUBINSTEIN..... LOUIS A. CUVILLIER.....
3. SHERIFF (Vote for one).	4. DISTRICT ATTORNEY (Vote for one).	6. MEMBER OF ASSEMBLY—Thirtieth Assembly District (Vote for one).
FRANK E. BOWERS..... ALFRED E. SMITH..... ALBERT T. HULL..... WILLIAM WALSH..... WILLIAM KORN..... HERMAN ZAHNER.....	CHARLES A. PERKINS..... EDWARD SWANN..... FRANK MOSS..... GEORGE E. FINCH..... S. JOHN SLOCUM..... JACOB E. ALEXANDER.....	NICHOLAS MEYER..... TIMOTHY F. GOULD..... LOUIS FISCHER..... WILHELM NEUMAN.....
		7. ALDERMAN—Thirtieth Assembly District (Vote for one).
		WILLIAM DOUGAN..... CHARLES A. MULLICK..... CALLAHAN MCCARTHY..... FRANZ RADOVICH.....

The new blanket form of ballot will be used this year for the second time. All party emblems must be confined to the space to the left of the name of the candidate receiving the endorsement of such parties. To make still clearer to the voter just what these emblems signify, the names of the various parties endorsing the candidate occupy a short space to the right of the candidate's name.

Boston Common, which attracted many thousands of persons by its spectacular features. On Tuesday 8,000 of the workers in Boston will be on duty near the polling places, carrying flags and wearing posters bearing the inscription, "Show Your Faith in the Women of Massachusetts by Voting 'Yes'."

PERKINS WINDS UP CAMPAIGN.

Predicts Victory and Calls Swann a Blind for Tammany.

Charles A. Perkins, Republican candidate for District Attorney, wound up his campaign last night at a mass meeting in Durand's Riding Academy, Sixty-sixth Street and Central Park West. Among other things, he said:

"I have had from the beginning practically no doubt of my election, being confident that if the people of this county realized what the real issue was they would meet it as they always have met it when it has been brought home to them before."

"From the beginning of my campaign I have met most enthusiastic and appreciative audiences, but particularly within the last week there has been evidence that the voters now realize that Judge Swann's candidacy for the District Attorneyship is simply a blind for Tammany's efforts to again interpose itself in that office as it succeeded in doing eighteen years ago."

"The candidacy of Mr. Moss, which at first threatened to disrupt the vote which I first normally expect, has proved to be but a flash in the pan, and that the only possible result of his activities, if they are successful, would be the election of the Tammany candidate, is now so thoroughly understood that he is universally recognized for what he is."

"I believe that this is the first time that any candidate has had two Tammany opponents in the field, and I believe that together they can poll only such a vote as would be cast in Tammany's favor for a single candidate."

"The hopelessness of Mr. Moss's candidacy being so universally recognized, and the nature of his campaign, with its insinuations and misrepresentation of facts, and his appeal to the racial and religious prejudices and distortions of the real issue, has alienated from him the support of those who have admired the work that he has done in the past. We can view only with deep regret the pathetic spectacle of his departing in his old age from the public life for which he fought during his youth and manhood."

Judge Swann is a true product of the Tammany machine, and has received from that machine all political purposes of that machine, and he may as safely be trusted to do what that machine desires him to do as elected, to appoint his staff from a list submitted to him by Tammany, and thereby to turn over his office to those who will use it for promoting Tammany's political fortunes. Those active in his campaign have been making the customary Tammany appeal for Tammany support."

Among other speakers were Job E. Hedges, William M. Chandler, and Frank E. Bowers, Republican candidate for Sheriff.

ONE BIG PLUM IN JERSEY.

Politicians Fighting for Control of the State Treasury.

Special to The New York Times.

TRENTON, N. J., Oct. 30.—Control of the incoming Legislature, insuring the State Treasury for the victorious party, is the big stake in next Tuesday's election in New Jersey. Six senators and sixty assemblymen are to be elected.

There will be one referendum on which all voters will be entitled to ballot. It is to be a referendum on the State bonds for the purchase of the Wharton tract in South Jersey for use as a potable water supply for municipalities in that section. It is estimated the cost will be about \$1,000,000.

Several other referendums will be on the subject of the number of members of the Senate and the House of Assembly. The party in control of the Legislature, and Newton A. K. Bugbee, the party's State Chairman, issued a statement today predicting that the Republican majority in each house would be considerably enlarged.

The three-year term of State Treasurer Edward E. Grosceup will expire March 1, and his successor will be elected by the Legislature in joint session. He will be retained if the Democrats can get control, but will be replaced if the Republicans maintain their present position. In the latter event there may be a lively fight for the berth. Ex-Gov. E. C. Stokes is said to want the office over to Chairman Bugbee, while ex-Governor Franklin Murphy wants ex-State Treasurer Voorhees to have it again.

TAMMANY PREDICTS SWEEPING VICTORY

Expects to Elect Entire Wigwag Ticket and Get Control of Aldermen.

SUFFRAGE PROSPECTS DARK

Defeat by More Than 100,000 Votes Forecast—Prophets Divided on New Constitution.

One of the quietest political campaigns ever held in the city, so far as candidates are concerned, closed last night. Woman suffrage and the proposed new Constitution furnished the only excitement, except in certain districts where local campaigns were waged. The big fight has been on the candidates for District Attorney, Charles A. Perkins, the nominee for the Republicans; Judge Edward Swann, for the Democrats; and Frank Moss, for the Progressives and the American Party, who each made hard fights.

The contest for Sheriff also has stood out, principally because of the activity of Sheriff Griffenhagen, who has campaigned in the interest of the Republican nominee, Frank K. Bowers. The Democratic nominee, Assemblyman Alfred E. Smith, has made no campaign of his own, but has rested on the endorsement of organizations, not the least being the Citizens Union, a non-partisan body.

Mr. Perkins has made many speeches in various Republican Assembly districts and various lawyers have addressed meetings in his behalf. Judge Swann has made few speeches, but his campaign committee has sent out documents to the voters asking them to support the Tammany ticket.

The Republican district leaders think that Mr. Bowers has a fair chance of being elected, but the indications are that the Tammany candidate, Mr. Smith, will win easily. It is conceded by the Democrats that Mr. Perkins, the present District Attorney, will win much larger vote than Mr. Bowers. Charles F. Murphy, the Tammany leader, would make no mistake, but other Tammany leaders said that Judge Swann would be elected by about 25,000 majority, and that Mr. Smith would run ahead of him to the extent of about 10,000.

Expect Moss to Get 12,000

Mr. Moss has been making a vigorous campaign, but it is acknowledged that he will poll into the Republican rather than the Tammany vote, and that he will poll between 12,000 and 15,000. Several Republican leaders said they would not be surprised if Mr. Moss polled as many as 20,000 votes, but the consensus among the Republican and Democratic leaders is that he will get about 12,000. Leaders of both parties agree that Mr. Moss will draw most of his strength from the Republicans, which will make

It easier for Judge Swann to win. Several leaders of both parties, whose figures have been fairly accurate in the past, said last night that Mr. Moss might poll votes enough to beat out Mr. Perkins. Mr. Moss or his managers are not making any claims.

The indications, based on the figures of the various candidates, are that the entire Tammany ticket will be elected. Tammany itself feels sure of the result. It has spent little money and it has refrained from a vigorous campaign. The organization has based its expectation of victory on several factors, not the least being the present Mitchell Administration. The wholesale reduction in the salaries of city employees, as well as the enormous increase in personal assessment, they say, is bound to work in favor of Democratic victory. The aftermath of a Fusion Administration, Tammany figures, is sure to help the organization.

While neither the Republican nor the Democratic county organizations would make any predictions regarding the woman suffrage vote or the vote on the proposed Constitution, they admitted that these were the only large factors in the local campaign, and that they overshadowed the interest in candidates. Leaders of both parties are in accord on the vote for woman suffrage. They predict that it will be beaten in the State by between 100,000 and 200,000 votes. Neither organization has made any definite attitude officially on the question, but the word has gone forth among the district leaders that it must be beaten. Some of the more optimistic leaders believe that the suffrage amendment possibly will be carried in New York City, but that the State vote will swamp it. It is conceded that in certain districts of the city woman suffrage will receive a surprisingly large vote.

Divided on Constitution.

As far as the proposed new Constitution is concerned, there is a diversity of opinion between the Republican and Democratic leaders. The Republicans admit it will have hard sledding in the city, but think it may win a big vote in the up-State counties. They predict that the proposed Constitution will be carried in the State, but they do not give any figures. The Democratic leaders are convinced that the Constitution will be beaten, not only in the city but in the State, but no figures are available.

In the city the big fight, so far as the organization leaders are concerned, is among the Assemblymen and the Aldermen. There are 30 Assemblymen and 25 Aldermen. The Democrats hope to reduce this number to twenty-five or thirty, and the Republicans hope to increase it to thirty or thirty-five. The Republicans are sure they will wipe out this majority and obtain control of the board. City, but one, of the many votes will sit in the Board of Estimate with three votes, consequently upon the resignation of President McAneny.

William Church Osborn, Chairman of the Democratic State Committee, said last night:

"The salient feature of this election is the heavy registration in both rural and city districts. This puzzles the most experienced observers."

Does it mean interest in the suffrage or Constitutional amendments?"

"I am no prophet, and have made no predictions, nor do I make any now. I have heard from many districts on the subject of woman suffrage, and have no advice to indicate that that amendment will receive treatment any different from that in New Jersey."

My advice on the Constitution were unfavorable to its passage up to this week. I have recently received one or two indications of stronger support. Without a clearer understanding of the

The fight to control the Board of Aldermen has kept leaders of both parties on the jump. The biggest fight is in the Sixth, Eighth, Eighteenth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second, Twenty-sixth, and Twenty-ninth Aldermanic Districts. In the Sixth the Republicans hope to re-elect Frank J. Dolan. The Democratic candidate is E. I. Silberstein. The vote between the two will be close. The effort of Tammany to defeat the Democratic candidate, Louis Jackson, and it is said the conditions favor the Democrats.

Brooklyn there is nothing to show that any great number of Democrats has been won to the Republican ticket, and disinterested observers are inclined to the belief that the democracy will win. For the first time in many years the vote for the fusion movement in Brooklyn with apparent confidence, decided to go to the Democrats.

The entire Democratic county ticket, said McCooey, will be swept into office by majorities upward of 5,000. The indefatigable record of the Republicans in the city and county of the vote, our ticket, thousands of independent voters. The electorate will not overlook the imposition of the \$10,000,000 direct State tax by the Republican Legislature of 1913, nor will the increase in the city tax be forgotten on Election Day. We are confident of electing eighteen of the twenty-three Assemblymen and fifteen of the twenty-four Aldermen.

There is a strong sentiment in favor of some of the amendments submitted to the voters, think that all but one will be beaten. The one exception is the Barge Canal amendment. I think that there is a strong sentiment in favor of that in the borough."

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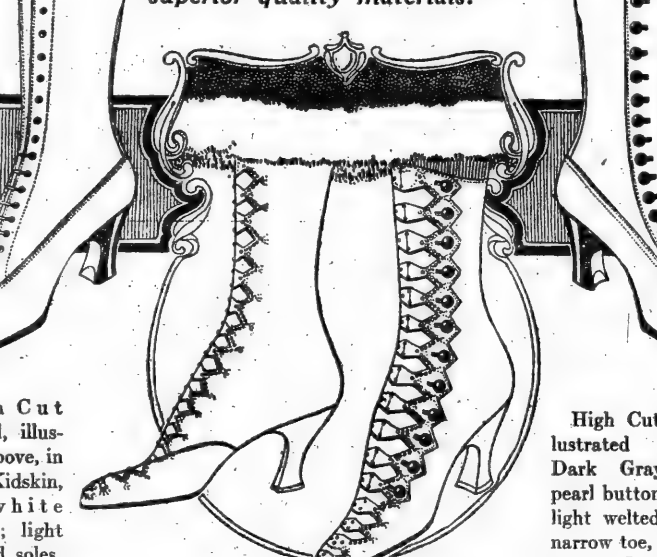
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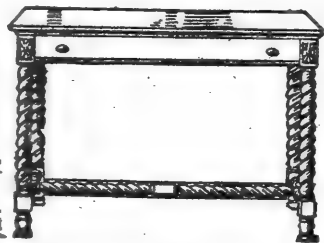
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This Furniture has been selected from our regular stock, and in order to accommodate Holiday Merchandise it is necessary to dispose of same at these exceptionally low prices.



Table

as illustrated

\$15.00

Regularly 30.00.

This and the items listed below comprise only a few of the excellent values offered in this sale.

	Regular Price.	Selling Price.
English Morocco Leather Chair.....	66.00	33.00
English Morocco Leather Chair.....	64.75	32.25
Mahogany Sofa, Sheraton model.....	79.00	39.50
Mahogany Sofa, Sheraton model.....	79.00	39.50
Upholstered Sofa.....	65.00	32.50
Upholstered Chair, loose cushion.....	40.50	20.25
Mahogany Armchair, velour seat and back.....	32.00	16.00
Upholstered Wing Chair.....	35.00	17.50
Upholstered Wing Chair.....	40.00	20.00
Overstuffed Sofa.....	104.00	52.00
Crocheted Mahogany Curio Cabinet.....	140.00	60.00
Mahogany Console Table.....	125.00	62.50
Mahogany Frame Mirror to match.....	70.00	35.00
Sheraton Model China Closet.....	60.00	30.00
Hepplewhite Model China Closet.....	64.75	32.25
Colonial Model China Closet.....	80.00	40.00
Sheraton Model China Closet.....	94.50	47.25
Mahogany Chiffonier, Sheraton model.....	105.00	52.50
Mahogany Chiffonier, Colonial model.....	154.00	77.00
Mahogany Chiffonier, Sheraton model.....	84.00	42.00
Mahogany Chiffonier, Colonial model.....	137.00	68.50
Circassian Walnut Bed, single size.....	63.00	31.50
Walnut Toilet Table.....	45.00	22.50
Walnut Toilet Table.....	54.00	27.00
Walnut Toilet Table.....	30.00	15.00
Mahogany Twin Beds, Adam model.....	56.00	28.00
Mahogany Twin Beds, Sheraton model.....	68.00	34.00
Gray Enamel Dresser.....	95.00	47.50
Gray Enamel Bed.....	61.00	30.50

Remarkable Offerings

FUR COATS, MUFFS, & SCARFS.

An interesting stock of Fur Garments, Muffs and Neckpieces in all the new models, including conservative as well as more luxurious garments, at moderate prices.



Hudson Seal Coat, as illustrated; distinctive model, made from the finest seal dyed Muskrat pelts with muffer collar, deep cuffs and border of Natural Skunk or Beaver. 185.00 actual value 265.00

Hudson Seal Coats in extra large sizes ranging from 42 to 50 inch bust measure; made from selected skins, 42 inches long. Special 145.00

Hudson Seal Coats with collar, cuffs and border of Beaver or Real Skunk; richly lined; 45 inches long. Special 135.00

Persian Lamb Coats of choice lustrous skins with Skunk collar; 40 inches long. Special 145.00

Real Skunk..... 27.50 16.50

Beaver..... 24.50 15.00

Natural Lynx..... 32.50 27.50

Dyed Silver Fox..... 45.00 32.50

HAIR GOODS SALON

A special purchase of Hair Goods, just received, comprising Switches, Transformations, Pompadours, Waves and Parted Pieces, in a complete assortment of shades, including Gray. Many Parisian Novelty Hair Pieces.

Prices range 5.00 to 25.00

Extraordinary Sale

Seamless Royal Wilton Rugs

29.00 regularly 39.50

250 Rugs, size 9x12 ft., purchased months ago at much below their actual value, are being offered in this sale at about wholesale price.

The collection includes exceptionally high-grade Rugs, woven in one piece, guaranteed to give entire satisfaction. Choice patterns and colors for parlor, living room and dining room.

NO C. O. D.'S

NO CREDITS

NO APPROVALS

DINNER SERVICES

Excellent Values

American Porcelain, conventional border decoration with gold tracings and lines; 101 pieces; also Austrian China, dainty floral decorations; 100 pieces. 15.00

Limoges China, pretty floral decoration with coin gold handles; 100 pieces. Also American Porcelain, conventional border design with coin gold edge and handles; 107 pieces. regularly 25.00, 20.00

English or American Porcelain with Persian or Blue Grecian border or coin gold band with coin gold handles; also black and white open stock pattern; 101 pieces. 25.00

Limoges China, pretty conventional border, with floral relief and coin gold handles; 101 pieces. 32.50

Theodore Haviland & Co. Limoges China, dainty floral border design with solid coin gold handles; 101 pieces. 60.00

regularly 75.00

ELECTRIC LAMPS

Greatly Underpriced

Solid Mahogany Electric Boudoir Lamps with fancy silk shade, in any desired color; fitted with wire drawn Tungsten bulbs. 2.25

Carved Gold Wood Boudoir Lamps with fancy 10-inch silk shade; any color; fitted with wire drawn Tungsten bulbs. 3.50

Solid Mahogany Table Lamps, hand-rubbed finish; 18-inch flat or straight silk Empire shade; silk lined, silk fringe; 26 inches high. regularly 10.00, 6.75

Hand-carved Solid Mahogany Table Lamps; two lights; 18-inch flat silk Empire shade with silk fringe; any color. regularly 15.00, 10.00

Metal Table Lamps, two lights; 18-inch art glass shade; Verde green finish. 12.00

regularly 17.00

Floor Lamps of Solid Mahogany, Burnished Gold Wood or finished in Antique Ivory Enamel; square or fluted column; two lights; complete with 22 or 24-inch silk shade; 4-inch silk fringe. regularly 20.00, 12.50

BLANKETS, COMFORTABLES & BED SPREADS—Specially Priced

White Wool Blankets with pink or blue borders; double bed size. pair 4.00, 5.50 and 8.75

Colored Wool Blankets in plaid patterns; three-quarter bed size. pair 4.75

Comfortables, Figured Silkline; cotton filled. each 1.75

Figured Mull; cotton filled. each 2.75

Figured Nainsook; wool filled. each 4.50

Bed Spreads, Satin finish; hemmed; full size. each 2.50

Satin finish; scalloped; full size. each 3.95

Annual Silk Sale

One of the Most Important Events

Over 100,000 Yards of "McCreery Silks"

At the Lowest Prices of the Year

The Season's Most Fashionable Weaves and Colors

Values are obtainable now which cannot be duplicated at any other time. Present low prices invite the thoughtful attention of those planning gifts for the approaching holiday season.

American Model Gowns made of "McCreery Silks" will be shown in the Silk Department during this sale.

The following Double Width Weaves are in complete assortments of Evening, Reception and Street shades; also White, Cream or Black.

Imported Crepe Chiffon de Soie. yd. 68c regularly 95c

Voile Marquisette. yd. 95c regularly 1.50

Superior Quality Crepe de Chine. yd. 95c regularly 1.35

Crepe Meteor. regularly 1.85, yd. 1.25

Chiffon Dress Taffeta. yd. 1.15 regularly 1.50

Faille Poplin. regularly 1.75, yd. 1.15

Imperial Dress Satin. yd. 1.35 regularly 2.00

Satin Messaline. regularly 1.25, yd. 75c

Military Plaid and Stripe Taffetas and Satins, Pompadour and Oriental Printed Satins and Chiffons, in a wonderful variety of choice color combinations. yd. 95c regularly 1.50

Black Dress Silks and Satins of standard qualities and newest weaves. yd. 85c to 1.50 regularly 1.25 to 2.50

Special Offerings—VELVET DEPARTMENT

Double Width Black Chiffon Velvet Faconne. regularly 6.50, yd. 2.35

Double Width Black Chiffon Dress Velvet. regularly 4.50, yd. 2.85

Double Width Black Chiffon Dress Velvet. regularly 6.00, yd. 3.25

Black Chiffon Velvet, 27 inches wide. regularly 3.00, yd. 1.85

WOOL DRESS GOODS—Exceptional Values

Imported Black Broadcloth Suiting, soft quality; satin finish. yd. 1.85

Superior quality Broadcloth Suiting, brilliant finish; soft quality; full range of this season's best colors. yd. 1.75

54-inch Black all Wool Dress Serge, suitable for skirts and dresses. yd. 1.25

Imported All Wool Velour Suiting, new Parisian colors; excellent quality. yd. 1.85

REAL LACES

25% to 50% Less Than Regular Prices

Real Rose Point Lace. yd. 1.95 to 55.00 regularly 2.95 to 85.00

Real Duchesse and Duchesse with Point Laces. yd. 2.35 to 32.00 regularly 3.50 to 48.00

Real Point Applique Lace. yd. 1.25 to 16.75 regularly 1.95 to 25.00

Real Limerick Lace. yd. 2.25 to 19.50 regularly 4.50 to 38.00

Real Carrick-ma-cross Lace. yd. 1.50 to 17.50 regularly 2.95 to 35.00

Real Point Venise Lace. yd. 1.25 to 22.50 regularly 2.50 to 45.00

Real Bruges Lace. yd. 75c to 9.00 regularly 1.50 to 18.00

Real Cluny Lace. yd. 3.95 to 13.00 regularly 5.95 to 17.50

Real Binche Lace. yd. 38c to 4.35 regularly 75c to 8.75

Included is a complete line of Cluny, Irish, Venise and Filet Medallions at unusual price concessions.

Parisian Novelty Laces, comprising a variety of choice designs in the popular light weight Metal Laces in Gold, Silver and Steel on silk, cotton and filet nets. The desired trimming widths and demi-flouncings for afternoon frocks and evening gowns. yd. 75c to 4.95 regularly 1.50 to 7.95

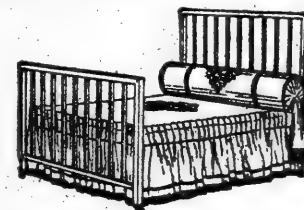
Chiffon and Colored Net Lace Novelties with metal combinations. yd. 25c to 3.95 regularly 50c to 5.95

BEDDING WEEK

Monday, November 1st to 8th, Inclusive

This sale includes Brass and Iron Beds, Springs, Mattresses, Pillows and Couch Beds at the lowest prices consistent with high grade Bedding.

The following items illustrate only a few of the remarkable offerings in this sale.



Ivory Enameled Iron Bed, as illustrated, with square tubing. All sizes.

10.00

regularly 14.00

Brass Beds with 2-inch Colonial posts and eleven filler rods. 25.00

regularly 35.00

Brass Beds with 2-inch Colonial posts; panel in head and foot. 17.50

regularly 30.00

McCreery "Hand-Laid" Mattresses. regularly 45.00, 35.00

Extra Heavy Woven Wire Springs. regularly 6.50, 5.00



Brass Bed, as illustrated, with 2-inch posts and 1 1/2 inch square top rods. All sizes.

27.00

regularly 38.00

"McCreery Special" Black Curled Hair Mattresses with French roll edge. regularly 35.00, 25.00

No. 1 Black Curled Hair Mattresses. regularly 26.00, 19.50

Pure Layer Felt Mattresses. 15.00

regularly 20.00

French Upholstered Box Springs. regularly 20.00, 15.00

"McCREERY LINENS"

Pronounced Reductions

1,500 Irish Linen Damask Tablecloths, 2x2 yards. each 2.95

regularly 5.00

Linen Damask Tablecloths; 2x2 yards. regularly 2.75, 1.90

2x2 1/2 yds. regularly 3.75, 2.65 2x3 yds. regularly 4.50, 3.25

Napkins to match: 22x22 in. regularly 3.75, doz. 2.65 24x24 in. regularly 4.50, doz. 3.25

1,200 Yards Heavy Linen Table Damask. regularly 1.50, yd. 1.00

Hemstitched Linen Sheets, Single size. regularly 5.75, pr. 4.50 Double size. regularly 7.00, pr. 5.50

Hemstitched Linen Pillow Cases, size 22 1/2 x 36. pr. 90c, 1.25 and 1.75

regularly 1.25, 1.75 and 2.50

Hemstitched Linen Huck Towels. doz. 2.95, 3.75 and 4.50

regularly 4.20, 4.50 and 6.00

ELECTIONS TUESDAY IN EIGHT STATES

Massachusetts, Maryland, Kentucky, and Mississippi Will Each Elect a Governor.

BAY STATE CONTEST CLOSE

Democratic Disaffection a Factor in Maryland—Kentucky Democrats Confident—Issues Elsewhere.

Eight States—New York, Massachusetts, Maryland, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Kentucky, Ohio, and Mississippi—will hold elections on Tuesday, Nov. 2. In four of these States—Massachusetts, Maryland, Kentucky, and Mississippi—Governors are to be elected; in six States—New York, Massachusetts, Maryland, New Jersey, Kentucky, and Mississippi—the State Legislatures, in whole or in part, are to be elected; and in five States—New York, Massachusetts, Maryland, Pennsylvania, and Ohio—important constitutional issues are to be decided. With a few local exceptions, in fact, these constitutional questions will be the dominant issues, including woman suffrage, municipal home rule, prohibition, State income taxes, referendum plans, and some lesser reforms.

The suffrage question will come up for decision in New York, Pennsylvania, and Massachusetts, which States will furnish, in point of population, the greatest test of the suffrage issue has ever had in the United States. New York, Pennsylvania, and Massachusetts together contain more than 30,000,000 people, the population of the entire United States and practically double the population of the States in which equal suffrage has been fully achieved.

Massachusetts Greatly in Doubt. BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 30.—Doubt is cast on Tuesday's election. The issue of Samuel W. McCall and Governor David I. Walsh, respectively the Republican and Democratic candidates, is making the campaign a pre-election campaign, all at sea, owing to the uncertainty which attends the minor candidates, those of William Shaw, the candidate of the Prohibitionists, and Nelson B. Clark, the standard bearer of the Progressives who refused to follow Charles Sumner Bird into the Republican fold.

Clark's platform is of his own making, his party convention having ignored the issue upon which he is campaigning, opposition to the alleged ambitions of the Roman Catholic Church. The American Citizen, organ of what used to be called the American Protestant Association, in its issue this week, asserts that 70,000 voters will mark Clark's name on their ballots. This is believed to be an exaggerated estimate, but widespread figures that a vote of even 20,000 for Clark would mean the defeat of McCall and the election of Walsh.

The candidacy of Shaw, too, will draw from the Republican Party. Shaw is the General Secretary of the United States Society of Christian Endeavor, and it is expected that he will poll a considerable church vote. The normal Prohibition vote in this State barely exceeds 5,000, but there is evidence that this year these figures will be at least doubled, maybe quadrupled.

The outlook for McCall, it will be seen, is not of the brightest. Walsh defeated him last year by 11,000. This year Walsh, it is assumed, will poll the strength of the Democratic Party, which is in excess of 200,000 votes, and many men not Democrats will give him their suffrage on the ground that it is customary to give a Governor three terms. The attacks that have been made upon his administration apparently have failed to reach a vital spot, and his youth and agreeable personality are strong assets.

Democratic Disaffection in Maryland. Special to The New York Times. BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 30.—Maryland's United States Senators—John Walter Smith and Blair Lee—are expected by President Wilson and the Democratic National Executive Committee to carry the State next Tuesday not only as an endorsement of the administration, but for the effect upon next year's Presidential contest. Secretary Tumulty and Secretary Tom Pence of the National Committee attended the final campaign rallies. The President has taken a deep interest in the campaign. He realizes, as do the Democratic State leaders, that there is an uncertainty about the 17,000 independent votes which generally control Maryland State issues overshadow National issues, and there is a strong feeling against the Democratic machine, which Senator Smith controls. For this reason, with others, the result is in doubt on the Governorship, and the vote will be close. The fight centres on the head of the ticket, and the indications are that anti-Democratic candidates for Controller and Attorney General will run far ahead of the candidate for Governor. The Democrats, it is believed, will elect a majority of both branches of the Legislature.

Emerson C. Harrington, the Democratic candidate for Governor, is the present Controller and an out-of-the-routine politician. Ovington E. Weller, the Republican candidate for Governor, is chairman of the State Roads Commission, and not in any sense a machine man, although he has the State organization of his party with him.

Four years ago the Democrats were not united and they lost the Governorship, though the Legislature remained Democratic. The trouble then was the bitterness between Senator Lee and State Senator Arthur P. Gorman, whose aim has been to succeed his father as a political leader. This year the situation is similar. Senator Lee entered the primaries as a candidate for the gubernatorial nomination. Senator Smith, who is Lee's bitterest political enemy, then forced the nomination of Harrington by the power of the State machine. Thus the feeling between the two Senators may lose the Democrats the Governorship.

Weller, the Republican candidate, has promised, if elected, to give the State a business administration. He has the support of all the Progressives, as well as of all the Republicans. If the latter can poll 50 per cent. of their registered vote Weller may win. Much, of course, will depend upon the extent of the Democratic defection. The Democrats are not sanguine, as a rule they offer odds in the betting, but this time they are offering only even money.

Straight Party Contest in Kentucky. Special to The New York Times. LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 30.—Both Democratic and Republican party leaders anticipate heavy balloting next Tuesday when a Governor, an entire State ticket, the full membership of the lower house, and half of the Senate are to be elected. In the last week the Republicans and Democrats have had special trains out in the State bearing speakers of note.

Although the Democrats are predicting 30,000 majority for A. O. Stanley, the Democratic gubernatorial nominee, the sudden flare of Republican enthusiasm and the wedding of the Progressive and Republican has alarmed some of the Democrats. Where the Republicans got the money to put special trains in the field and to carry on such an extensive program in the final week of the campaign has been the source of much speculation.

The prohibition question, which the Progressives have tried to inject into the campaign, has failed. That was fought out by the Republicans and Democrats in their platform conventions. The woman suffrage plank of the Progressives has elicited little enthusiasm. Only a few thousand votes for the Bull Moose ticket is anticipated by the leaders of the two rival dominant parties.

It is the next straight party fight Kentucky has had for a long time, and as the State is normally Democratic the leaders of that party feel confident. The Republicans are centering their big guns on the record of the State administration, while the Democrats are calling on their followers to vote the ticket and uphold the National Administration.

MAX FERTIG LACES
REAL Madeira Embroidered Linens
Before trouble on the high seas cut off deliveries from abroad we took the entire stock of these articles from an importer at a price far below the present market. We are now giving our customers the benefit of our early purchase, at prices almost unbelievably low.
Sale Begins 8:30 A. M. Monday

REAL MADEIRA LUNCHEON SET
(As illustrated)
15 pieces fine blind and crevet work; hand embroidered and hand scalloped.
Reg. \$7.00; set.....\$4.50

MADEIRA CENTER PIECES
Hand embroidered and hand scalloped, on fine Irish linen.
Reg. \$2.25; each.....\$1.45
Reg. \$4.25; each.....\$2.95

MADEIRA PILLOW CASES
Baby or flannel size.
Reg. \$3.00; each.....\$1.90
Reg. \$3.90; each.....\$2.50

MADEIRA LUNCHEON NAPKINS
(As illustrated)
Hand embroidered and hand scalloped.
Reg. \$6.50; per dozen.....\$4.25
30 East 34th St. (Opposite)
Mail Orders Carefully Filled

The Store will be closed all day Tuesday, November 2nd (Election Day)

B. Altman & Co.

Thirty-fourth Street

FIFTH AVENUE - MADISON AVENUE, NEW YORK

Thirty-fifth Street

TELEPHONE 7000 MURRAY HILL

The Season for . . . Wedding Gifts

lends an added interest to the rarely beautiful collection of Sterling Silver now exhibited in the Department on the First Floor. Of particular distinction are the examples of Hollow Ware, Flatware and Toilet Ware in the newest and choicest designs and patterns; also many articles of Hollow Ware in the

SHEFFIELD REPRODUCTIONS. Flatware in plated silver, in selected patterns, and of the very best quality obtainable is of unusual interest.

Marvex Gloves

New shipments of these celebrated gloves have recently been received from Trefousse et Cie. of Chaumont, France, who make these Gloves exclusively for B. Altman & Co.

The correct style and pre-eminent quality are universally recognized by a large and discriminating clientele.

In the Stationery Dep't will be found the newest styles in papers for social usages. The exquisite finish and colors will appeal to refined tastes.

At this season special attention is directed to

CHRISTMAS CARDS

of attractive designs and appropriate for personal greetings. Orders placed now may be held for future delivery.

Desk requisites are also a special feature of this Department.

The New Silhouette Underwear

in original styles, designed exclusively for B. Altman & Co., is presented in all the dainty garments of the modern lingerie wardrobe: Nightrobes, Chemises, Combinations and Bodices.

In the Modish Black Materials and Pure-dye Washable Satin, now quite generally adopted as a distinctive note in undergarments, individual models have been recently developed. The Department is replete with strikingly new modes.

Women's Ready-to-wear Department

For to-morrow (Monday)

An Extraordinary Sale of Tailor-made Suits

in a number of new styles:

Velour de laine, or Broadcloth, trimmed with real Skunk at \$38.00

Fashionable Mourning Attire

is presented in many exclusive and tasteful modes, including Tailor-made Suits, Silk Gowns, Blouses, and the accessories of the correct mourning costume. The prices will be found most moderate.

A Special Offering for Monday will consist of

HANDSOME FUR-TRIMMED BLACK GOWNS

developed from B. Altman & Co.'s reliable silk fabrics, at the unusual price of \$57.00

FUR DEPARTMENT

An Exhibition and Sale of Magnificent

Natural Blue Fox Furs

from the United States Government Alaska Reservations will be held in the Fur Department (Third Floor)

Commencing to-morrow (Monday)

MATCHED PAIRS OR SINGLE PELTS

for individual selection will be offered at exceptionally attractive prices, considering the quality and the great demand for these Furs of elegance and refinement.



For the Opera, Theatre and the many interesting events

that go to the making of a brilliant season in town and country

B. Altman & Co. have in readiness the most exclusive modes that it is possible to produce.

THE CORRECTNESS OF THE STYLES IS ABSOLUTELY UNQUESTIONED.

Athletic events have been particularly considered in providing Coats and Suits especially designed for the forthcoming games and pastimes both indoors and out in the open.



Coats, touched with fur; Sweater Coats of Jersey Wool; also Sweaters of Shetland Wool and Spencers.

Golf Waistcoats of wool and Vests of quilted silk are shown in smart assortments, while the outdoor accessories of Scarfs, Caps and Tam o'Shanter, in silk or wool, foretell the correct garb for Sports wear.

The Lucerne Scarf-hat (registered)

B. Altman & Co. are introducing exclusively in Greater New York one of the most entrancing styles in this season of original modes, in the charming Scarf-hat, to be worn with skating costumes, or for motor-ing and other out-door pastimes. These are developed in black Panne Velvet with vivid contrasts in ribbon effects, or of Panne combined with Beaver, or of Angora Wool, Jersey Wool and Zibeline, or Jersey Silk, in a variety of colors.

(Shown in the Millinery Department on the First Floor, and in the Women's Sweater Department on the Second Floor)

Skating and Auto Hoods of Fur with Stole effects

are also fascinating developments of this original mode. Some of these Hoods are so designed that they may be converted into Stoles, to which the combinations of fur lend a peculiar richness and beauty. (Shown in the Fur Department)

Custom-made Corsets

Those who have been accustomed to having their corsets made abroad will find special facilities in the establishment for the making to order of corsets after the latest French patterns and designs. Special attention is given to individual measurements for corsets made to order. Work-rooms on premises.

The Vogue of the Sweater Coat

continues to be expressed in charmingly individual styles, including Women's and Misses' Silk Sweater

"We combine made-to-measure satisfaction with ready-to-wear convenience." And, having workrooms on premises, we not only offer you low prices, but superior materials and workmanship.

Lane Bryant

25 West 38th Street

Announce for Monday and Tuesday

Important

Sale of Waists

All sizes (36 to 48 bust measure) but not every size in every style. The season's smartest models and newest materials and colorings. Don't miss these extraordinary values!

at 4.95 Dressy Georgette crepe waists; smart models in pussy willow, crepe meteor or heavy crepe de chine—white, flesh, navy, Copenhagen or black. Odd lace waists. Values to 15.00

at 3.45 Elegant waists of black chiffon over white chiffon or white lace. Also 3 styles in heavy white crepe de chine; some flesh or black. Values to 6.95

at 2.95 An exceptionally dainty and becoming bolero model in fine cream shadow lace over white chiffon. Values to 4.95 (Other Waists 95 to 25.00)

For Stout Figures—

Every edict of fashion adapted by Lane Bryant to give figures (35% to 55 bust) slender lines and poise.
Dresses.....11.75 to 127.50
Suits.....24.00 to 143.50
Skirts.....9.00 to 24.75
Costs.....12.75 to 143.00
Waists.....14.75 to 55.00
Negligees.....1.95 to 37.50
Corsets and Underwear
to fit you from stock, no matter what your figure or bust measure—a service no other house can render.

Maternity Apparel

Differ in no way from prevailing modes. Not an "additional" expense—fit when figure is normal.
Dresses.....8.50 to 74.50
Suits.....24.00 to 143.50
Skirts.....9.00 to 24.75
Costs.....12.75 to 143.00
Waists.....14.75 to 55.00
Negligees.....1.95 to 37.50
Corsets and Underwear
create proper balance through changing proportions and allow for automatic expansion.

Phone 5416
Greely Lane Bryant 25 West 38th Street

In the Lace Drapery Section

(Fourth Floor)

and also on the Main Floor a Sale for Monday will present a beautiful collection of hand-made

IMPORTED FILET LACE DECORATIVE PIECES

comprising Table Covers, in round or square shapes, with complete Sets to match each style, and also Individual Pieces.

With the special view of affording an opportunity for the selection of rich and exquisite gifts the following unusually attractive values will be offered:

Hand-made Filet Lace Covers at \$2.75, 3.25, 4.00 to 55.00
Hand-made Filet Lace Runners at 6.00, 6.75, 7.00 to 15.00
Hand-made Filet Lace Pillow Covers at 3.50, 4.50, 5.00 to 15.00
Hand-made Filet Lace Chair Backs, at 2.85, 4.00, 5.50 to 10.50
Hand-made Filet Lace Arm Pieces, at 1.25, 1.50, 1.75 to 2.75



**Chickering Hall
Musicales**
November 2nd, 4th, 6th
Soloists
Virginia Root... Soprano
W. Paulding de Nike,
Cellist.

Founded 1826

Greeley 1900

Lord & Taylor

28th Street

FIFTH AVENUE

39th Street

A Service
for
Home Dressmakers
Butterick Patterns
Correctly proportioned
patterns that simplify the
art of home clothes mak-
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Second Floor.



The Most Important SWEATER SALE This Season

A Special Purchase of Wool Sweaters
To Be Sold At Wholesale Prices

This purchase comprises the surplus stock of one of the best known American Knitting Mills, a Manufacturer who makes only the best grade of all worsted sweaters. By agreeing to purchase the entire lot of the excess run of the looms we secured such price concessions as enable us to offer

These Fine Sweaters at Our Usual Cost Prices

Fresh and new, this season's styles in fashions, approved knits and weaves. Every imaginable color and shade and truly as smart garments as any we have seen this season.

250 Sweaters for Women—\$4.95

Usual Prices \$7.50 to \$10.00

All worsted Angora finish in solid colors, fancy stripes and combination of colors and Byron and shawl collars, some V neck. Rope stitch weaves for skating purposes. All sizes and all the new shades. A few of these are fur trimmed.

Third Floor.

200 Men's Sweaters—\$4.95

Usual Prices \$6.50 to \$8.50

In shaker, sweater knit, rope stitch, Angora finish; in grays, blue, tans; a big assortment of styles and all of the finest worsteds. Sizes 38 to 44.

For the Little Folks

400 Juvenile Combination Sets, consisting of Coat, Cap, Gloves and Leggings; the coats are Norfolk and plain models with military, Byron and shawl collars. All Angora finish in white, cardinal, Oxford, tan and castor.

250 sets, usually \$5.00 to \$6.50. Special \$3.35

150 sets, usually \$6.50 to \$8.00. Special \$4.85

These are fashioned goods of finest worsteds

No C. O. D.'s. No Approvals. No Returns except for size.

Fourth Floor.

RICH SILKS AND VELVETS

At the height of a season when these fabrics enjoy Fashion's supremest favor, values like these are indeed notable.

White Bridal Satins

Lustrous and exquisitely supple as the new modes demand; yard wide.

Usually \$2.50 a yard.....\$1.78

Black Satin Empress

One of the richest of dress silks and very serviceable. Width 40 inches.

Usually \$2.50 a yard.....\$1.85

Ground Floor.

Black Imperial Satins

Of marvellously beautiful texture. Width 54 inches. Seldom sold at less than \$5.00 a yard. \$2.95

Black Chiffon Dress Velvets

Imported from Lyons; width 41 to 42 inches.

Usually \$6.00 a yard.

Very special.....\$3.15

Ground Floor.

An Impressive Display of EVENING WRAPS

Never were garments more superb, more sumptuous!

The richness of fur with velvet

The gorgeous colorings

The loveliness of the silken linings

All these combine to make the evening wrap a marvel of elegance. The woman of fashion will be quick to recognize the distinction of the many magnificent garments which grace the Lord & Taylor collection. Such a wealth of models that but a hint can be given of their diversity and charm.

Featured for Monday's Selling

Chiffon Velvet Evening Wraps

Fur Trimmed.....\$60.00

In models made especially for Lord & Taylor, copies of imported wraps. Huge muff collars and deep cuffs of fur add the final note of elegance to these luxurious garments of silk chiffon velvet in

Rose, Turquoise, Pink, Amethyst, Damson,
Delft Blue, Plum, Maize, Taupe and Black

Silk lined and warmly interlined.

**White
Chiffon
Velvet**

makes a stately wrap with an extremely high collar and deep cuffs of Hudson Seal; a shimmering rainbow satin its lining.
\$75.00

**Rose Pink
Chiffon
Velvet**

a decidedly picturesque garment, low waisted, full skirted and with a soft, becoming collar and deep cuffs of taupe wolf.....\$85.00



Third Floor.

**Silver and
Gold Hand
Embroidery**

joins the black and white chiffon velvet of which a regal evening wrap is fashioned; the wide collar and cuffs are of white fox.
\$150.00

**Copied from
a Callot
Masterpiece**

this model in chiffon velvet in royal purple, porcelain or sapphire blue, draped artfully in points at the sides and with wide revers. Silver lynx fur makes the wide cuffs and the collar.
\$150.00

News of the Really NEWEST BLOUSES

Smart models in rich dark toned silks and laces that, worn with the tailored suit, transform it into a most effective costume. Dainty blouses of the laces, crepes and nets which women so adore, and a collection of Paris model blouses and their copies, which are of incomparable interest.

Featured for Monday Are

Tailored Silk Blouses

Of satin striped taffeta in navy, green, plum, brown, taupe and black; featuring an epaulet yoke, a military convertible collar. Special \$3.95

Georgette Crepe Blouses

In white, navy, green and African brown, fashioned of alternating bands of crepe and radium silk, embroidered and with all finishing details hemstitched.....\$5.00

**Embroidered Radium
Blouses**

In white and flesh; an exceptionally dainty model with eyelet embroidered fronts and finely corded seams. The military collar is convertible.....\$5.95

Third Floor.

Crepe de Chine Blouses

In white and flesh; a clever duplex model that buttons at front and back, featuring a very high collar and novel waistcoat effect.....\$5.95

**Lace and Georgette Crepe
Blouses**

In white or flesh pink; a lovely model; fine cluster tucking and Valenciennes lace insertion forming the entire blouse.....\$8.75

Tinted Lace Blouses

In navy, green, brown, cream, plum and black, a most effective model to match the new Tailored Suits. Chantilly lace and Georgette crepe over chiffon.....\$9.75

Third Floor.

Never Were Better Values in WOMEN'S WINTER COATS

\$25.00, \$29.50, \$35.00, \$39.50, \$50.00 to \$95.00

A collection of distinctly smart models in street and afternoon coats of the finer sort. Garments fashioned of the season's favored fabrics—

**Velour Cloth—Wool Plush—Sharkskin Velour—
Broadcloth—Novelty Mixtures**

with huge collars of fur. The majority of the coats have been made especially for Lord & Taylor with due regard for the requirements of a critical clientele. Every garment is warmly interlined and lined.

Especially attention is directed to the

Collection of Coats at \$50.00

most comprehensive showing in the city at this popular price.

Third Floor.

Monday, The Last Day of The Year's Greatest Linen Sale In America's Largest Linen Section

The gratifying response to this annual event has amply repaid us for the large purchase of linens made before the present shortage of flax and the untoward conditions of the foreign linen market. Tomorrow you will find many new linen values added to speed farewell to this most successful Sale of Fine Linen.

**Fine Irish Damask Table Cloths and
Napkins**

Table Cloths

2 x 2 yards.....\$2.00, 3.15, 4.95 and \$5.95

2 x 2 1/2 yards.....\$2.50, 3.95, 6.25 and \$7.45

2 x 3 yards.....\$3.00, 4.75, 7.45 and \$8.95

2 1/2 x 2 1/2 yards.....\$4.75, 6.35 and \$7.45

2 1/2 x 3 yards.....\$5.50, 8.25 and \$8.65

Napkins

A dozen.....\$2.85, 5.25, 6.50 and \$7.95

1000 Fine Damask Table Cloths

Usually \$4.75 to \$49.00.....\$2.38 to \$24.50

Second Floor.

Pure Linen Sheets

Single Bed Size, a pair.....\$4.50 and \$6.00

Double Bed Size, a pair.....\$5.50 and \$7.50

Linen Pillow Cases, a pair.....\$1.00 and \$2.00

Real Madeira Hand Embroidered Linens

Luncheon Sets, usually \$7.50.....\$4.85

Tea Napkins, a dozen usually \$7.50.....\$4.85

Just Received From Randalstown, Ireland,

A Shipment of the

Famous "Old Bleach" Huck Towels

Special Prices, a dozen.....\$6.50 to \$42.50

Second Floor.

Exceptional Values These

WOMEN'S FUR TRIMMED SUITS

At \$29.50

Few suits at \$39.50 can compare with them in style and quality. Faultlessly tailored of the best quality chiffon broadcloth in navy, African, green, field mouse and black. The coat in latest model, collared and cuffed with skunk opossum, has a full flaring skirt, edged with fur. The skirt on the most correct new lines.

**A Collection of Entirely
New Models in High Class Suits**

\$35.00, 39.50, 50.00 to \$65.00

Featuring the latest and smartest fabrics in every fashionable color, trimmed with the finer furs.

The coats of all Lord & Taylor suits are warmly interlined and lined.

Third Floor.

Rare and Exquisite ORIENTAL RUGS

At Very Special Prices

Lovers of fine rugs, of rare designs, faultless weaves and soft rich harmonious colorings will find the Lord & Taylor collection unique in its completeness. Our orders were placed some time ago at the lower market prices; hence these remarkable values. Included are—

**Persian
Chinese**

**Asia Minor
Laristan**

**Indo-Chinese
Shamir Rugs**

Large Room Size Carpets

In widths ranging from 12 to 19 feet and from 18 to 38 feet long.

\$565.00 to \$7500.00

Usually \$750.00 to \$15000.00

Popular Size Carpets

Excellent weaves and beautiful colorings; sizes 8x10 to 9x12 feet.

\$165.00 to \$225.00

Usually \$285.00 to \$395.00

Fifth Floor.

Small Oriental Rugs

A collection of several thousand "throw-about" and hall strips. Many fine antiques.

\$18.50 to \$55.00

Usually \$27.50 to \$85.00

Hall Strips

3 to 3 1/2 wide—9.0 to 12.0 long.

\$35.00 to \$95.00

Usually \$50.00 to \$150.00

The New Velveta Boots

Initial Showing by Lord & Taylor

Something new in feminine footwear? Yes—emphatically. And although this is a season when the boot-maker's art is much in evidence, the Velveta is his most distinctive achievement. "Boots must match the Costume," declared Madame Jenny in a recent interview. And in accordance with her decree, we present for the fashionable woman's approval Velveta Shoes, modeled of the finest, softest Suede leathers in richly effective shades of

**Green Blue Purple Brown
Pink Fawn Gray Chamois**

Very high cut, of course, on slender, graceful lines, with simulated tips. Fastened with the smartest of novelty buttons or laced through almost invisible eyelets. The Louis XVI heels are covered, the soles of medium weight.

\$9.00 and \$10.00

Colored Glace Kid Boots—fine and flexible, in similar styles, are shown in gray, brown, blue and black, plain or stitched with white. At the same prices.

Special for Monday and Tuesday

Black Glace Kid Boots

High cut laced or buttoned Boots, with Cuban Louis leather heels; modeled on the correct new lines and smartly stitched with white. One of the season's most favored styles. Usually \$6.00.....\$4.65

Second Floor.

FURS OF FASHION

Their name is legion. Never were Furs more universally worn, more decidedly the mode. Milady envelops herself in the most voluminous of Fur Coats or adds the final touch of smart style to her Tailored Costumes with a Fur Scarf and a Muff.

Furs of Fashion, if selected from Lord & Taylor assortments, are Furs of Dependability as well. And prices, quality considered, are very moderate.

Fur Coats

Natural Muskrat Coats.....\$67.50

Persian Lamb Coats.....\$145.00

Seal dyed Muskrat Coats.....\$110-\$165.00

Muffs—Scarfs

Black Fox.....\$24.50 Muffs.....\$28.50 Beaver.....\$27.50

Scarfs.....\$19.50 Scarfs.....\$21.50 Scarfs.....\$14.50

Fur trimmings in complete assortment.

Third Floor.

The Reign of Ribbons

Ribbons everywhere! Paris was first to acclaim them, and every great couturier has achieved the most wonderful effects with them. Jenny makes Dancing Frocks of them. Callot uses them lavishly in broad horizontal effects or to give the new silhouette. Paquin, Callot, Premet have with magical touch transformed them into girdles, cravats, sashes, entire bodices.

**Lord & Taylor Announce a Very
Special Purchase of Novelty Ribbons**

Usually 39c to \$1.50 a yard

Specially Priced 25c, 39c and 68c

Over 15,000 yards of them, including Wide Fancy Ribbons of taffeta and moire in flowered effects, Roman stripes, checks, plaids and plain colors.

Dresden and Moire Faille Ribbons in lovely light and dark colorings. Moire Brocade Ribbons. Tapestry and Heavy Moire Ribbons in beautiful color combinations and patterns.

Widths range from 5 to 10 inches.

To Demonstrate How Effectively Ribbons May be

Used, We Have Arranged a Display That Includes

Sport Coats, Girdles, Sashes, Bags in scores of styles and other useful

and ornamental novelties.

All are made of Ribbons which you will find in this sale.

Imported Novelty Ribbons, Metallic Brocaded Gauze, Velvet Brocaded and other rich effects for dress trimmings.....\$2.50 to \$13.50

Ground Floor.



LAWYERS CHAMPION NEW CONSTITUTION

George W. Wickersham Defends the Many Provisions for the Reform of the Courts.

O'BRIEN TELLS OF ECONOMY

Ex-Congressman Littleton Answers Some of the Objections Made by George W. Perkins.

George W. Wickersham, ex-United States Attorney General; ex-Judge Morgan J. O'Brien, and ex-Congressman Martin W. Littleton discussed the proposed State Constitution yesterday at a luncheon at the Lawyers' Club, 115 Broadway.

Mr. Wickersham said that the Constitution that concerned lawyers. Regarding the judicial system in the State he said:

"Two main considerations governed the Judiciary Committee in its report to the convention and the action of the convention, first, that there should be an adequate number of judges provided to deal with the controversies arising between the citizens of the State and between the State and its civil divisions and citizens, and, secondly, a flexible organization of the courts, under which the business coming before them should be distributed as to avoid delay and secure the maximum work from all of the judges."

Many Court Reforms.

Concerning the organization of the courts, Mr. Wickersham said the amendments seek to carry out the principle of flexibility as fully as could be devised. Mr. Wickersham said that among other new miscellaneous provisions of value in the judicial article are those relating to the Court of Impeachment and the manner of taking testimony in that court; the grant of the Legislature of power to establish children's courts and courts of domestic relations; the grant of power to provide for the removal of judges to be appointed by the judges; the "vesting" of the power of appointment to determine the qualifications and to prescribe the rules for the admission of attorneys and counselors at law; the provision that judicial salaries not only shall not be reduced but shall be increased during the term of office of any judge except, first, where the office of County Judge and Surrogate are consolidated, and secondly, where the salaries of the judges of the Court of Appeals at least equal to those paid to any other judicial officer in the State; the granting to the Legislature of power to prescribe the number, classification, and duties of justices of the peace, and to authorize the superiors of similar local bodies to fix the compensation for their services in criminal matters, and to enable the local authorities of cities or towns to determine the manner of choosing these officials.

O'Brien Dwells on Savings.

"Whatever may be thought of the details of this general plan," Mr. Wickersham said, "no candid person can maintain that it lacks either flexibility or effort to grapple courageously with a problem, the existence of which is recognized by every practitioner of law. This article was reported with substantial unanimity by the Judiciary Committee and was debated in the committee of the whole of the Convention during a period of four days. It finally received the approval of the majority of the delegates. One hundred and three Republicans and two Democrats voted against it. Subsequently a third Democrat desired to have it recorded that had been present when the vote was taken he would have voted against it."

"I believe as a whole the work has commended itself to the judgment of the profession, and that it would be a suitable misfortune if it should not receive the approval of the electorate."

Littleton Answers Perkins.

"It is a most extraordinary thing," said Mr. O'Brien, "that those who were with me in the minority and in favor of the reforms that the new Constitution embraces have gradually faded away, and this is extraordinary in so much as most of the reforms provided were strongly urged by the Democratic minority. We were there under the pledge of a Democratic platform, which promised the reforms now contained in the Constitution, and the Democratic platform spoke in no uncertain terms."

Mr. Littleton said that two kinds of objections were being made to the new Constitution, one by those who make haphazard, silly, and superficial criticism, and the other by those who make sinister attacks on the personality of those who drew it up. Mr. Littleton characterized George W. Perkins as the chief opponent of the Constitution, and the tribunal of the people taken from Wall Street to be a proponent of progressiveness. The former Congressman also criticized Mr. Perkins for saying that the proposed changes in the Constitution would put the judiciary into practical politics. The transfer of judges, he said, would provide against that. Perkins' conservation of the judges, which Mr. Perkins criticized, Mr. Littleton said, "is better to be a migratory fish than a stationary sucker."

WHY PEABODY WILL VOTE 'NO.'

Good in Constitution Too Little to Offset Lack of Discussion.

Special to The New York Times.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Oct. 30.—George Porter Peabody, when asked today why he had decided to vote "No" on the new Constitution, said:

"I consider the general and intelligent discussion of the fundamental issues of Government the most important feature of Constitutional amendments. The

CHARITIES.

MOTHERS NEED HELP.

Mrs. C., widow, works in a factory to support four children, youngest a boy of 8. Mother needs an operation and 10-year-old girl has heart trouble. \$42 needed to pay for \$14 for 8 months.

Mrs. W., widow in delicate health, four small children. Is not enough for food and rent. Some conditions are excellent. \$80 needed for food.

Mrs. W., husband insane, two young children. Mother's wages insufficient to support family. \$80 needed for weekly allowance of \$3 to supplement income.

SMALL OFFERS ARE WELCOME.

Please mark case you wish to assist and mail check with clipping to Room 8, BROOKLYN BUREAU OF CHARITIES, 39 Schermerhorn St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

THE SERVANTS OF RELIEF FOR INCURABLE CANCER

are trying to raise \$20,000 to guarantee a conditional gift of the same amount to be used in paying the enormous mortgage on the Home. The donors implore the public for help. There is no sorrow, no misery, no representation among our patients of all nations and creeds, but all are suffering from cancer, and all are cured by our own people, and avoided by the world. This is a miracle!

St. Rose's Home, 71 Jackson St., New York.

apathy displayed by the voters in 1913, when the convention was ordered, was most discouraging, and during the sessions of the convention the public interest was but slight. I find now that the general interest is developing and, I believe, that even if the new Constitution offered more gains for the true interest of the people it would be a pity to have discussion any next week. I believe there is now a fair prospect that in a convention elected in 1917 a good representation of radical and progressive thinkers might be secured. The absence in the convention of this year of any representative of considerable and important a portion of our citizens is one of the reasons which justify a year and it will be quite worth waiting to have that important half of the community take part in electing the convention members.

"Two years of full discussion of the 'invaluable government' so brilliantly set forth by Dr. Root, may disclose to all what some feel, namely, that the extraordinary effort made by the President of the convention to save its work from utter failure and general contempt gave the fact that the finest and most subtle and most far-reaching legislation of the face of the State was shown in its ability to keep out of membership in the convention any Representatives of the kind of men who even moderate progressive tendencies and independence, much less any radical state. The fact that the convention, perhaps, if the final deductions should make it clear that, even though all unconsciously to many of the moving spirits, the very utmost refinement of this 'invaluable government' was shown in the refusal of the convention to take a shorter ballot and kindred forward movements through the support of the Legislature by the Republicans, and the deeply moving and unquestionably statesmanlike approval of Mr. Perkins in favor of the article to permit proper dealing with sinking fund errors of the past."

PERKINS ANSWERS BINKERD.

Quotes Justice Ingraham on the Proposed State Constitution.

George W. Perkins sent a letter yesterday to Robert S. Binkerd of the City Club as a reply to Mr. Binkerd's attack on Mr. Perkins' letter to Ellhu Root regarding the proposed Constitution. Mr. Perkins wrote in part:

"I have just been shown your attack on my letter to Mr. Root. I doubt if you read it anywhere by indulging in abuse. My letter to Mr. Root was entirely impersonal and non-political. It was a plain statement of facts. You people who are supporting the Constitution have, in my judgment, been dealing mostly with glittering generalities. It has been impossible to get you down to simple facts expressing their respective positions. The average voter can understand, if the reasons I have given for the proposed changes in the Constitution are any way inaccurate, it is up to you people to point them out. If there are better reasons for voting for it than I have given, then it is up to you people to produce them, and do it now."

"By the way, have you noticed Justice Ingraham's statement in this morning's paper where he is referring to the judiciary, he says:

"I do not exactly think that my department needed the three more justices they gave us, but as long as the golf links are near by, I suppose they can find something to do."

"It so happens that Justice Ingraham is the President of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, First Department. I am told that he is the Justice who would assign the three new justices provided for in the new constitution. As he himself says that the only use he can think of for these justices is that of playing golf, it hardly seems that we need them, especially as the total cost of maintaining them, including their respective salaries of \$17,500 each, would amount to at least \$107,000 a year. As nearly as I can recollect, Mr. Wickersham in name of his long articles in defense of the Judiciary section of the Constitution has given us this important piece of information imparted by Justice Ingraham. "Don't you think it might have been better to have established a market department and applied this \$100,000 to its development than to spend it on new judgeships which the President Justice himself says are unnecessary?"

HUDSON GUILD FINDS JOBS.

Has Provided 4,468 Places During Last Year—Faces a Deficit.

The annual report of the Hudson Guild, 430 West Twenty-seventh Street, states that the institution has, in the last twelve months, provided 3,070 places by the day for women and 468 steady jobs by the week or month. Among the guild's activities are clubs for fathers, mothers and young girls; home workers' union, kindergarten, Summer outings and camps for working boys and girls.

"The guild is building a model tenement house in West Twenty-eighth Street. The report says the society faces a deficit of \$2,000, the expenditure having amounted to nearly \$24,000. Charles J. Liebman is President and A. M. Bing Treasurer of the institution."

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22.50

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35.00

Suits Specially Priced Monday and Tuesday

25.00

Reduced from \$30.00

WAGE HOT CAMPAIGN OVER NEW JUSTICES

Foes Call for a Rebuke to the Republicans in the Ninth Judicial District.

APPEAL FOR "CLEAN" BENCH

C. P. Easton Says Westchester County Court Calendar is Already Two Years Behind.

One of the liveliest fights of the campaign just closing in being waged in the Ninth Judicial District, which includes Westchester, Putnam, Dutchess, Rockland, and Orange Counties. The contest is over the election of two additional Justices to the Supreme Court as provided for in a bill which passed the Legislature and was signed by Governor Whitman.

A number of citizens of the district are opposed to the two extra Justiceships and say the bill was passed through the Legislature by the Republicans, and the Republican candidates for the office should now be removed. A few days ago eighteen citizens issued an appeal for a "clean and independent judiciary," and asked the voters to defeat the Republican candidates, J. Addison Young and Judge Albert H. F. Seeger. The Democratic and Progressive candidates are Judge William P. Platt and Senator John C. R. Taylor.

Friends of the Republican candidates said that the eighteen citizens who signed the appeal were all residents of Westchester County, while not only did the Bar Associations of Westchester and Dutchess Counties advocate the bill, but several members of the Bar throughout the five counties, who were not members of the associations, gave hearty approval. Justice Mills of the Appellate Division of the Second Department, has written as follows:

"I think that in view of the recent assignment of one of the present Justices of that district (Justice Seeger) to the Appellate Division, the need of the district for the proposed two additional Justices is manifest and indeed imperative."

Charles P. Easton, President of the Bar Association of Westchester County, said yesterday:

"Political capital has sought to be made out of what Justice Tompkins wrote in opposition to two additional Justices in the Ninth Judicial District before Justice Mills was elevated to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court. Second Division. Justice Tompkins has said that the district needs two more Justices. He is now a Republican candidate. In a recent letter he said: 'Judge Seeger of Orange County and J. Addison Young of Westchester County have been regularly nominated by the enrolled members of the organization, although by a small plurality.'

There is no question as to their fitness and qualifications; and as a life-long Republican, of course, I shall vote for them. Two additional Justices must be elected, and it will serve no good purpose to oppose any candidate or set of candidates because we were opposed to the enactment of the law creating the offices."

The Bar Associations of Westchester and Dutchess Counties approved the bill and showed the necessity for the additional Justices. Last year 222 jury cases were tried in Westchester County alone, with two judges sitting eight months in that year. During that year 610 cases were added to the jury calendar. This is a matter of record, as the files in the County Clerk's office in Westchester County will show.

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"There is no question as to the necessity of more Justices. The Ninth Judicial District has a large and growing population. We are entitled to more Justices in the Court of Appeals for eight months can try 222 cases, isn't it reasonable to believe that four judges sitting constantly for eight months of time will try twice the number of cases tried by two judges? While these two judges are sitting 222 cases, four judges are making. Even with four judges our calendar will remain at least one year behind instead of two years, as is the case now."

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A Noteworthy Exposition of Women's Outer Apparel

In the Ready-to-Wear Sections on the Third Floor, will be found to comprise the smartest Autumn and Winter styles, developed by the foremost fashion exponents of Europe and America. Included are

Gowns and Wraps for Dancing, Theatre, Opera, Horse Show and other social functions; Tailored Suits for Walking and Afternoon Calling; Coats and Wraps for Dress, Sport, Motoring and Traveling Wear, at reasonable prices.

A HIGHLY IMPORTANT OFFERING MONDAY, WILL INCLUDE

Corduroy Coats With large fur collar; lined throughout and interlined, \$19.50	Smart Tailored Suits In the newest styles and materials, many effectively trimmed with rich furs, \$24.50, 35.00, 45.00, 59.50	Smart Coats Of duvetyn, broadcloth, plush, tweeds and mixtures, \$29.50
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Furs and Fur Garments

Our presentation of Imported and American Furs in the greatly enlarged department on the Third Floor, emphasizes the newest style notes favored this season in

Coats and Wraps for daytime and evening wear; Scarfs and Muffs; also correct Motor Apparel

all of which are made from the most reliable and carefully matched skins and offer an unusually wide selection at prices that are sure to attract attention, as the following will indicate:

Raccoon Sets, - - - from \$10.75 to 35.00	Fox Sets, - - - " \$11.50 to 75.00
Hudson Seal Sets, - - - " \$35.00 to 55.00	Beaver Sets, - - - " \$38.00 to 70.00
Fisher Sets, - - - " \$65.00 to 325.00	

Monday and Tuesday a Noteworthy Sale of Silks & Velvets

COMPRISING THE FOLLOWING WANTED IMPORTED AND AMERICAN WEAVES, IN BLACK AND RICH AUTUMN AND WINTER COLORINGS, AT EXCEEDINGLY LOW PRICES

Chiffon Taffetas, 40 inches wide, in a full line of evening and street shades, also white, ivory and black, \$1.35 Regular price \$2.80 a yard	Imported Black Chiffon Velvets, 40 inches wide, soft finish, specially priced at \$2.75 Regular price \$6.00 a yard	Satin Charmeuse, 40 inches wide, in a large assortment of light and dark shades, also white and black, \$1.48 Regular price \$2.25 a yard
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A Collection of High Cost Metal Brocades, at \$6.85 and 9.75 yd.
satin and chiffon grounds, light and dark shades; silver, steel and gold effects; Values \$18.00 to 27.50

The Vogue in Women's Blouses

Is charmingly depicted in our large assortments of distinctive models, embodying every desirable material, trimming and coloring. Of special interest is the exposition of Imported Models, the clever adaptations, and our own creations, made of Crepe de Chine, Georgette Crepe, Allover Laces, Nets, Taffetas, Satins and the new Glace Silks, at very moderate prices.

REMARKABLE VALUES FOR MONDAY

Women's Modish Blouses, - - - at \$5.00
of Georgette Crepe and Crepe de Chine; in smart models, with entirely new collar and jabot effects; in white and flesh.

Dress Fabrics and Coatings

Are assembled on the Second Floor in charming assortments of Autumn and Winter weaves and rich colorings for every occasion of dress, at reasonable prices.

EXCEPTIONAL VALUES FOR MONDAY (Main Floor)

Imported Chiffon Broadcloth
52 inches wide; sponged and shrunk; light weight; in a full range of the fashionable colors and black,
at \$1.78 a yard

Plain and Novelty Tailor Suitings
50 and 54 ins. wide; in All Wool Tweeds, Cheviots, Canvas Weaves, Velours, Novelty Stripes and Plaids,
at 95c a yard

The Upholstery Sections on the Fourth Floor

Invite special attention to their interesting lines of Interior Decorative Fabrics and Exclusive Novelties of unusual artistic value for the adornment of the home.

AN UNPRECEDENTED OFFERING, MONDAY AND TUESDAY, OF HIGH GRADE LACE CURTAINS, PANELS, STORES AND BED SETS, IN LIMITED QUANTITIES, POSITIVELY PRICED BELOW COST

Real Filet Lace Curtains, (2 to 5 pairs of a style) \$18.50 to 115.00 pair	French Arabian & Marie Antoinette Curtains (2 to 9 pairs of a style) \$9.75 to 27.50 pair	French Lace Sash Curtains (3 to 12 pairs of a style) \$2.75 to 8.75 pair
Real Filet Lace Panels & Stores (2 to 7 pieces of a style) \$12.75 to 65.00 each	Real Filet Lace Bed Sets \$35.00 to 95.00 set	French Panels and Stores (4 to 10 pieces of a style; narrow sizes) \$2.75 to 6.50 each

Also 150 Pairs Lace Curtains, miscellaneous styles (1 to 3 pairs of a style), pr. \$1.50 to 7.50

JAPAN GLAD TO SEE THIS COUNTRY SAFE

Commissioner Yawakama De-
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Is Misconstrued There.

FRIENDSHIP FOR AMERICA

Official Says Jingoism Here Amaze
His Countrymen—Sensational
Book Called "Trash."

The Japanese people are glad to see this country preparing to increase its army and navy, according to Commissioner Harold Yawakama, in charge of the Japanese exhibit at the Panama-Pacific Exposition, who is in New York to arrange for the exhibiting of parts of the Japanese exhibit at San Francisco in other cities after the exposition.

"The United States is a country with great public buildings and public works and private riches of all kinds," he said. "The wealth of the country in this respect has caused amazement throughout the world. But the neglect of the means of national defense on the part of the United States has been a matter of great surprise in Japan. Now that the United States is getting ready to increase its armament, the Japanese are far from being surprised, and consider that the United States is removing a serious error in its national policy. At least that is my own view, and it is also the view of the great majority of the Japanese who take an interest in international affairs. They want the friendship of the United States and want this country to be safe."

"Not a great deal of comment has been aroused in Japan by the agitation in this country for preparedness for war, and the general comment of the Japanese has been that the war has awakened the United States to see the mistakes of neglecting its army and navy. There has been no serious attempt in Japan to represent that the agitation here is in any way hostile to us, and it is generally seen there in its true light."

"Is there any likelihood that the increase in the navy and army of this country will produce similar increases in the Japanese army and navy, as the opponents of preparedness in this country predict?" Commissioner Yawakama was asked.

Japan's Policy Unchanged.

"Not at all," he said. "There is no probability that the fact the United States adopts a navy and military policy strong enough to suit its recognized needs will be regarded as a cause for Japan to alter its own policy. The Japanese policy was laid down many years ago, and has been adhered to without much change, in spite of changes of ministry."

"There is no danger of any change in the good relations between this country and Japan, as far as I can see, and all Japanese who know anything about the United States know it does not have any desire to lose the friendship of Japan and trouble with the United States in the last thing that Japan would want. The land and immigration problems seem to have been settled. There is no agitation over them now, and there is no likely to be another serious agitation over them. The two countries are coming to understand each other better and any further differences that may arise can probably be disposed of with less acrimony than those which have happened in the past."

"When Japan was invited by the United States to participate in the Panama-Pacific Exposition the Government at once appropriated \$600,000 for the purpose as taken as its friends in the United States. The gifts of provincial governments of Japan and of private merchants raised that sum to about \$1,000,000 and I was sent over three years ago to select sites and prepare for Japan's great display. I have been treated in California with the greatest courtesy and with the highest regard which the State is noted. The spirit of California as a whole toward the Japanese is kindly and friendly."

"I have just made arrangements on behalf of the Japanese Government with President Benham of the University of California for making a gift of one of our buildings at the exposition to the University of California to be used as a museum of Japanese art and industry in connection with Japanese studies at the university. On my trip to the East I am presenting to the Metropolitan Museum of Art and to various other museums and universities a three-volume illustrated catalogue of the national art treasures of Japan."

Desire for Friendship.

"I tell you of this to show the desire of Japan to increase the bonds of friendship with the United States. Japanese in this country and many Americans have been astonished at the attempt of a chain of yellow newspapers in this country to stir up feeling between the United States and Japan by publishing a translation of a Japanese book printed in Japanese describing how Japan could invade and conquer the United States."

"The most amazing thing about this is the fact that the book was printed in the National Defense Society of Japan and among Count Okuma and other prominent Japanese as members. This was a complete falsehood. I have investigated and from approving the book, I am sure that it existed until the ink of Japanese over here brought it to their attention."

"The work was by an obscure journalist. It was a book of no consequence at the time of the agitation in California against Japanese land ownership. It is advertised here as having gone through numerous editions and it is said that more than 1,000,000 copies were circulated in Japan. A few thousand copies of the work have been printed in Japan. I had great difficulty in finding one copy in San Francisco and I understand that Japanese in New York who sought a copy found that none of their bookstores had ever heard of it."

"The book is so extremely crude and amateurish that no man of consequence would have anything to do with it, regardless of what it contained. It is a collection without system and rambles away from the subject of invading the United States to an attack on the institution of marriage."

"The work of General Homer Lea, warning America a number of years ago that the danger of an attack by Japan was imminent, was exploited in about the same manner by some sensational and unscrupulous papers in Japan. General Lea's book was a well-written and finished production, as far as literary merit is concerned, and is not to be compared in any respect with this trash which is being used to stir up ill-feeling here."

Amazing to Japanese.

"It is amazing to Japanese that newspapers which indulge in such bad practices can maintain themselves in this country. We have plenty of Jingo and bad newspapers in Japan, but they spring up for an occasion and die shortly after it as a rule. In this country a large newspaper has to have a costly plant and a costly news-gathering service, but in Japan, where the idea of news has not been so thoroughly developed, daily papers which are nothing more than pamphlets put out at cheap cost, spring up on all sides at a time when the public is excited. It is easy to understand the irresponsibility and viciousness of journals of this type but hard to see how American papers of the same type can exist."

"Nevertheless, I believe that the publication of the translation of this foolish book has had little effect on American opinion because the work is ridiculous on the face of it and the methods used as arguments are being very well exposed."

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Some with fine skunk collar.

40-inch Persian Lamb Coats at \$139.50

Exceptionally fine skins. Some have fine skunk collar and cuffs.

Both coats are made in the style of the moment, with wide skirts, and are finely lined with brocade silk.

Tomorrow, the EVENT of the SEASON

Women's High-cut Glace Kid Lace Boots

at the very exceptional price of

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The demand for the extra high Boot is overwhelming in its insistence. Manufacturers are with great difficulty meeting the unprecedented call. We are fortunate in having received from one of the foremost makers 898 pairs of

High Boots, measuring 10 inches from ground to top, in the most popular shades of kid skin—

TOBACCO BROWN PURPLE GRAY
MIDNIGHT BLUE ALL PATENT BLACK

Soles are light welted; leather Louis heels.

The price will not be available again this season.

November Sale of Petticoats

at unusual price concessions

"SOIE DE LUXE" PETTICOATS, of rich quality. Flounce trimmed with ruffles; finished with pleating. TAFFETA; full flounce, trimmed with two ruffles in petal effect. **\$4.98**

Petticoats at **\$3.98**

BLACK TAFFETA, 2 lace ruffles, net ruching and underlay.

RADIUM SILK in two ruffled models, or circular flounced with embroidery edging.

POMPADOUR PETTICOATS in richly beautiful color effect; deep flounce with two ruffles.

TAFFETA; full scalloped flounce, trimmed with six narrow gathered ruffles. Also deep circular flounce, trimmed with four rows of ruching.

Petticoats at **\$2.98**

TAFFETA, deep flounce with Van Dyke ruffle; wide pleated under-ruffle. Also two models trimmed with ruching, one having circular flounce, another full flounce with ruffles and ruching. There are two models trimmed with either two or three ruffles.

SILK JERSEY, two models, either all-Jersey with circular flounce, or with ruffled flounce of taffeta.

MESSALINE; full flounce with two ruffles with ruching.

PETTICOATS with WOOL JERSEY TOP; accordion pleated flounce of messaline, finished with ruching. **\$1.98**

PETTICOATS of BLACK-AND-WHITE striped cotton messaline; pleated or ruffled flounce. **\$1.50**

Tomorrow, a remarkable Sale of

Women's Glove Silk Top

Union Suits at 79c

Fine white lisle body; reinforced; perfect fitting. Sizes 36, 38 and 40.

Tomorrow, an exceptional Offering of

Umbrellas, Men's and Women's, at **\$2.95**

Taffeta, twilled and Union silk covers of superior grade. Handles of sterling silver; etched or engraved, caps, bands. Cape horn, Malacca, mission handles, trimmed or plain.

Tomorrow, a Sale of 2,000 Pairs of

Women's Silk Hosiery

at 95c

Several weights; black, white, and colors.

Silk-and-lisle tops and soles

Reinforced heel and toes. High-spliced heel.

Sale extraordinary of Women's Fur-trimmed Suits

Beginning tomorrow, Monday, November 1st

Values so exceptional as to make this an Event of Superlative Importance



MODEL I.
Reproduction of a
"Jenny" Model
specially priced at

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Chiffon broadcloth; plain or fancy lining. Trimmed with cub bear fur. The skirt belt is detachable.



MODEL II.
Reproduction of a
"Georgette" Model
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Chiffon broadcloth; elaborately trimmed with cub bear fur. Fancy silk lined. The skirt is shirred at top.



MODEL III.
Reproduction of a
"Cheruit" Model
specially priced at

\$33.50

Chiffon broadcloth, fancy or plain silk lining. Trimmed with cub bear or skunk opossum.



MODEL IV.
Reproduction of a
"Beer" Model
specially priced at

\$25.00

Chiffon broadcloth; changeable peau de cygne lining. Cub bear collar. The skirt is yoke-top.



MODEL V.
Reproduction of a
"Jean Lanvin" Model
specially priced at

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Imported whipcord; plain peau de cygne lining. Mole fur-trimmed. The skirt is the newest flare.

Tomorrow, in the Women's Dress Salon

125 Women's Dresses reduced to \$25.00

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Suitable for Afternoon, Calling or Matinee

Imported stripe taffeta and fine silk charmeuse. Sleeves and waist of Georgette crepe, embroidered or lace-trimmed.

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THE UPPER ILLUSTRATION is of a black hatters' plush Directoire Poke; hand-made. The silk ribbon streamer fastens under the chin with a snap. Silk La France rose. May be had in white if preferred.

THE LOWER ILLUSTRATION is of an extremely chic dancing Hat. Hand-made gold lace crown; silver if preferred; beaver around the brim, three silk velvet flowers with foliage and ribbon.



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A Sale of 200 Misses' Coats

at \$10.00, \$15.00 and \$18.50

Finely tailored in the most desirable fabrics in black or colors and in the newest models; the majority being lined throughout with peau de cygne or guaranteed satin. Various lengths, including many full-length. Full-belted models with flare or ripple back. Sizes 14 to 18.

A WIDE ASSORTMENT of Coats in English mixtures of brown or gray tone; zibeline or pebble cheviot. Convertible collar of self fabric, plush or velvet.

FUR-TRIMMED COATS of fine quality zibeline, Kersey, or pebble cheviot. Very remarkable values are these up-to-the-moment Coats.

FUR-TRIMMED COATS of fine quality corduroys, wool velours, zibeline or broadcloth. Full collar of skunk opossum or natural raccoon.

Also a very exceptional Offering of

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Imported broadcloth in Russian blouse or ripple effect, liberally trimmed with fine skunk opossum or natural raccoon. Splendidly tailored, full-lined and warmly interlined. Black and the newest Fall and Winter shades.

Girls' Full-length Coats at **\$9.75**

Broad-belted models, with large, fancy patch pockets. Convertible collar of self fabric, edged with skunk opossum fur or seal plush. Zibeline, cheviot, corduroy or imported chinchilla. Lined throughout. Sizes 6 to 14.

Very specially offered, are these

Boys' Mackinaw Coats (Ages 6 to 18) at **\$4.50**

Smart models with large patch pockets. All-wool plaid Mackinaw cloths in various handsome color combinations. Very warm and wear exceptionally long and well.

Tomorrow, the very Important

Annual Sale of Women's Coats

at prices unprecedented

COATS of mixtures and tweeds in belted or flare models. **\$10.00**

COATS OF FANCY CHEVIOT—¾ length. Collar and cuffs trimmed with edging of skunk opossum. **\$10.00**

COATS OF "SALTS" ASTRATEX in either ¾ or ¾ length; semi or full belted effect. Lined throughout. Choker collar of black coney or self-fabric. **\$13.75**

COATS OF FANCY MIXTURES, some lined throughout with satin. In several models. **\$13.75**

COATS OF "SALTS" ARABIAN LAMB. ¾ length; semi-fitted flare model. Choker collar and cuffs of seal plush. **\$15.00**

COATS OF "SALTS" MERITEX. ¾ length; full belted model. Collar of skunk opossum. Lined throughout with peau de cygne and interlined. Brown and black. **\$19.50**

COATS OF "SALTS" KURLTEX. ¾ length; full ripple model. Patch pockets. Collar, cuffs and deep border at bottom of "Salts" Furtext. Lined throughout. **\$19.50**

COATS OF "SALTS" FURTEX. ¾ length; full belted model. Large collar, cuffs and belt of seal plush. Lined throughout and interlined. **\$19.50**

COATS OF FANCY WOOL VELOUR. ¾ length; belted model. Choker collars of seal, beaver or Alaska opossum. **\$22.50**

COATS OF "SALTS" ESQUIMETTE PLUSH in two distinct models. Either full belted or flare effect. Large collars of natural raccoon or skunk opossum. Lined with satin. **\$25.00**

COATS OF "SALTS" MERITEX. ¾ length; full belted model. Choker collar edged with skunk opossum. Lined throughout with peau de cygne and interlined. **\$25.00**

COATS OF SUEDE VELOUR in three models. Belted or full ripple effects. Chin-chin or choker collars of natural raccoon or skunk opossum. Set-in or Raglan sleeves. Black and colors. **\$29.50**

COATS OF WOOL VELOUR in full ripple model. Collar and cuffs of natural raccoon. All colors. Lined throughout with peau de cygne and interlined. **\$29.50**

COATS OF "SALTS" SEALETTE in two models, either ¾ or ¾ length. Without belt. Set-in or Raglan sleeves. Collars of either natural or skunk opossum. Satin lined. **\$29.50**

COATS OF "SALTS" SEALETTE in a loose ¾ length model. Same as shown in fur. Kimono sleeve. Collar of Ermine or natural opossum. Lined throughout. **\$35.00**

COATS OF SILK PLUSH and Sealette in several distinctive models. Lined with either peau de cygne or Skinner satin. Trimmed with natural raccoon or skunk opossum. **\$39.50**

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TAX RATE FIGURED AT 2.12

Increase from 1.87 Due to Direct State Levy of \$13,975,000 Upon New York.

With a Sergeant-at-Arms keeping the hands of the official clock from touching the hour of midnight the members of the Board of Estimate sat in their chamber in City Hall at an early hour this morning waiting to affix their signatures to the 1916 budget. They had worked all night preparing the final figures and, with Mayor Mitchell exerting all the pressure he could bring to bear to keep the total below that of last year, when the budget was \$198,083,768, it was announced that the 1916 budget would exceed that figure by little, probably not more than \$200,000. The exact figures could not be obtained until the clerks in Controller Frederick's office had worked them out after midnight. The law requires that the budget shall be signed before midnight of Oct. 31, and Oct. 31 falling on Sunday, there was some question as to the legality of signing the document on that day. Hence the holding back of the clock.

It was said, however, that the budget would certainly be below \$200,000,000, and with the city share of the direct State tax, amounting to \$13,975,000, it was estimated that the total for 1916 would total between \$212,000,000 and \$213,000,000.

On this basis the tax rate for next year was figured at 2.12, as against a present tax rate of 1.87. It was admitted that 2.12 might prove excessive, but if anything the rate would be a little higher. It will not fall below the figure announced.

Not Many Salary Reductions.

The meeting of the board was more harmonious than had been expected, the fight over the reduction of salaries not materializing, as Mayor Mitchell and Controller Frederick agreed to regulate many of the contemplated reductions. To offset this increase in the budget the estimates for the Police, Charities, and Correction departments were materially reduced.

The main contest was over the request of the Board of Education for appropriation of more than \$11,000,000. This was cut to \$40,116,000, only a little more than the allotment for 1915, and Borough President Marks of Manhattan led the fight against the reduction. He had most of the Borough President's aid, but he was overruled. When he was satisfied that he could get no more for educational purposes Mr. Marks said:

"Under protest I sign this budget. I am in the first place because I am convinced the allowance for education is insufficient. This budget appropriates less than that appropriated for 1915. I am certain this will not suffice because of an increase in school attendance on account of the constantly growing and justifiable extension of educational facilities and finally on account of the obligation of \$20,149 due to the promotion of teachers in the seventh and eighth grades, where more than 300 teachers are, by every law of justice and equity, entitled to the same pay as their fellow-teachers of the same grade."

He recognized the fact that economy is necessary and I commend all practical efforts in that direction, but there can be no economy in destroying the ambition and happiness of faithful and efficient workers."

Edward Doyle, representing the Real Estate Board at the public hearing on the budget, said his organization was in favor of having the Bureau of Franchises of the Board of Estimate combined with that of the Chief Engineer of the Board, so that water tax could be collected by the Controller's office. Controller Frederick thought the idea was a good one. Mr. Doyle also said that the members of the Board of Estimate should impress upon the public the importance of supporting the city administration in its efforts to get legislation this winter. The Mayor said he proposed to make a city campaign in the Legislature and hoped the Real Estate Board and all other civic organizations would assist him. Stewart Browne, President of the United Real Estate Owners Association, said he hoped legislation would be introduced to make the office of Borough President appointive instead of elective.

"You'll have to job more than you did in the old days at Albany to get that through," said Borough President Founds of Brooklyn.

"I'll be there," retorted Mr. Browne. "So will I," said Mr. Founds. "If that bill is introduced."

The appropriation for the Borough President of Brooklyn was reduced from \$112,000, and no objection was made to it.

To Save \$1,500,000, Says Mayor.

Alfred J. Talley, representing the city employees, again appeared before the board to protest against the reduction of salaries. The Mayor told him that the principal saving in the budget was effected by the elimination of useless positions.

"These positions," said the Mayor, "eliminated amounts, in the aggregate, of \$2,250,000 and new positions have been created to the amount of \$750,000. The net saving on the reorganization of departments will be about \$1,500,000. There were 2,000 increases in salaries amounting to \$250,000 and \$50 salaries have been reduced. This reduction totals \$350,000, a saving of \$1,000,000 in the standardization of salaries."

Mr. Talley said he understood the Bureau of Standards had cost the city between \$300,000 and \$400,000. The Controller interrupted to say that the amount was nearer \$200,000. Mr. Talley read an advertisement in a New York paper of two years ago in which the Controller stated that his idea of standardization was not to reduce salaries of men who had been in the service of the city for years, but to reduce salaries of grades only on the death, retirement or resignation of men holding the positions.

"I admit every word of that advertisement," said the Mayor, "but at that time I believed it could be done that way. Two years' experience has shown me that the policy could not be followed out, and I claim the right to change my mind when I know the interest of the city is at stake."

The Mayor told Mr. Talley that many old city employees had not been reduced as much as they would have been had it not been for their long length of service.

"If you can show any specific cases of injustice to us we will try and correct them," said the Mayor.

Charities and Corrections Up \$468,632.

The tentative budget for the Department of Correction for the coming year is \$1,468,632, an increase of \$14,789. For the Department of Charities the amount is \$1,345,732, an increase of \$145,932.

Stewart Browne made an appeal to the board to keep salaries of city employees down. He said:

"The city employees are an army of over 100,000 men and women banded together to get the most money from the city for the least work. They believe they have a guaranteed position for their natural lifetime. Irrespective of the work performed and salary received. They are an army of vampires, the most of them being civil service employees. Civil service spells laziness, indolence, and inefficiency."

When Mr. Browne made an attack upon the Aldermanic budget and referred to the proposed reduction in salary of Leo Arnshtein, Secretary of the President of the Board, from \$5,000 to \$3,000, which was not allowed, President McAnany interrupted to say:

"As you know, I am to give up my position as Aldermanic President to resume newspaper work. I am to go out Mr. Arnshtein will do likewise. I made every effort to have his salary reduced, but the President remains unchanged. However, it was thought by others that since the President's successor would be Mr. Arnshtein's successor should

take the position at the minimum salary for the grade. As you can see, Mr. Arnshtein's salary is not to be reduced."

Mr. Browne's injunction plea failed. Justice Philbin, in the Supreme Court, yesterday denied the three motions for injunctions brought by Mr. Browne to restrain the Board of Estimate from passing the budget.

After the Board of Estimate had taken an adjournment until later the evening the Mayor sent a letter to Fire Commissioner Adamson in which he said:

"I am glad to say that the pay of none of the Captains, Lieutenants, and fourth-grade firemen in your department will be disturbed. The Budget Committee of the Board of Estimate has decided by unanimous vote to make no change in the compensation of those men."

"I was, and am, emphatically opposed to any reduction. The men are hard-working. They perform dangerous duty, and I do not think there is a citizen in New York who would say that they are overpaid."

A member of the Board of Estimate, I voted for the increase of pay of the fourth-grade firemen from \$500 to \$1,000, because the former sum was insufficient to cover their living expenses and cost of uniform; and certainly I have no reason to change my mind."

McADOO TALKS FOR SHIPS.

Urges a Merchant Marine in S. Josh to Wisconsin Students.

Special to The New York Times.

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 30.—The establishment of a merchant marine to serve as an auxiliary to the navy and a means of developing American shipping was advocated by William G. McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury, at a meeting of 3,000 Wisconsin University students, professors and prominent citizens of the State here tonight.

The address was a plea for President Wilson's plan for establishing a navy auxiliary and for building up an American shipping industry. Mr. McAdoo said the time had come for the United States to prepare for the preservation of peace by building up a navy and auxiliary merchant marine and to promote its industrial and commercial interests by establishing American shipping on an enduring basis. He said Congress should create a national shipping board and clothe it with authority to establish a merchant marine that could be available as an auxiliary to the navy in time of need and for developing American shipping with other countries at other times.

He said, should make a large appropriation to buy ships.

All ships using American waters should be declared to be common carriers when in such waters, and be subject to control and regulation as to rates and service by the National Shipping Board, Mr. McAdoo said.

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Place They Filled in College Life Left Vacant Since Sororities Were Abolished.

NOW SEEK A SUBSTITUTE

Girls Demand Better Facilities for Gaining Professional Training.

After taking a prominent part in the suspension of sororities at Barnard College two years ago, Dean Virginia C. Gildersleeve is now willing to acknowledge that the secret societies filled a place in the college life of the girls for which it is now very difficult to find a substitute.

Fewer opportunities for the girls to form wholesome and intimate friendships are found now that the sororities are gone, Miss Gildersleeve finds, and she is casting about for some form of social organization which will do away with the objectionable features of the secret society and yet retain its many good points.

This problem is set forth by Miss Gildersleeve in her annual report of the work at Barnard, which has just been made public. Two years ago sororities were suspended, after a crusade led by Miss Frieda Kirchwey, daughter of Professor George W. Kirchwey of the Columbia Law School, who has recently announced his intention of retiring from the faculty. The secret societies were not abolished, but they were forbidden to take in any new members for a period of three years. Two years are now up, and the students who are working to get the sororities reinstated to full standing are finding solace in Miss Gildersleeve's report. Many predict that sororities at Barnard will again come into their own next year.

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Must Be a Student Work.

"The problem of developing helpful social organizations must, of course, rest primarily in the hands of the students. Anything artificially fostered from without the student body is doomed to failure. It is to be hoped that within the next few years the undergraduates themselves may develop some generally acceptable system of organization which will bring to the members of the college those beneficial and educative opportunities for social life that are not altogether easy for a non-residential institution to give to its students."

Beside the college curriculum we have been considering the problem of entrance requirements and examinations in the education of girls today in the so-called "articulation" between the college and the private school curriculum. According to the arrangement generally in use, a private school pupil is obliged to decide, at the age of 14 or

15, whether she is going to college or not. If she plans to go she is put into the college preparatory course of the school, as distinguished from the general course, and for several years receives special training in practically all her subjects, to fit her for the college entrance examinations. As it happens, many girls are totally unable to decide at such an early age for or against college. In New York City family prejudice very often prevents their planning definitely for a higher education. Frequently their parents are unwilling to tolerate even the slightest inconvenience of having them wait for the board examinations several weeks after the private schools have closed.

Regret Non-Preparation.

"The result is that many excellent and ambitious students at the end of their school course, or within a few years after graduation, suddenly desiring to go to college, bitterly regret that they are not prepared, but rarely have the courage to go back and undergo the special training necessary for passing the entrance examinations. It seems obvious that some attempt should be made to adjust the college entrance requirements and the private school curriculum so that any good student, on entering from a private school, will automatically be prepared for college—at least, in the great majority of her subjects—and may enter if she desires, then or a year or two later, as she prefers. The making up of the few subjects which she may lack will not be difficult."

To achieve this, it will be necessary to have practically all the good pupils take college entrance examinations at the end of the last two or three years of their school course, irrespective of whether they have planned to go to college or not. These tests should not, therefore, be such as to require peculiar "cramping," but should be, if possible, fair measures of good general course in the subjects in question, suitable for a "non-college" as well as a "college preparatory" pupil. How do the present entrance examinations meet this need? What adjustment, if any, would have to be made in the subject matter and the quality of our tests, as well as in the curricula of the private schools, to bring about this better articulation?

The experiment was tried out in a private school. The report of the dean on this experiment is to this effect:

Every Pupil Ready for College.

"The experiment seems to show that it is practicable, in a good private school for girls, to have every pupil of high grade, before her graduation, secure credit in college entrance examinations for at least the great majority of subjects required for admission, and to have her do this without being registered in a special college preparatory course, or sacrificing the cultural subjects desirable for pupils who do not intend to go on with higher education. Should some such system of examination be adopted in all private schools for girls, it might aid in raising the general standard of work, and help, to some extent at least, to secure better articulation between school and college. The question of prescribed Latin will present difficulties in many schools, but even this is not insuperable."

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MILITIA BACKS UP NEW ARMY PROGRAM

National Guard Boards, in Conference with Garrison, Indorse His Plans.

EXPECT TO GET HELP

Propose Legislation to Increase the Efficiency of the State Soldiery.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Support of the National Guardsmen of the country for the Administration's defense plans, including the formation of a Continental Army, was assured today at the conclusion of a two-day conference between Secretary Garrison and members of the Executive Committee of the National Guard Association and the National Militia Board. Some opposition to the Continental Army scheme developed yesterday when the conference began, but Secretary Garrison was successful in convincing the guardsmen of the wisdom of the plan, and also that no steps would be spared to promote the interests of the National Guard because of the new program.

General Foster of the Florida National Guard, Chairman of the Executive Committee, issued the following statement: "The meetings were held for the purpose of conferring with relation to measures which had been proposed for improving the efficiency of the militia. In the course of the consideration of these matters there naturally came up for discussion the larger and broader question of a general military policy for the defense, which has so recently been brought to public attention by announcements from the White House and War Department upon this subject. The features of the plan which the Secretary of War has approved were fully discussed and in practically every essential detail the militia officers expressed great satisfaction that this plan does not minimize the importance of the organized militia, but recommends increased legislative appropriations.

The report of the Executive Committee, which has been prepared here and which will be submitted to the convention of the National Guard Association, which meets at San Francisco Nov. 9 to 11, will recite in detail the history of the militia, the importance of the militia, and will outline the general military policy which the Secretary of War has approved. It also contains a recommendation that the National Guard Association address its best efforts to securing the introduction of a bill to improve the efficiency of the militia and to secure the principle of Federal compensation for militia service, this having been agreed upon by all military authorities as necessary to enable this branch of the service to realize the standards which are now prescribed by law, and to perfect and improve a branch of the service the value of which is national military asset is not to be denied.

The National Guard officers' meeting felt that they could not in a representative capacity, give expression with regard to all of the proposals emanating in the plan of the Secretary of War until after such plan has been fully considered by the organization they represent, but from individual expressions it may safely be assumed that the sentiment of the National Guard will be favorable to the recommendations of the Secretary with regard to a necessary increase in the standing army and also to his proposal for the formation of a force of citizen soldiery which has been referred to as a Continental Army, and which it is proposed to organize under the Constitutional provision guaranteeing the Federal Government the authority to raise and maintain armies."

SUIT OVER MISS FISH'S DOGS

Man Who Leased House to Her Says They Scratched Furniture.

Daniel H. Morgan, who owns much real estate in this city, leased his home at 122 East Seventy-first Street to Miss Janet Fish, daughter of Hamilton Fish, and a niece of Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish. The lease carried with it all the furniture and other fixtures, and was to run for five months, beginning the 1st of last December. Yesterday Mr. Morgan filed papers in the Supreme Court in a suit against Miss Fish for \$8,000 for damages which he accuses her of having done to his property. Mr. Morgan said that Miss Fish had moved into his home several of her blooded dogs, and that these animals, being permitted to run at large from basement to attic, had wrought certain damage that Miss Fish had declined to pay for.

Mr. Morgan also complained that a clause in the lease forbidding dogs upon the premises had been willfully violated and that Miss Fish's pets had scratched and otherwise injured the furniture and fixtures. Some of the scratches, Mr. Morgan said, were made on the face of an antique bureau, which Miss Fish tried to mend by an application of shellac. Mr. Morgan shuddered when he saw this. Incidentally, he complained that Miss Fish had made certain alterations that had made dwelling in his home very objectionable to any one who did not love dogs.

N. Y. U. COUNCIL ELECTS.

James Boyd, Alumni Association's Head, Made Member.

The Council of New York University at its annual meeting last week, according to a statement made public yesterday, elected one new member, re-elected four members for the coming year, and confirmed forty-five academic degrees, as conferred Oct. 1. The single vacancy was filled by the election of James Boyd, President of the New York University Alumni Association, and the Council members chosen again were Dr. George Alexander, President of the Council, Dr. William Fletcher Johnson, Dr. Robert Mackenzie, William S. Oddy, Thomas E. Green, Clarence K. Kellogg, William H. Foster, and Scott Foster. Officers for the year were chosen as follows: Dr. Alexander, President; Eugene Stevenson, Vice President; George A. Strong, Secretary; William Kincaid, Treasurer.

OVERFLOW AT UNIVERSITY.

New York Lacks Room to Provide for Its 6,000 Students.

New York University is contending with the problem of accommodating its 6,000 students who have enrolled this year. It was found necessary last week to shut down on the registration in the School of Commerce at Washington Square, where 2,700 students are enrolled, and the classrooms are crowded to overflowing. Registration was closed three weeks earlier than the usual time.

RICH MAN IN DERELICT ROLE.

Stephen B. Trask of Bowery Lodgings Sought in Court.

Justice Erlanger of the Supreme Court signed an order yesterday permitting the service of notice by publication on Stephen B. Trask that application was to be made for the appointment of a new Trustee for an estate in which Mr. Trask is interested. It was found necessary to issue the order because Mr. Trask had failed to appear at a hearing on the matter. Mr. Trask is a well-known figure in the Bowery, and is alleged to have been a derelict in his role as Trustee.

The petition set forth that Mr. Trask had not been seen by any of the creditors of the estate for some time. It was found necessary to issue the order because Mr. Trask had failed to appear at a hearing on the matter. Mr. Trask is a well-known figure in the Bowery, and is alleged to have been a derelict in his role as Trustee.

JUDGE'S AUTO KILLS CHILD.

Seabury's Car Runs Down the Helpful Daughter of a Widow.

Beattie Douglas, 12 years old, of 402 East Thirty-second Street, was crossing First Avenue, between Third and Fourth Streets, when she was struck and killed by the automobile of Judge Samuel Seabury. The child was walking across the street when the car, driven by Judge Seabury, struck her. The child was killed instantly.

The automobile, on its way to the Judge's home at 8 West Tenth Street, was driven by a chauffeur named Sanford J. Clemens of 32 West Tenth Street. The chauffeur was driving the car when it struck the child.

ROUNDUP GAMBLERS IN MIDNIGHT RAIDS

100 Detectives, Under Costigan, Invade Ten Houses and Arrest the Proprietors.

ONE A THIEVES' RESORT.

Establishment Maintained an Appraiser to Extend Credit on Loot Brought in by Crooks.

Simultaneous raids were made at 1 o'clock this morning by 100 detectives, separated into squads but all working under the direction of Lieutenant Dan Costigan, on ten places in widely separated parts of the city and said by the police to be gambling houses. Games were in progress in all the places, and in most of the houses the police caught men whom they accused of being the owners.

The raids were the result of more than six weeks of work by Costigan's men, and warrants had been issued for more than a score of prisoners. In practically every place the detectives had to break in the doors, and in every instance they caught the gamblers unprepared and by surprise.

One of the biggest places raided, to which twenty-five detectives were sent, was at 302 East Fifteenth Street, in the two floors above the street of a three-story building. In each floor, according to the detectives, a crap game was in progress, and there were more than 150 men in the place.

According to Sergeant Horton, the gambling house was unusual in that it was the resort of thieves and, after the games, the inmates against the walls and went among them picking out pickpockets, thieves, and strong-arm men.

MEMORIAL TO R. C. ODGEN.

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WOULDN'T PROTEST TO CHINA

Japan Asked Us to Join in Representations Against Monetary.

PEKING, Oct. 30.—The Japanese Government on Oct. 18 communicated to the Entente powers and the United States a request that they join it in attempting to bring about postponement of a change in the form of the Chinese Government. The United States and France abstained from participation in the steps taken at Peking by Japan, Great Britain, and Russia.

This phase of the situation is causing much speculation among Chinese officials, some of whom express the belief that France and the United States are willing to follow Japanese leadership in Oriental politics.

It is known that the Japanese Ambassador here recently took up the situation in the form of a memorandum to the Government of the United States. It is understood that the position that it could not express views on the monetary situation in the internal affairs of a sovereign nation.

No notes on the subject, however, are understood to have been exchanged, and the attitude of the American Government is not known. It is believed that the Japanese Government is not willing to express its views on the monetary situation in the internal affairs of a sovereign nation.

The problem, it is felt, is one that China should be left to work out for herself.

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NAGEL DEFENDS GERMAN-AMERICANS

Would Fight for United States Even Against Fatherland, ex-Secretary Declares.

FINDS NEUTRALITY BROKEN

Government Changed Loan, but Not Munitions Policy—Predicts Plain Talk in Congress.

Charles Nagel, of St. Louis, ex-Secretary of Commerce and Labor, speaking at the anniversary meeting of the German American League, in the Waldorf-Astoria last night, talked of the neutrality of the United States in the present European conflict. He did not hesitate to imply that the neutrality of the Government at Washington was one-sided, and he deplored an attempt which he said was being made in this country to test one's patriotism by one's attitude toward England.

Mr. Nagel, who is a well-known German-American, declared that if ever the United States went to war, even with Germany, the German-Americans would stand by the Government at Washington.

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Mr. Nagel was the last speaker. He said that his attitude in the present world crisis had been not to stir up but to calm. He said that he was not a nationalist, but a patriot. He said that he was not a nationalist, but a patriot.

FEARS FOR 'SONNY' SHEPARD

Foster Mother Leaves Him at Home Last Cranks Be Abroad.

Mrs. Finley J. Shepard gave a reception yesterday afternoon in a big tent at her home in Irvington to the mothers of the children's sewing school. She had intended to have the sewing school at her home, but was persuaded not to do so by one of the teachers for fear of some crank.

About 400 parents and children were present at the reception. Mrs. Shepard presented fourteen graduates with diplomas, and afterward there were folk dances and refreshments.

SENTIMENT FOR ROOT STRONG IN MINNESOTA

Movement Already Started to Obtain State Delegation for ex-Senator's Candidacy.

Special to The New York Times. WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Minnesota, the first State to hold a Presidential preference primary, has accepted the candidacy of Ethel Root for the Republican nomination seriously, so seriously, in fact, that a movement is already on foot to give him the Minnesota delegation.

Root's name is being put forward as the one man with whom the Republicans have a chance to win. Edward E. Smith of Minneapolis, formerly Lieutenant Governor and State Chairman, who is regarded as the strongest individual leader in the State, has openly declared himself in favor of Root.

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WOMAN'S \$1,456 RECOVERED

Owner Who Threw It Overboard Under Observation at Ellis Island.

The name of the woman passenger who threw a package of Norwegian money worth \$1,456 into the water on Friday morning from the steamer Kristianfjord at the foot of Forty-fifth Street, South Brooklyn, on which she arrived from Bergen, according to the Immigration authorities, is Mrs. Marie Anderson, 50 years old. She is now in the observation ward of the medical division in the hospital on Ellis Island, suffering from mental trouble.

Mrs. Anderson told the Immigration officials that she had thrown the money overboard because she was going back to Norway and did not need it. She said that she had thrown the money overboard because she was going back to Norway and did not need it.

HARD TO GET TO FAR EAST.

Winter Tourist Travel Embarrassed by Pacific Mail's Withdrawal.

On account of the withdrawal of the five Pacific Mail steamships, Mongolia, Manchuria, Korea, Siberia, and China, from the service between San Francisco and the Far East, tourist agents in New York are experiencing great difficulty in getting accommodations for their clients who wish to go to the Far East for the Winter.

The four big Empress liners of the Canadian Pacific Steamship Line, in service from Vancouver to Japan and China, have been chartered by the British Admiralty and converted into auxiliary cruisers.

This leaves the passenger and mail service to Japan, China, and Manila entirely in the hands of the Japanese companies, of which the Toyo Kisen Kaisha is a leader. Three of the company's steamers, the Chiyu Maru, Nanyo Maru, and Shinyo Maru, are 22,000 gross tons and are equipped with triple turbines, which give them a speed of twenty-two and a half knots.

All first cabin berths have been booked up until the sailing of the Chiyu Maru on Dec. 18, and it is expected that the Toyo Kisen Kaisha will raise the passenger rates to Japan, China, and Manila, as it has done with the freight rates since the competition of the Pacific Mail Company has been withdrawn.

Canada is expected to send \$25,000,000 more this week. To the stream of gold which has been coming from the Bank of England to this city in payment for munitions manufactured in this country, \$7,750,000 was added yesterday.

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DR. HILLIS AGREES TO AN ARBITRATION

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BOTH PLEDGED TO SILENCE

Ministerial Friends Persuade the
Plymouth Church Pastor to Avoid
Further Public Scandal.

Through the efforts of ministerial friends of the two men, the controversy between the Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, pastor of Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, and Frank L. Ferguson, his former business agent, over the financial affairs of the church, is to be taken out of court and their differences submitted to arbitration. The agreement was brought about by the Rev. Dr. E. Parkes Cadman, pastor of the Central Congregational Church, and the Rev. Dr. Nacy McGee Waters, pastor of the Tompkins Avenue Congregational Church.

Both ministers, desiring to end the unpleasant situation, worked with Dr. Hillis and Mr. Ferguson for several days, urging that they settle their dispute other than by court proceedings. Dr. Hillis and his former business administrator were finally brought together yesterday morning in Dr. Cadman's study. It was their first meeting for some months. Before they met they had agreed, in a general way, through the ministerial mediators, to submit the matters over which they were at odds to arbitration.

Dr. Cadman and Dr. Waters explained their plan for settling the trouble and the two disputants in a receptive mood. After a long conference, Dr. Hillis and Mr. Ferguson signed a paper agreeing to arbitration. Each of the principals is to select an arbitrator, the two arbitrators to select a third. It was agreed that the legal proceedings brought against Mr. Ferguson by Dr. Hillis should be dropped and that there should be no further public discussion of their differences by either.

Mr. Ferguson was attorney for Dr. Hillis for five years and handled most of the minister's business affairs while the pastor of Plymouth was engaged in the land operations in the West. Recently Dr. Hillis obtained a court order requiring that his former agent be removed before Official Referee William D. Dickey as to his administration of the church's affairs. Dr. Hillis sought to have Mr. Ferguson examined that he might obtain information upon which to base a complaint in a suit. Mr. Ferguson applied to vacate the order, which, he declared, was only a move in a "fishing excursion." Justice Kelly, in the Supreme Court, heard argument on the motion last Wednesday, and on Friday decided in favor of Mr. Ferguson, vacating the order for his examination. Justice Kelly said he thought that the plaintiff's affidavit contained all the necessary facts to enable him to frame a complaint for an accounting.

BLAMES THE SEAMEN'S LAW.

India House Would Let President Suspend Bad Features.

Governors of India House, a downtown club of business men interested in foreign trade development, made public yesterday the report of a committee appointed to study the probable effect of the seamen's law on American shipping. The committee reported that the onerous conditions under which American vessels were operated before the measure was passed would be increased by it. Recommendations were made that parts of the law be held in abeyance until conditions about the high seas by the war had become more nearly normal, and that no effort be made to change the status of maritime procedure until hostilities come to an end. The recommendations were prepared in this form: It is recommended:

(1) That authority be conferred on the President to suspend the operation of such of the provisions of the Seamen's act as he shall consider detrimental to the public interests until the entire subject of the development of the American merchant marine can be dealt with on a basis of permanency.

(2) That Congress create a permanent Seamen's Board, composed of men experienced in shipping and in foreign trade, to study the establishment of regulations concerning the structural strength, equipment and load line of vessels.

(3) The revision, amendment, or repeal of the Seamen's act.

(4) The revision of the navigation laws and rules and regulations based thereon.

(5) The establishment of regulations concerning the structural strength, equipment and load line of vessels.

The committee of inquiry included J. P. Grace, President of W. R. Grace & Co., P. A. B. Franklin of the International Mercantile Marine Company, George S. Denborn of the American-Hawaiian Steamship Company, E. S. Norton of Norton, Lilly & Co., Minor C. Keith of the United Fruit Company, Welding Ring of Mailer & Quersau, J. Parker Kirilin, and S. G. Scherhorn.

WILSON ON CHURCH WORK.

President to Address Federal Council on Dec. 10.

President Wilson is to go to Columbus, Ohio, on Dec. 10 to speak at the annual meeting of the Executive Committee of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ. His address will cover two unique forms of Christian effort. One is the co-ordinating of the work of many national organizations in Protestant churches, and the other is Christian work in rural communities. Both of them are being pushed by the Federal Council of Churches, and both are new forms of its work.

The co-operative plans of organizations have been given the ambitious title of "Christian Conquest of America." Fred B. Smith of the Men and Religion Movement is Chairman of it, and Executive and Field Secretaries are already at work.

Clifford Finchot is head of the country life department of the Federal Council, and its Executive Secretary, the Rev. Charles O. Gill, has been making a survey of the State of Ohio to find out especially what rural churches are doing and what they might do. This survey is to be ready for presentation in advance of President Wilson's address.

OREGON APPLES FOR BRITAIN

St. Paul Carries Big Load of Fruit and Beef and 611 Passengers.

In addition to 611 passengers and 2,700 sacks of mail for Liverpool the American liner St. Paul, carried away yesterday nearly 2,000 tons of Oregon apples and dressed beef.

Among the first cabin passengers was the Earl of Orkney, who had been seven months in the United States and Canada on a mission for his Government. He said that he was suffering from a slight attack of lumbago, but had enjoyed his visit very much.

"Progress"—The Spirit of the GIMBEL Store

"Progress"—Authority on Correct Dress for the Horse Show

NO place in New York is there a more magnificent collection of costumes for this very occasion. Anticipating this big event, we are having a special display in our Third Floor Dress Salons of costumes that we have specially selected for their appropriateness. Among them are many of our

Paris Original Model Suits
\$100 to \$150
Paris Original Model Dresses
\$100 to \$200
American Model Dresses from the International Fashion Show
\$100 to \$250
American Model Suits from the International Fashion Show
\$125 to \$275

Besides these we have copies and adaptations of many of the choicest of our imports that are priced at \$35 to \$37.50. We cordially invite your inspection of these gorgeous Horse Show Costumes. Third Floor

"Progress"—Women's \$1.50 Silk and Lace Bodices, at \$1

Two distinct models in flesh pink and white.
ONE style of rich, washable satin with lace yoke at front and back; set-in armhole of lace and elastic at waist line.
Another style of fine quality crepe de chine with embroidered organdie medallions, inset on either side of fronts and encircled with lace. Second Floor

"Progress"—Exquisite Lace Blouses At \$5 Of Cobweb Fineness



THE gauzy, filmy lace is of exquisite design, and when combined with hem-stitched flesh pink crepe chiffon to form the wide vestee, revers and cuffs it is almost ethereal in its quaintness.

Shimmering through this transparent loveliness is delicately tinted pink satin ribbon that encircles lower part of Blouse. The high black collar of lace and crepe chiffon rolls soft from the face and would enhance the beauty of any woman. A masterstroke for an effective finish are the dainty pearl buttons at front of Blouse. This Blouse is one of the real "Creations" of the season. Third Floor



NOTHING more forcefully illustrates "Progress" than the rapid growth of the GIMBEL Store in New York.

In five years this store has solidly entrenched itself in the public's confidence and built a business millions of dollars in excess of that annually done by stores founded generations ago in the metropolis.

"Progress" at every step symbolizes the growth of the GIMBEL Store—a store of ideas, ideals and ACTION!

From the first hour that this GIMBEL Store was planned "Progress" has been constantly associated with it.

"Progress" was one of the foundations of the first GIMBEL Store more than seven decades ago. And no GIMBEL enterprise has ever been dissociated from that word of spirit of endeavor and action.

As one of the founders of the New York GIMBEL Store recently said at a meeting attended by other members of the firm and executive heads:

"November is to be distinguished by a sale for PROGRESS. It is not to be the style of sale for the purpose of being able to announce your having a sale, but because it is based on merits worthy of special attention on part of the public."

And there you have one of the fundamental reasons for the success of the GIMBEL Store—"based on merit."

What else but "Progress," energy, endeavor, "based on merit" could rear such a magnificent store, stock it with \$6,000,000 worth of new merchandise, and command such a vast and steadily increasing patronage?

"Progress" in every thought and act!

Thoroughly modern in even the smallest detail, as thoroughly efficient as human endeavor, constant and sincere, can make it; wholly representative in its merchandise, and employing a system of pricing that makes it profitable for people to purchase here, it is not surprising that the GIMBEL Store should make such resolute headway in a field that presented seemingly insurmountable obstacles.

Out of the amazing activities of October, the month of GIMBEL "Fifth Birthday" Sales, into November, a month brilliant with the promise of still greater achievements, still broader and more ambitious sales plans, justifies, we believe, the GIMBEL claim that "Progress" is the spirit of the Store.

Welcome, November, at GIMBELS.

"Progress"—Designed by Maria Guy Copied by Our Expert Milliners



THIS charming Hat "Coquette" of glistening sequins and jet beads with wired skirt well edged with tiny jet beads is not only distinctly new but very chic—and decidedly becoming, too, with its little silvered ostrich tip nodding saucily from the front. This is only one of.

Hundreds of New Hats Now Displayed in Our French Salons
at \$15 to \$28

Every one is a copy or adaptation of French Model Hats.

Paris Cables—Lavish Use of Fur on Millinery

GIMBELS, as always space with Paris, presents—
Jet, Gold and Silver Hats trimmed with various kinds of Fur. Decidedly New! Velvet Hats trimmed with mink. Entire Hats of Mole-skin; hats trimmed with Kolinsky. White Hats trimmed with Ermine.

New Tailleur Hats, \$5, \$6.75 and \$7.50

In Ready-to-Wear Section on Third Floor, 32d St. Side. Third Floor

"Progress"—Men's Fall & Winter Suits & Overcoats, \$15

One of the Biggest Values We Have Ever Given
WITH Election Day in view, we have prepared for Monday's and Tuesday's selling some specially selected groups of clothing that represent SLENDID values. The Overcoats are in loose-fitting and Chesterfield models—many of them full silk lined. The Suits are in the newest and smartest models, including the latest Winter patterns, tartan checks and plaid effects. Also stripes and fancy mixtures. All sizes and proportions in both suits and overcoats.
One Hundred Men's Smart Tan, Gray and Olive Raincoats, \$15
Roomy and thoroughly rainproof. Buy one—if it leaks, bring it back and receive a new coat without delay or question. All sizes from 34 to 36. Fourth Floor

"Progress"—Women's Imported Silk Quilted Vests \$1

Without Sleeves, \$1
Same Style with Sleeves, \$1.95
THESE practical Vests that fasten down the front with silk cords are in all white, all black; or black with lavender lining, black with white lining.

Silk Quilted Robes, \$4.95
Same Model Hand-Embroidered, \$6.95

In pink, rose, grey, lavender, Navy blue or black. All are lined in self or contrasting color and fasten with silk frogs.

Hundreds of Fancy Cotton & Silk Petticoats, \$1 to \$19.50
Many of the novelty Petticoats would make ideal Christmas gifts. Second Floor

"Progress"—Sapphires and Rhinestones

The Smartest Jewelry Idea
REPRODUCING the designs of the finest genuine diamond mounted pieces. Beautifully done. Marked at November "Progress Sale" prices.

Dinner Rings
In cluster, closely studied with square or round sapphire and many other styles; \$2.50 to \$7.25.

Earrings
Closely fitted Earrings with sapphire, square or round; also drop effects; at \$3.75 to \$5.50.

Pendants
Sapphire and Rhinestone Pendants, effective new designs; at \$5.

Bar Pins
New, lacy designs in Sapphire and Rhinestone; at \$4.50 to \$6.95.

Brooches
Large, square cut Sapphire surrounded by rhinestones; many artistic effects; at \$5.50 to \$9.

Brooches
Friendship Circle Brooches, in sapphire and rhinestone; at \$1.50 to \$2.25.

"Progress"—Women's Velvet Coats at \$32.50 to \$165

SEE These Velvet Coats to appreciate why they are becoming the talk of New York—they are marvels for style, quality, workmanship and moderate prices.

New Tight Shoulder Coat, Godet Flare from Waist, \$95

This stunning model made of finest Velour velvet and banded with natural raccoon is illustrated.

Velvet Coats with high Chin-Chin Collar of Skunk Opossum, \$32.50

Three-quarter length and lined throughout with peau de cygne.

Velvet Coats with New "Funnel" Collar of Natural Raccoon
at \$72.50

Full Skirt Coat With Fullness Falling from Shirred Neck, \$47.50

Three-quarter length; Skunk opossum trimmed.



Third Floor

"Progress"—Women's Ingrain Silk Stockings, Per Pair, 68c

MEDIUM weight and full regular make; double hile garter top and foot; black only. Main Floor

"Progress"—GIMBEL BROTHERS Introduce the World's First "Bundhar" Oval Wilton Rugs, \$55

SPECIAL NOTE:—Orders Placed During "Introductory Week" Will Receive Preferred Attention. Deliveries Will Be Made Before Thanksgiving Day.

IT remained for a famous concern, the Hardwick & Magee Company, of Philadelphia, to originate the "Bundhar" Oval Wilton Rug, a type and form of Rug that is destined to gain tremendous popularity for obvious reasons. And with characteristic enterprise the GIMBEL Store is first to show these new Rugs.

"Bundhar" Oval Wilton Rugs are particularly beautiful in their sweeping lines and designs, being exquisite in conception, most admirable in their workmanship and exceptionally durable. As a decorative foundation they cannot be excelled at a moderate price.

"BUNDHAR" OVAL WILTON RUGS

possess these advantages:

- 1—They fit up into the bay window—small rugs unnecessary.
- 2—Permit the hardwood flooring to garner its share of admiring glances.
- 3—Afford planes the bare flooring space so necessary to insure pure tones.
- 4—No corners to turn under to accommodate the corner fireplace.
- 5—In many respects labor savers.

One Hundred Room Size, 9x12-ft. Bundhar Rugs, at \$45.50
9x12-ft. Medallion Wiltons \$37.50 9x12-ft. Conventional Wiltons \$33.50

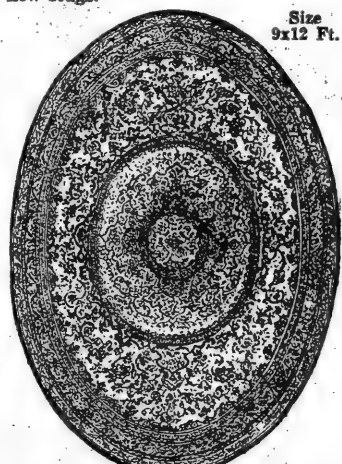
Also full assortments of the famous Whittall "Anglo-Persian" Rugs, as well as the celebrated French Wiltons made by Hardwick & Magee.

John & James Dobson Hall and Stair Carpets Much Underprice.
\$1.60 Wilton Velvet Carpets, \$1.35 **\$1.85 Wilton Velvet Carpets, \$1.60**

A yard A splendid selection of colorings in Oriental and two-tone effects. Hall and stair to match.

A Superb Showing of Rich Oriental Rugs

Selected with the utmost of skill and discrimination by our own experts, and embracing the very finest weaves in Kirmanshah, Sarouks, Kashans, Mahals, Ghorevans, Afghans, Bokharas, Beluchistans, Mosuls, Shirvans, Daghestans, Cabistans, etc., all at distinctly moderate prices. Sixth Floor



"Progress"—\$6.75 White Blankets, \$5 Pair

WARM and weighty, sizes 70x80 and 72x90, pink or blue border, silk bindings.

\$9 Blankets, \$7.75

Pair Extra size, 72x90: Winter weight; white with pink or blue borders; fine mohair bindings.

\$15 Wool Blankets, \$10 Pair

White. Blankets with white or blue borders; 70x90; cut and bound separately; also blue and tan plaid; size 72x84, in the wanted large block designs.

\$5 Wool Filled Comforters, \$3.95 Each

Handsome figured satin or silk coverings, with 5 in. x 11 in. borders to match; pure wool filling.

\$5 Wool Filled Comforters, \$3.95 Each

Dainty floral designs on silk coverings in the newest colorings, with plain 5-inch borders to match; full size. Second Floor

"Progress"—Pure Linen Satin Damask Sets Under-Price

SET consists of 1 cloth and 12 napkins. Several beautiful new floral and stripe effects.

With cloth, \$6.50 With cloth, \$6.50
66x96 in. 66x96 in. 66x104 in. \$7

Extra Heavy All-Linen Full Bleached Hemstitched Damask Dinner Sets

With cloth, \$10.50 With cloth, \$11.50
70x70 in. 70x70 in. 70x88 in. \$12.50

Linen Section, Second Floor

"Progress"—\$400 Black Enameled Hand-Decorated Bedroom Suites, \$245

INSPIRED by a suite designed for a most exclusive New York hotel by a woman decorator of international fame. Nine pieces, including twin beds. Floral decorations in subdued colors.

\$410 Mahogany Bedroom Suites, \$270

Seven pieces. Sheraton model, hand-somely inlaid. Twin beds.

\$250 Colonial Bedroom Suites, \$198.50

Five-post model. Mahogany. Dustproof construction. Twin beds.

\$475 Carved Mahogany Suites, \$237.50

Three pieces, of very rich and massive design. Seventh Floor

Seventh Floor

"Progress"—Filet Lace Window Panels Entire \$7000 Stock of French and Belgian Filet Lace Panel Window Curtains, Reduced 25%

IT is a twelve-month now since any panels or curtains have reached this side of the water. We cannot duplicate what we have, and the quantities have now come down to 1, 2, 6, or even 10 of a kind. Hence the reductions.

Prices Were \$11.50 to \$60—Now \$8.50 to \$40
The collection comprises Filet, Cluny, Venise and embroidered motifs, mounted on scrim. Widths vary from 36 to 54 inches.

100 Real Filet Lace Bed Spreads
Remarkably good values at special prices, \$23.25 to \$50 each. Sixth Floor

Broadway and Thirty-third Street

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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1915.

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Personal Shopping Service.

MACY'S Personal Shopping Service is a department of expert shoppers selected by us to be of assistance to our customers. At your request one of our shoppers will be assigned to aid you in your shopping expedition through our various departments. No charge is made, and our shoppers render every service possible.

Macy's—Third Floor.

R. H. Macy & Co.'s Attractions Are Their Low Prices.

Macy's

Herald Square. Broadway, 34th to 35th St.

Distinctive Writing Paper for Social Correspondence.

NOWADAYS stationery is so indicative of one's character and good taste it is necessary to choose correspondence paper carefully. Macy's Social Stationery Department is replete just now with many new, distinctive kinds and styles of papers, both Foreign and Domestic. A handsome cabinet containing two sizes of Crane's fine paper, 24 cards, 48 sheets and 72 envelopes, is very popular at \$1.03. Inspect our display of new papers.

Macy's Social Stationery Dept.—Main Floor.

This Is an Unusual Sale of Paradise Feathers

PARADISE feathers have always held an unrivalled position as the most graceful and elegant trimming for dressy chapeaux.

No more Paradise feathers can be imported, according to law, and the supply in this country is nearing its end; the prices have consequently gone to higher figures. Considering this condition of the high market price today, we are offering an unusual opportunity to secure these desirable Paradise feathers at remarkably low prices.

Small Paradise, consisting of 2 long strands and finished with ostrich at the base. **\$10.89**

Selected Paradise Trimming in full side sweep effect; very rich. **\$21.89**

All in Black and Natural Color.

Macy's—Second Floor.

Costume Corduroy

The Popular Fabric for Women's Wear, 27 in. wide.

yd. 76c

Verified Price elsewhere 95c.

5,000 yards represented in this sale. All the wanted shades for street wear; also dainty Pastel colorings, and Ivory White.

Corduroy is especially desirable for Tailleur Suits, separate Skirts and Sport Coats for Women and Misses.

Goods on special sale tables in Dress Goods Department.

Macy's—Second Floor, 35th Street.

Women's Shoes, \$2.89

Usually \$3.96 and \$4.49.

"The Gypsy," which so closely outlines the graceful curve of the instep, is modelled in soft, dull-black kid, seamed from top to toe. Either lace or button model.

A three-quarter foxed shoe with its patent-leather piping is the season's most desirable type for the woman who demands conservative distinction in footwear.

Both styles have welled and stitched soles and leather Cuban heels of the popular Louis design. A complete range of sizes for first purchasers.

Macy's—Second Floor, Rear.

Successful Cotton Weaves

IMPORTED Plaid Eponge—an attractive material that is to be had in pleasing light or dark plaids, "Scotch effect," as well as in broken black-and-white checks. For separate skirts, coats and dresses this is quite in vogue. 39 inches wide.

Cotton Velours—a soft, velvet-like fabric that is often used in place of the higher-priced material for coats, dresses, millinery and draperies. It comes in maize, azure, pink, castor, gold, green, garnet, red, purple, cadet gray, slate, heliotrope, American Beauty, navy and white. 36 inches wide.

Macy's—Wash Goods Dept., Second Floor.

Sterling Silver Table Pieces Radically Reduced

THE prices on about 85 pieces of handsome Sterling silver, including bon-bon dishes, candlesticks, bowls, sandwich trays, fruit dishes, vases and other items as listed below, have been reduced about 1/3 in order to make room for new.

The opportunity presents a good chance to secure Sterling silver at much less than it would usually cost you.

Group No. 1, \$4.69

Macy's Usual Price \$6.94 to \$8.24.
Bon-Bon Dishes.
Candlesticks, 8-inch Mahogany and Sterling.
Vases, 7-inch pierced, white lining.

Group No. 2, \$7.49

Macy's Usual Price \$9.74 to \$12.32.
Bon-Bon Dishes.
Bowls.
Vases, 10-inch.
Candlesticks, 12-inch.

Group No. 3, \$9.94

Macy's Usual Price \$14.89 to \$15.68.
Six Vases, 12-inch.
One Sandwich Tray.

Group No. 4, \$11.89

Macy's Usual Price \$16.31 to \$18.89.
Bowls, Footed Fruit Dishes, Vases, 14-inch; Sandwich Tray, Gravy Boat.

Group No. 5, \$14.89

Macy's Usual Price \$20.54 to \$22.78.
Vegetable Dishes, 1 1/2 inches long, oval shape.
Mavonaise Sets.
Bowls.

Group No. 6, \$17.89

Macy's Usual Price \$24.89 to \$26.50.
Water Pitchers.
Fruit Bowls, 9 1/2 inches.
Round Tray, 10 1/2 inches.
Fruit Dish.
Vase, 15 inches.

Group No. 7, \$21.89

Macy's Usual Price \$29.70 to \$34.75.
Three Large Bowls, 1 1/2 inches.
Two Water Pitchers.
One Meat Dish, 13 1/2 inches.

Macy's—Main Floor, Broadway.

See Macy's Grocery Advertisement on other side of this Page.

A Rather Important Offering of Women's Suits



\$26.75

Here are six models only, from a collection of a hundred or more Winter styles, embracing all points of Fashion, as a typical example of what you can do at Macy's. These suits are warmly interlined.

- A.—Broadcloth. Skunk seal (dyed muskrat) trimming. Navy, brown, Burgundy and black. \$32.75
- B.—Whipcord. Velvet trimmed. Green, brown, navy and black. \$16.74
- C.—Broadcloth. French Seal (Coney) trimmed. Green, brown and black. \$24.74
- D.—Broadcloth. Hudson seal (dyed muskrat) trimming. Navy, brown, green and black. \$26.75
- E.—Broadcloth. Plum, green, navy and black. \$16.74
- F.—Broadcloth. Skunk seal opossum fur. Navy, green and black. \$26.75

These models are all from our regular stock and may be obtained during the entire season.

Macy's—Third Floor.



\$24.74

\$32.75

\$26.75

\$16.74

Oil Paintings Reduced to Half Price

To make room for incoming shipments.

PAINTINGS worthy of a place in the most beautifully furnished homes. Some are from renowned studios of Paris, Munich and Florence, while others are American paintings, bearing signatures of men well-known in the world of art.

All the original price tags are still fastened to the frames of these paintings, showing at a glance the remarkable saving afforded by this sale.

Those who do not need a painting for their home, should take advantage of this event by purchasing a painting or two for Christmas gifts.

	Usual Price.	Sale Price.		Usual Price.	Sale Price.		
Landscape	<i>S. Lannes</i>	\$122.00	\$61.00	Cherries	<i>Nonnenbruch</i> \$2,000.00	\$1,000.00	
Cross Fire	<i>Kolosvary</i>	\$141.00	\$70.50	Reflection	<i>F. Andraetti</i>	\$324.00	\$162.00
Cardinal	<i>Kolosvary</i>	\$65.25	\$32.62	First Lesson	<i>Prof. Zampetti</i>	\$324.00	\$162.00
Sheepfold	<i>J. Bahieu</i>	\$149.00	\$74.50	Market Day	<i>J. Bahieu</i>	\$336.00	\$168.00
Monk	<i>Nouek</i>	\$169.00	\$84.50	Landscape	<i>Wiegand</i>	\$247.00	\$123.00
Figures	<i>Orselli</i>	\$174.00	\$87.00	Marine	<i>Gue</i>	\$184.00	\$92.00
Dutch Fishing Boats	<i>Hans</i>	\$159.00	\$79.50	Landscape	<i>Decker</i>	\$149.00	\$74.50
Edelweiss	<i>Hans Zatzka</i>	\$189.00	\$94.50	Cattle	<i>Craig</i>	\$126.00	\$63.00
In Sky Stars	<i>Hans Zatzka</i>	\$249.00	\$124.50	Italian Market	<i>Lamesi</i>	\$166.00	\$83.00
Wild Flower	<i>A. Nesgradi</i>	\$94.50	\$47.25	Landscape	<i>B. Henry</i>	\$122.00	\$61.00
Landscape	<i>E. Barbarni</i>	\$154.00	\$77.00	Marine	<i>Rose</i>	\$84.75	\$42.37
Flowers	<i>Wimmel</i>	\$74.75	\$37.37	Concert	<i>Lendek</i>	\$124.00	\$62.00
Figures	<i>L. Behrends</i>	\$124.50	\$62.25	Spring	<i>Pritchenfeld</i>	\$95.06	\$47.50
Pastime	<i>Costa</i>	\$147.00	\$73.50	Mother & Child	<i>C. Duxa</i>	\$67.25	\$33.62
Landscape	<i>Lambert</i>	\$69.75	\$34.87	Musketters	<i>Cussel</i>	\$99.50	\$49.75
Landscape	<i>Lanigni</i>	\$69.75	\$34.87	Landscape	<i>Field</i>	\$94.75	\$47.37
Landscape	<i>R. F. DeBrenski</i>	\$49.75	\$24.87	Tempting	<i>J. Rojner</i>	\$99.50	\$49.75
Landscape	<i>T. B. Griffin</i>	\$74.75	\$37.37	Landscape	<i>A. Arnegger</i>	\$99.50	\$49.75
Figure	<i>Suhs</i>	\$59.75	\$29.87	Figure	<i>P. Collini</i>	\$89.50	\$44.75
Military Subjects		\$29.75	\$14.87	In the Park	<i>V. Aldebert</i>	\$95.50	\$47.75
Mother and Child	<i>G. Magni</i>	\$524.00	\$262.00	Marine	<i>Shepherd</i>	\$109.00	\$54.50

Genuine Imported Bronzes and Pedestals at 1/2 Price



	Usual Price.	Sale Price.	
Diana	<i>Moreau</i>	\$74.50	\$37.25
Harvest	<i>Thioire</i>	\$129.00	\$64.50
Labor	<i>Pohl</i>	\$64.50	\$32.25
Research	<i>Mirinda</i>	\$198.00	\$99.00
*Gladiator, Original in Louvre		\$129.00	\$64.50
*Dante	<i>Unknown</i>	\$59.50	\$29.75
*Ariadne	<i>Demichier</i>	\$109.00	\$54.50
*Venus de Milo		\$244.00	\$122.00
Water Carrier	<i>Xanireff</i>	\$134.00	\$67.00
*Bartolomeo	<i>Coliceni</i>	\$72.50	\$36.25
Red Cloud	<i>Curts</i>	\$249.00	\$124.50
La Rossee	<i>Moreau</i>	\$124.00	\$62.00
Sower of Ideas	<i>Pitcault</i>	\$119.00	\$59.50
Mandolin Player		\$149.00	\$74.50



*These bronzes have pedestals included at prices mentioned.

Figures and Busts in Marble			
Usual Price. Sale Price.		Usual Price. Sale Price.	
Winged Victory	\$44.75 \$22.38	Venus de Milo	\$112.00 \$56.00
Spring	\$74.50 \$37.25	Crouching Venus	\$295.00 \$147.50
Diana	\$44.75 \$22.38	Ophelia	\$59.50 \$29.75
Venus de Milo	\$74.50 \$37.25		

Macy's—Fourth Floor.

Lace Curtains

WE have received another large shipment of fine hand-made Marie Antoinette, and Lacet Arabian Curtains direct from France. Also Panels, Bed Sets and hand-made filee lace panels.

These are to be found on sale at Macy's "Lowest-in-the-City" prices.

Special Prices on Panels and Curtains

Marie Antoinette Panels, 2 1/2 yds. x 36 in., **\$2.89** ea. 2 1/2 yds. x 40 in., **\$3.24** ea. 2 1/2 yds. x 45 in., **\$3.49** ea.

Marie Antoinette Lace Curtains, 2 1/2 yds. long, at **\$2.97** and **\$3.96** the pair.

Lacet Arabian Lace Curtains, 2 1/2 yds. long, at **\$3.74** yd. Irish Point Lace Curtains from Switzerland, 3 yds. long, **\$3.49**, **\$3.96**, **\$4.49** the pair.

Macy's—Fourth Floor.

Men's and Women's

Fine Kerchiefs

At Extremely Low Prices.

Women's Novelty Initial Handkerchiefs, 49c Box of 6, Assorted—This identical quality elsewhere is 75c per half dozen. An excellent quality imported fabric; initialed in desirable shades of pink, blue or lavender to match the colored borders.

Women's Hand-Embroidered Madeira Handkerchiefs, 34c each—Beautifully embroidered in an unusual variety of designs.

Women's Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, 6 for 39c Macy's Usual Price 10c each. Very special is this lot; the hems are 1/4 or 1/2-inch, and the linen of a quality to give long service.

Men's All-Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, 6 for 54c—2,000 dozen fine handkerchiefs with 1/4-inch hems; soft laundered, ready for use. Our own importation from Belfast.

Men's Handkerchiefs, 19c each—Superior quality, pure Irish Linen. These have 1/4, 1/2 or 3/4-inch hand-thread drawn hems, and are Macy's regular 24c quality. Our own importation.

Men's Hand-Embroidered Initial Handkerchiefs, Box of 6, \$1.34—The standard 25c sort. Choice of two smart initials, the "Long-fellow" and neat script letters.

Men's Silk Handkerchiefs, 29c each. Macy's Usual 49c Quality. 150 dozen. An excellent grade in artistic color combinations, these were a special importation from Japan and are unusual at this price.

Macy's—Main Floor.

Quaint Styles in

Middy Dresses \$1.94



For children of three to six years, the Middy dress pictured above is quite a favorite. Made of White Poplin in belted Norfolk effect with pleated skirt. Vestee, collar and cuffs are in contrasting color—Copenhagen, tan, rose or green.

Children's Tams, \$1.39 to \$2.79

A pleasing assortment of velvet and corduroy Tams, prettily trimmed with ribbon bows and rosettes; majority navy and brown.

Infants'

Hand-Crocheted Hoods, 94c to \$2.29

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JOHNSTON LEADS TENNIS RATING

Newcomers Likely to Replace Veterans—Ranking Committee Has Hard Problem.

McLOUGHLIN THIRD IN LIST

Alexander Goes Up a Couple Notches—Behr Ranks Ahead of Pell.

NEW NAMES IN FIRST TEN

Pell, Griffin, and Niles Take the Places of Fottrell, Murray, and Clothier.

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Newcomers will likely replace many of the veterans in lawn tennis rating for 1915, although the most important changes will come after the first ten players have been selected. The Ranking Committee of the United States Lawn Tennis Association has already commenced its labors, and perhaps no Ranking Committee in the history of lawn tennis in this country ever has been confronted by quite the same proposition that confronts Walter Merrill Hall, Frederick C. Imman, and Walter L. Fote, who will pass on the relative merits of the players for the year.

The policy of basing its ratings on the Summer's record was endorsed by the National Association. Now the question is whether the committee will carry with it at the meeting in December the strength of its 1914 convictions. The most significant feature of the committee's report will be the many new names placed in the first thirty ranked players for the old school players are slowly dropping out of competition and their places are being taken by the younger element, not quite so well known to the general public.

It is probable that Johnston's wonderful showing in the national championship will entitle him to first honors. Five days after he defeated Williams in the nationals Johnston lost to last year's title holder on the same court and under exactly the same championship conditions.

Neither Williams nor McLoughlin lost a match to any other player during the season, except to each other or to Karl H. Behr, who was considered absolutely first class. Williams in this way lost three matches.

The only serious challenger of McLoughlin's rating is Karl H. Behr, who beat the Californian at Seaside.

The fact that T. R. Pell defeated the champion at Southampton in straight sets will influence the Ranking Committee in making its selection. Pell came through to the semi-final round, when he fell before McLoughlin. His season's record favors his selection for fifth place.

Next in order unquestionably comes Frederick C. Imman, who will probably jump two places over his last year's standing. He won from N. W. Niles and took a set from McLoughlin. The international veteran was brilliant and effective and at times played better than he ever did before. Clarence J. Griffin, another youngster from the Pacific Coast, will probably be selected to fill the seventh position. Among Griffin's victims in the national tournament were: C. S. Garland, Sidney Thayer, Jr., Ward Dawglen, and B. C. Law.

Boston's sole representative in the first ten appears to be N. W. Niles, whose chief performance was his victory over Johnston at Longwood, three sets to one. Watson M. Washburn will probably take ninth position, due to his defeat of G. M. Church in the nationals, while the latter is expected to bring up the rear. In this event Church will be dropped three numbers, Washburn remains stationary, and Niles comes up from Class I.

The year of 1915 will be long remembered among the tennis players who failed to figure with any degree of prominence. A shakeup in the national rating is not felt so much in its reaction on the first ten men as in the second and third groups. As a rule the leaders are so far superior to the average tournament competitor that it takes a big slump to cause them to be ousted. The past year has seen the younger element decisively defeat some of the hanging-on veterans.

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WHEN JOHN REID BROUGHT GOLF HERE

MRS. BARLOW TAKES CUP.

An eighteen-hole medal play handicap was run off, but only half a dozen returned cards. Miss Gertrude Pickhardt of Englewood was the winner with a card of 102-9-93. The summary:

First Eight—Final Round—Mrs. Ronald H. Bass, 102-9-93; Mrs. Mr. H. S. Fraser, Baltusorg Golf Club, 7 up and 6 to play.

Second Eight—Final Round—Mrs. W. J. Seaman, Richmond County Country Club, 102-9-93; Miss Gertrude Pickhardt, Englewood Country Club, 2 up.

Third Eight—Final Round—Mrs. Albert McDermott, 102-9-93; Mrs. Mabel Guilford, Dunwoode Country Club, 2 up.

Handicap—Miss Gertrude Pickhardt, Englewood, 102-9-93; Mrs. George D. Boschen, 102-9-93; Mrs. J. L. Bradshaw, 102-9-93; A. Potts, Lakewood, 110, 7-103; Miss Grace Parrelly, Englewood, 117, 7-106; Mrs. R. W. Tatum, 117, 7-106.

GREENWICH COUNTRY CLUB Golf.
Special To The New York Times.

GREENWICH, Conn., Oct. 4.—At the Greenwich Country Club today in the Halloween four-ball foursomes eighteen-hole medal play club handicap, A. D. Mitterdorf, 102-9-93; R. W. Tatum, 102-9-93; T. M. Hodgson and W. T. Graham, 93, 17-77; D. Chapman and G. B. Friction, 102-9-93; H. S. Marston and H. C. Leighton, 94, 17-77; T. M. Hodgson and C. F. Street, 98, 16-82; and J. D. Seaman and J. D. Seaman, 102-9-93. All contestants were high hats and otherwise appropriate costumes.

The winners, H. C. Leighton and H. S. Marston. The second prize was won by J. D. Seaman and J. D. Seaman. Prizes were presented by J. Thoutter.

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Craig Colgate won the handicap against par at the Nassau Country Club yesterday. He finished 3 down. Results follow: Craig Colgate, 8 down; D. A. Loring, Jr., 6 down; H. C. Berner, 7 down; R. D. Honeyman, 8 down.

Oarsmen to be Minstrels.
The New York Rowing Association will give a minstrel show at the Lexington Avenue Opera House Jan. 11. The association has about twenty-eight clubs.

sition; and see what tennis players generally think of it, and whether its advantages, if any, would counterbalance the loss of gate receipts due to the absence of stars from the tournaments. There seems that it would

number participating. Applications for membership will probably be received this afternoon from Amherst, Union, and Rutgers. The league schedule will also be drawn up. Some of the colleges feel that the shortness of the schedule does not give them the chance to be self-supporting, and they will ask for

of Commerce last year, is looking around for another high school to coach this year. Cramer coaches for the pleasure. In addition, his club gives the crew the privilege of its house and racing shells. Cramer gave the banner for the first schoolboy race rowed

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1000 Cramp Ship. 130	133	132	129	133
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THE CASE OF EDITH CAVELL

A Reply to Dr. Albert Zimmermann, Germany's Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs

Mr. Beck, who is one of the leaders of the New York Bar, is the author of the most widely read article written since the war began, entitled: "The Dual Alliance vs. The Triple Entente," which was subsequently expanded into a book, called "The Evidence in the Case," pronounced by a distinguished publicist to be "the classic of the war." After its publication in THE NEW YORK TIMES this article was reprinted in nearly every language of the civilized nations and over a million copies of it were published.

THOSE who have regarded the Supreme Court of Civilization—meaning thereby the moral sentiment of the world—as a mere rhetorical phrase or an idle illusion should take note how swiftly that court—sitting now as one of criminal assize—has pronounced sentence upon the murderers of Edith Cavell. The swift vengeance of the world's opinion has called to the bar General Baron von Bissing, and in executing him with the lightning of universal execration has forever degraded him.

Baron von der Lancken may possibly escape general obloquy, for his part in the crime was no greater than that of Pilate, who sought to wash his hands of innocent blood; but von Bissing will enjoy "until the last syllable of recorded time" the unenviable fame of Judge Jeffreys. He, too, was an able Judge and probably believed that he was executing justice, but because he did not execute it in mercy, but with a ferocity that has made his name a synonym for judicial tyranny, the world has condemned him to lasting infamy, and this notwithstanding the fact that he was made Chief Justice of the King's Bench, Lord High Chancellor of England, and a peer of the realm. All these titles are forgotten. Only that of "Bloody Jeffreys" remains.

Similarly, if his master shall be pleased to honor General Baron von Bissing with the iron cross for his action in the case of Miss Cavell, as the Kaiser honored the Captain of the submarine which destroyed the Lusitania—and what order could be more appropriate in both cases than the cross, which recalls how another innocent victim to judicial tyranny was sacrificed?—then even the Order of the Iron Cross will not save von Bissing from lasting obloquy. I do not question that he acted according to his lights and

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MISS EDITH CAVELL.

From a Photograph Taken Only a Short Time Before Her Execution,
Just Received Here.

shared with Dr. Albert Zimmermann great "surprise" that the world should make such a sensation about the murder of one woman. Trajan once said that the possession of absolute power had a tendency to transform even the most humane man into a wild beast, and Judge Black in his great argument in the case of *ex parte* Milligan recalled the fact that Robespierre in his early life resigned his

commission as Judge rather than pronounce the sentence of death, and that Caligula passed as a very amiable young man before he assumed the imperial purple. The story is as old as humanity that the appetite for blood "grows by what it feeds upon."

The murder of Miss Cavell was one of exceptional brutality and stupidity. It never occurred to her judges that

her murder would add an army corps to the forces of the Allies and that every English soldier will fight more bravely because of her shining example. So little was this appreciated either in Brussels or Berlin that the German Foreign Office, in its official apology for the crime, issued over the signature of Herr Doctor Albert Zimmermann, Under Secretary of Foreign Affairs, expresses its surprise

that the shooting of an Englishwoman and the condemnation of several women in Brussels for treason have caused a sensation.

What extraordinary moral naiveté! How could they appreciate that after the firing squad had done its work and the body of the woman had been given hasty burial the victim's virtues would

"plead like angels, trumpet-tongued, against
The deep damnation of her taking off;
And pity, like a naked new-born babe,
Striding the blast, or Heaven's cherubim,
horsed

Upon the sightless couriers of the air,
Shall blow the horrid deed in every eye,
That tears shall drown the wind."

This happened with incredible rapidity, and the Kaiser made haste to respite the eight other intended victims—two of them being also women—and the Berlin Foreign Office also issued to the world its defense of its action.

It began with an expression of "pity that Miss Cavell had to be executed," but the sincerity of this pity can be measured by the fact that concurrently with Dr. Zimmermann's official apology there came from Berlin an "inspired" supplemental explanation, which sought to depreciate the character and services of the dead nurse by stating "that she earned a living by nursing, charging fees within the means of the wealthy only."

The world has an abundant refutation of this cruel and cowardly slur upon the memory of a dead woman, for one who first hazarded her life and then gave it freely to save the lives of others—for such was the charge for which she died—is not a woman to restrict her gracious ministrations of mercy for mercenary motives.

The Kaiser has been swift to see the deadly injury to his cause of this latest evidence of military tyranny. Not only has he resipit Miss Cavell's alleged accomplices—as if to say with Macbeth, "thou canst not say I did it"—but it is said that he has summoned von Bissing and von der Lancken to explain their actions in the matter, but as the Kaiser is responsible for the invasion of Belgium

and has hitherto permitted its attendant horrors, he can no more absolve himself from some share of responsibility than could Macbeth disavow his responsibility for the deeds of his two hirelings.

The stain of this murder rests upon Prussian militarism and not upon the German people, for it should not be forgotten that possibly the most chivalrous act, which has happened since the beginning of the war, was the erection by a German community, where a detention camp was maintained, of a statue to the imprisoned French and English soldiers who had died in captivity, with the beautiful inscription:

"To our Comrades, who here died for their dear Fatherland."

What could be more chivalrous or present a greater contrast to the assassination of Miss Cavell?

We are advised by Dr. Zimmermann that Miss Cavell was given a fair trial and was justly convicted, but as the proceedings of the trial were secret and as Miss Cavell was denied counsel of her own selection and forbidden to have access in advance of the trial even to the nature of the charges against her, and as we know nothing of the circumstances of her alleged offense except the reports of her judges and executioners, the world will be somewhat incredulous as to whether the trial was as just to the accused as Dr. Zimmermann would have us believe.

The difficulty with this assurance is that the German conception of what is a fair trial differs from that which prevails in Anglo-Saxon countries, just as the German word "Gerechtigkeit" does not convey the same mental or moral conception as the English word "justice." "Gerechtigkeit" means simply the exercise of the power of the State, and claims no further sanction than its authority. In England, France, and the United States the idea of justice is that an individual has certain fundamental and inalienable rights which even the State cannot override, and none of these fundamental rights have been more highly valued in the whole evolution of English liberty than the rights of a defendant who is charged with crime. Whether guilty or not guilty, he cannot be arrested without a judicial warrant on proof of probable cause; he may not be compelled to testify against himself; he is entitled to a speedy trial and shall be informed in advance thereof of the exact nature of the accusation; his trial shall be public and open, and he shall be confronted with the witnesses against him and have compulsory process for his own defense; in advance of trial he shall have permission to select his own counsel, and shall have the opportunity to confer freely with him.

Each one of these fundamental rights was denied to Miss Cavell.

It is difficult to understand why, in view of the policy of terrorism, which has prevailed in Belgium from the time that the invader first crossed its frontier, the justice from the standpoint of military law should be referred to in Herr Zimmermann's defense. In the official textbook of the General Staff of the German Army the definite policy of terrorizing a conquered country is proclaimed as a military theory. Its leading axiom is that

"a war conducted with energy cannot be directed merely against the combatants of the enemy State and the positions they occupy, but it will and must be the more so seek to destroy the total intellectual and material resources of the latter. Humanitarian claims, such as the protection of men and their goods, can only be taken into consideration in so far as the nature and object of the war permit. Consequently the argument of war permits every belligerent State to have recourse to all means which enable it to obtain the object of the war."

Miss Cavell's fate only differs from that of hundreds of Belgian women and children in that she had the pretense of a trial and presumably had trespassed against military law, while other victims of the rape of Belgium were ruthlessly killed in order to effect a speedy subjugation of the territory. The question of the guilt or innocence of each individual was a matter of no importance. Hostages were taken and shot for the alleged wrongs of others.

Did not General von Bülow on Aug. 22 announce to the inhabitants of Liege that

"it is with my consent that the General in command has burned down the place

[Antwerp] and shot about 200 Antwerpians."

It was the same chivalrous and humane General who posted a proclamation at Namur on Aug. 25 as follows:

"Before 4 o'clock all Belgian and French prisoners are to be delivered up as prisoners of war. Citizens who do not obey this will be condemned to hard labor for life in Germany. At 4 o'clock a rigorous inspection of all houses will be made. Every soldier found will be shot. The streets will be held by German guards, who will hold ten hostages for each street. These hostages will be shot if there is any trouble in that street. A crime against the German Army will compromise the existence of the whole town of Namur and every one in it."

Did not Field Marshal von der Goltz issue a proclamation in Brussels, on Oct. 5, stating that, if any individual disturbed the telegraphic or railway communications, all the inhabitants would be "punished without pity, the innocent suffering with the guilty?"

Individual guilt being thus a matter of minor importance, Dr. Zimmermann has no occasion on the accepted theory of Prussian militarism to justify the secret trial and midnight execution of Edith Cavell. Indeed, he freely intimates that his Government will not spare women, no matter how high and noble the motive may have been which inspires any infraction of military law, and to this sweeping statement he makes but one exception, namely, that women "in a delicate condition may not be executed." But why the exception? If it be permitted to destroy one life for the welfare of the military administration of Belgium, why stop at two? If the innocent living are to be sacrificed, why spare the unborn? The exception itself shows that the rigor of military law must have some limitation, and that its iron rigor must be softened by a discretion dictated by such considerations of chivalry and magnanimity as have hitherto been observed by all civilized nations. If the victim of yesterday had been an "expectant mother," Dr. Zimmermann suggests that her judges and executioners would have spared her, but no such exception can be found in the Prussian military code. "It is not so nominated in the bond," and the Under Secretary's recognition of one exception, based upon considerations of humanity and not the letter of the military code, destroys the whole fabric of his case, for it clearly shows that there was a power of discretion which von Bülow could have exercised, if he had so elected.

That her case had its claims not only to magnanimity, but even to military justice, is shown by the haste with which, in the teeth of every protest, the unfortunate woman was hurried to her end. Sentenced at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, she was executed nine hours later. Of what was General Baron von Bissing afraid? She was in his custody. Her power to help her country—save by dying—was forever at an end. The hot haste of her execution and the duplicity and secrecy which attended it betray an unmistakable fear that if her life had been spared until the world could have known of her death sentence, public opinion would have prevented this cruel and cowardly deed. The labored apology of Dr. Zimmermann and the swift action of the Kaiser in pardoning those who were condemned with Miss Cavell indicate that the Prussian officials have heard the beating of the wings of those avenging angels of history who, like the Eumenides of classic mythology, are the avengers of the innocent and the oppressed.

"Greatness," wrote Aeschylus, "is no defense from after destruction when a man insolently spurns the mighty altar of justice."

This is as true today as when it was written more than two thousand years ago. It is but a classic echo of the old Hebrew moral axiom that "the Lord God of recompenses shall surely requite."

The most powerful and self-willed ruler of modern times learned this lesson to his cost. Probably no two instances contributed so powerfully to the ultimate downfall of Napoleon as his ruthless assassination under the forms of military law of the Duke d'Enghien and the equally brutal murder of the German bookseller, Palm. The one aroused the undying enmity of Russia, and the blood that was shed in the moat of Vincennes was washed out in the icy waters of the Berezina. The fate of the poor German bookseller, whom Napoleon caused to be shot because his writings menaced the security of French occupation, developed as no other event the dor-

mant spirit of German nationality, and the Nuremberg bookseller, shot precisely as was Miss Cavell, was finally avenged when Blücher gave Napoleon the coup de grâce at Waterloo. No one more clearly felt the invisible presence of his Nemesis than did Napoleon. All his life, and even in his confinement at St. Helena, he was ceaselessly attempting to justify to the moral conscience of the world his ruthless assassination of the last Prince of the house of Condé. The terrible judgment of history was never better expressed than by Lamartine in the following language:

"A cold curiosity carries the visitor to the battlefields of Marengo, Austerlitz, Wagram, Leipzig, Waterloo; he wanders over them with dry eyes, but one is shown at a corner of the wall near the foundation of Vincennes, at the bottom of a ditch, a spot covered with nettles and weeds. He says, 'There it is!' He utters a cry and carries away with him undying pity for the victim and an implacable resentment against the assassin. This resentment is vengeance for the past and a lesson for the future. Let the ambitious, whether soldiers, tribunes, or kings, remember that if they have bidings to do their will, and flatterers to accuse them while they reign, there yet comes afterward a human conscience to judge them and pity to hate them. The murderer has but one hour; the victim has eternity."

With this noble aphorism of Lamartine the case of Edith Cavell could be safely rested, but there is one aspect of the tragedy which especially concerns the honor and dignity of the United States and should receive its swift and effectual recognition.

Her secret trial and hurried execution was a studied affront to the American Minister at Brussels, and therefore to the American nation. It is true that in all he did to save her life he was acting in behalf of and for the benefit of Great Britain, whose interests our Government has taken over in Belgium; but this cannot affect the fact that when Brand Whitlock intervened in behalf of the prisoner, sought to secure her a fair trial, and prevent her execution, and especially when he asked her life as a favor in return for the services our country had rendered Germany and German subjects in the earlier days of the war, he spoke as an American and as the diplomatic representative of the United States.

So secret was Miss Cavell's arrest and so sinister the methods whereby her end was compassed that the American Minister in Belgium was obliged to write on Aug. 31 to Baron von der Lancken, the German Civil Governor of Belgium, and ask whether it was true that she was under arrest. To this the German Military Governor did not even deign to make a reply, although it was clearly a matter of life and death.

The discourtesy of such silence to a great and friendly nation needs no comment, and will simply serve to remind the American people that Germany has never yet replied to another request of our Government that she disavow the massacre of nearly 200 American men, women, and children on the Lusitania.

Not hearing from Baron von der Lancken, our Minister on Sept. 10 again wrote to him and again asked for a reply. He asked for the opportunity "to take up the defense of Miss Cavell with the least possible delay." To this, Baron Lancken deigned to reply by an ex parte statement that Miss Cavell had admitted

"having concealed in her house various English and French soldiers, as well as Belgians of military age, all anxious to proceed to the front. She also acknowledged having supplied these soldiers with the funds necessary to proceed to the front and having facilitated their departure from Belgium by finding guides to assist them in clandestinely crossing the frontier."

The Baron further answered that her defense had been intrusted (by her judges) to an advocate by the name of Braun, "who is in touch with the proper German authorities," and added that in view of these facts the German military authorities refused "to allow interviews of any kind with the accused persons." For this reason he refused the request of the American Minister that the counsel of the American Legation, M. Deleval, be permitted to visit Miss Cavell.

Our only knowledge as to whether Miss Cavell had been guilty of these offenses against German military law is from her prosecutors, and thus it will be noted that the only counsel assigned to her was not of her own selection, but was apparently a German who was "in touch with the proper German authorities."

We only know from the same inter-

ested source what defense, if any, Miss Cavell made. From one of the inspired sources comes the statement that she freely admitted her guilt, and from her last interview with the English clergyman it would appear that she probably did admit some infraction of military law. But from another German source we learn the following:

"During the trial in the Senate Chamber the accused, almost without exception, gave the impression of persons cleverly simulating naive innocence. It was not a mere coincidence that two-thirds of the accused were women."

"The Englishwoman, Edith Cavell, who has already been executed, declared that she had believed as an Englishwoman that she ought to do her country service by giving lodgings in her house to soldiers and recruits who were in peril. She naturally denied that she had drawn other people into destruction by inducing them to harbor refugees whom her own institute was overtaxed."

From this meagre information we can only infer that Miss Cavell did admit that she had sheltered some soldiers and recruits who were in peril, and while this undoubtedly constituted a grave infraction of military law, yet it does not present in a locality far removed from the actual war zone a case either of espionage or high treason, and is of that class of offenses which have always been punished on the highest considerations of humanity and chivalry and with great moderation.

The difficulty is that the world is not yet informed what defense, if any, Miss Cavell made, or whether an opportunity was given her to make any. The whole proceeding savors of the darkness of the medieval Inquisition.

For some reason that does not appear Herr Braun was not utilized by her Judges to represent her, but another counsel was assigned to her by the name of Kirschen. The extent of his opportunity to represent her—assuming that he was even assigned in good faith to do so—can be illustrated by the fact that when M. Deleval, the legal counsel of the American Embassy, again sought an opportunity to arrange for Miss Cavell's defense he was referred by the authorities to Herr Kirschen, who promptly told our representative that

"lawyers defending prisoners before a German Military Court were not allowed to see their clients before trial, and were not permitted to see any document of the prosecution."

Herr Kirschen further advised M. Deleval not to carry out his intention of even attending the trial, as this "would cause great prejudice to the prisoner, because the German Judges would resent it."

What an indictment of the Judges by their own appointee! Even to see a representative of the American Government at the trial in the interests of fair play would sway the mind of the court against the prisoner. It reads like the trial scene in "Alice in Wonderland."

Herr Kirschen further assured our representative that he would keep our embassy "informed of all developments in the case," and after giving that express assurance, nothing more was heard from the learned counsel assigned by her Judges to defend Miss Cavell. As the trial was secret, no information is vouchsafed as to whether Herr Kirschen even attended, much less defended, his friendless client. What witnesses appeared against her, what the exact charges were, what efforts the court made to learn the facts, what mitigating circumstances were pleaded, of all these we know nothing. These brave and distinguished soldiers tried her in secret and executed her in secret.

It must be remembered that all this did not take place in the zone of actual warfare. A spy caught in the lines of armies is usually dealt with of necessity. But Brussels was miles away from the scene of actual hostilities. Its civil courts were open and a civil administration ruled its affairs of such reputed beneficence and efficiency as to evoke the ungrudging admiration of a distinguished college professor who bears the honored name of George B. McClellan. There was therefore no possible excuse under international law for a drumhead court-martial; as this farcical trial plainly was. In our civil war a similar military commission once sought to hold a similar trial in Indianapolis over civilians accused of treason, but our Supreme Court, in the case of ex parte Milligan, sternly repudiated this form of military tyranny.

In that case the Supreme Court said: "There are occasions when martial law can be properly applied. If, in foreign

tyranny or civil war, the courts are actually closed, and it is impossible to administer criminal justice according to law, then, on the theatre of active military operations, where war really prevails, there is a necessity to furnish a substitute for the civil authority, thus overthrown, to preserve the safety of the army and society; . . . As necessity creates the rule, so it limits its duration; for, if this government is continued after the courts are reconstituted, it is a gross usurpation of power. Martial rule can never exist where the courts are open, and in the proper and unobstructed exercise of their jurisdiction. It is also confined to the locality of actual war."

We do not even know the exact charges preferred against Miss Cavell, much less the evidence which supported it. Dr. Zimmermann says that the charge was treason, but Miss Cavell, as a British subject, owed no allegiance to Germany, and, while she could be legally subjected to military law, the technical charge of treason could no more properly be preferred against her than against any French or English soldier. The German military authorities vaguely intimated that the charge was espionage, but the humane act of helping fugitives to escape, while undoubtedly a grave infraction of military law, is not technically or justly the crime of espionage.

All civilized countries, including Germany, have always recognized a difference between high treason, punishable with death, and ordinary treason. The German *Strafgesetzbuch* thus distinguishes between high treason (*hochverrat*) and the lesser crime of *landesverrat*. High treason consists in murdering or attempting to murder a sovereign or Prince of Germany or an attempt by violence to overthrow the Imperial Government or any State thereof. This alone is punishable with death.

While this distinction of the German Civil Code may have no application when military law is being enforced, yet it illustrates a distinction, which all humane nations have recognized, between the treason which seeks to overthrow a State by rebellion and lesser offenses against the authority of a State.

Assuming that Miss Cavell's offense could be regarded in any sense as treasonable, it certainly constituted the lesser offense under the distinction above quoted.

The fact is that Miss Cavell was tried, condemned, and executed for her sympathy with the cause of Belgium and her willingness to save her compatriots from suffering and death. Military necessity—ever the tyrant's plea—demanded a victim further to terrorize the subjugated people. They chose Miss Cavell.

Notwithstanding the request of the American Legation in its letter of Oct. 5 that it be advised not only as to the charges, but also as to the sentence imposed upon Miss Cavell, and the express promise of Herr Kirschen to inform it of all developments, it was kept in ignorance of the fact that sentence of death had been passed upon her. Minister Whitlock only heard this on Oct. 11, and he at once addressed a letter to Baron von der Lancken in which, after stating this fact, he appealed "to the sentiment of generosity and humanity in the Governor General in favor of Miss Cavell," with a view to commutation of the death sentence, and at the same time addressed a similar letter to Baron von Bissing, the Military Governor of Belgium, who again did not deign to give to the American Government even the cold courtesy of a reply.

On the morning of Oct. 11 our Minister heard—not from the German authorities, but from unofficial sources—that the trial had been completed on the preceding Saturday afternoon, and he at once communicated with the Political Department of the German Military Government, and was expressly assured

"that no sentence had been pronounced and that there would probably be a delay of a day or two before a decision was reached."

The Director of the Political Department (Herr Conrad) gave a further

"positive assurance that the [American] Legation would be fully informed as to the developments in the case."

Notwithstanding this direct promise and further "repeated inquiries in the course of the day," no further word reached our Legation, and at 6:20 P. M. it again inquired as to Miss Cavell's fate, and the Director of the Political Department again

"stated that sentence had not yet been pronounced," and he specifically renewed his assur-

ance. Two hours later our Minister from unofficial sources heard that all that had been told him by the Political Department was untrue and that the sentence had been passed at 5 o'clock P. M. and before his last conversation with the Director, and that the execution was to take place that night.

Accordingly the Secretary of the American Legation proceeded at once to Baron von der Lancken and again asked as a favor to this Government that clemency be extended. He brought with him a letter from the American Minister, which reads as follows:

"My dear Baron:
"I am too ill to put my request before you in person, but I appeal to the generosity of your heart. Stand by and save from death this unfortunate woman. Have pity on her. Your devoted friend,
"BRAND WHITLOCK."

This note was read aloud to Baron von der Lancken, the very official who had refused to answer the first communication of the Legation with reference to the matter, and he

"expressed disbelief in the report that sentence had actually been passed and manifested some surprise that we should give credence to any report not emanating from official sources. He was quite insistent in knowing the exact source of our information, but this I did not feel at liberty to communicate to him."

Baron von der Lancken proceeded to express his belief "that it was quite improbable that sentence had been pronounced," and that in any event no execution would follow. After some hesitation he telephoned to the Presiding Judge of the Court-Martial and then reported that the embassy's unofficial information was only too true.

His attention was further called to the express promise of the German Director of the Political Department to inform the American Legation of the sentence, and he was asked to grant the American Government the courtesy of a "delay in carrying out the sentence." Thereupon Baron von der Lancken agreed to call the Military Governor on the telephone. Instead he saw him in person, and a half hour later reported to our Secretary a refusal to interfere with the execution of the sentence. Having done this, he requested the representative of the American Legation to take back the note of our Minister, but as it was an official communication, our representative insisted that he should keep it. Baron von der Lancken, however, was very insistent and refused to accept delivery of the note. The exact reason for this added discourtesy to the American Government is not clear. He had read the note and could not thereafter claim that our Government had not asked for clemency as a favor.

On Oct. 22 there was issued from Brussels a "semi-official" but anonymous statement, charging that in the reports of the Secretary of the American Embassy, from which the above quoted statements are mainly taken, "most of the important events are inaccurately reproduced."

No specification of any inaccuracy is however made, except the general denial "that the German authorities with empty promises put off the American Minister" and also the equally general statement that no promise was given to our embassy to advise it of developments in the case.

A vague, general, and anonymous denial, issued by men who seek to wash their hands of innocent blood, cannot avail against the clear, specific, and circumstantial statement of an American official, who certainly had no political motive to color his statements. The Secretary of our embassy states that on Oct. 11 he made "repeated" inquiries of Herr Conrad, the official in charge of the Political Department of the German Government in Belgium, the last inquiry being at 6:20 P. M. by the clock, (an hour after the victim had been sentenced to death), and was on each occasion assured that "sentence had not been pronounced," and that "he [Conrad] would not fail to inform us as soon as there was any news."

Does Herr Conrad deny this?

The Brussels "semi-official" statement has the hardihood to state to the world that the American Minister (Brand Whitlock) had admitted that "no such promise or assurance was given," and it places the responsibility upon M. Deleval, the Belgian legal counselor of the American Embassy, but this impudent lie is speedily overthrown by the positive statement of our Minister at

Belgium to our Ambassador in London as follows:

"From the date we first learned of Miss Cavell's imprisonment we made frequent inquiries of the German authorities and reminded them of their promise that we should be fully informed as to developments. They were under no misapprehension as to our interest in the matter."

Will the American people or the people of any nation hesitate to accept the clear, positive, and circumstantial statements of Minister Whitlock, Secretary Gibson, and Counselor Deleval, at least two of whom are wholly disinterested in the matter, as against the self-exculpatory, general, and anonymous denials of a "semi-official" press bureau, especially when it is recalled that from the beginning of the great war, the German Foreign Office, with whom military honor is supposed to be almost a religion, has stooped to the most shameful and barefaced mendacity?

When the world recalls how Austrian Ambassadors in Paris, London, and Petrograd made the most emphatic statements that the forthcoming ultimatum to Serbia would be "pacific and conciliatory," and assured the Russian Ambassador that he could therefore safely leave Vienna on his vacation on the very eve of the ultimatum, and when the German Ambassadors in the same capitals gave the most solemn and unequivocal assurances that

"the German Government had no knowledge of the text of the American note before it was handed in and had not exercised any influence on its contents,"

and later admitted, when the lie had served its purpose by lulling the world into a sense of false security, that it had been fully consulted by its ally before the ultimatum was prepared and had given it a carte blanche to proceed, when these notable examples of Prussian Machiavellism are recalled, little attention will be given to these futile attempts to wash from the shield of German honor the blood of Edith Cavell.

One can to some extent understand the Berserker fury which caused a von Bissing to say in effect to this gentle-faced English nurse, "You are in our way. You menace our security. You must die, as countless thousands have already died, to secure the results of our seizure of Belgium"; but can we understand or in any way palliate the attempt to hide the stains of blood on that prison floor of Brussels with a cobweb of self-evident falsehoods?

These stains can never be washed out to the eye of imagination.

"Let none these marks efface,
For they appeal from tyranny to God."

In the last interview between our representative and Baron von der Lancken, which took place a few hours before the execution, our representative reminded these Prussian officials

"of our untiring efforts on behalf of German subjects at the outbreak of the war and during the siege of Antwerp. I pointed out that, while our services had been gladly rendered and without any thought of future favors, they should certainly entitle you to some consideration for the only request of this sort you [the American Minister] had made since the beginning of the war."

Even our Minister's appeal to gratitude and to one of the most ordinary and natural courtesies of diplomatic life proved unavailing, and at midnight the Secretary of the American Legation and the Spanish Minister, who was acting with him, left in despair. At 2 o'clock that morning Miss Cavell was secretly executed.

Even the ordinary courtesy accorded to the vilest criminal, of being permitted before dying to have a clergyman of her own selection, was denied her until a few hours before her death, for the legal counselor of the American Legation on Oct. 10 applied in behalf of this country for permission for an English clergyman to see Miss Cavell, and this, too, was refused, as her jailers preferred to assign her the prison chaplains as well as her counsel. Even the final appeal of our Minister for the surrender of her mutilated body was denied, on the ground that only the Minister of War in Berlin could grant it.

Apart from the brutality of the whole incident there is one circumstance that makes it of peculiar interest to the American people and which gives to it the character of rank ingratitude. Our representative, as above stated, did advise the German officials that a little delay was asked by our Legation as a slight return for the innumerable acts of kindness which our Legation had done for German soldiers and interned prisoners

in the earlier days of the war before the German invasion had swept over the land. The charge of ingratitude may rest soundly upon far greater and broader grounds.

This great nation had contributed in money and merchandise a sum estimated at many millions for the relief of the people in Belgium. In so doing it did to the German nation an inestimable service, for when Germany conquered Belgium the duty and burden rested upon it to support its population to the extent that it might become necessary. The burden of supporting 8,000,000 civilians was no light one, especially as there existed in Germany a scarcity of food. As bread tickets were then being issued in Germany to its people, the supplies would have been substantially less if a portion of its food products had been required for the civilian population of Belgium, for obviously the German nation could not permit a people, whom it had so ruthlessly trampled under foot, to starve to death. Every dollar that was raised in America for the Belgian people, therefore, operated to relieve Germany from a heavy burden.

Moreover, when the war broke out, Germany needed some friendly nation to take over the care of its nationals in the hostile countries, and in England, France, Belgium, and Russia the interests of German citizens were assumed by the American Government as a courtesy to Germany, and no one can question how faithfully in the last fourteen months Page in London, Sharp in Paris, and Whitlock in Brussels have labored to alleviate the inevitable suffering to German prisoners or interned civilians.

In view of these services, it surely was not much for the American Minister to ask that a little delay should be granted to a woman whose error, if any, had arisen from impulses of humanity and from considerations of patriotism. To spare her life a little longer could not have done the German cause any possible harm, for she was in their custody and beyond the power of rendering any help to her compatriots. To condemn any human being, even if he were the vilest criminal, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon and execute him at 2 A. M. was an act of barbarism for which no possible condemnation is adequate.

Under these circumstances, it would be incredible, if the facts were not beyond dispute, that the request of the United States for a little delay was not only brutally refused, but that our Legation was deliberately misled and deceived until the death sentence had been inflicted.

This makes the fate of Miss Cavell our affair as much as that of the Lusitania. And yet we have the already familiar semi-official assurance from Washington that while our officials "unofficially deplore the act, officially they can do nothing." Concurrently we are told in the President's Thanksgiving proclamation that we should be thankful because we have "been able to assert our rights and the rights of mankind," and that this "has been a year of special blessing for us," for, so the proclamation adds, "we have prospered while other nations were at war."

I venture to say in all reverence that the God of nations will be better pleased on the coming Thanksgiving Day—which also should be one of penitence and humiliation—if we do a little more in fact as well as in words to safeguard the rights of humanity. Our initial blunder was in turning away the Belgian Commissioners, when they first presented the wrongs of their crucified nation, with icy phrases as to a mysterious day of reckoning in the indefinite future. An act of justice now will be worth a thousand future "accountings" after the long agony of the world is over. "Now is the accepted time, this the day of salvation."

Let our nation begin with the case of Edith Cavell, and demand of Germany the dismissal of the officers who flouted, deceived, and mocked the representative of the United States. That concerns our honor as a nation.

And you, women of America! Will you not honor the memory of this martyr of your sex, who for all time will be mourned as was the noblest Greek maiden, Antigone, who also gave her life that her brother might have the rites of sepulture? Will you not carry on in her name and for her memory those sacred ministrations of mercy which were her lifework?

Make her cause—the cause of mercy—your own!



Owen Johnson (in Centre) in the Battery Stables, Valley of the Aisne.

Photo by Walter Hale.

France, Sobered, Consecrated to War to the End

Owen Johnson Gives His Impressions of the Country, Transformed by the War, and Especially of Paris, No Longer Gay and Light-hearted

By Owen Johnson.
FIRST ARTICLE.

I REMEMBER vividly the night before our arrival at Bordeaux. The portholes were blinded and lights extinguished in the saloons. In the sealed smoking room, by the light of one smoky lamp, groups were prepared to pass the night.

We stood on the forward deck, eagerly straining our eyes into the darkness to catch the first glimpses of the shore lights. For the last hour the night had trembled under strange, furtive glares. Were we accompanied by silent iron escorts, sweeping the mysterious waters with suspicious shafts from their cyclopean eyes, or was it simply the electrical disturbances in the overheated sky?

We waited, still straining ahead in the moist, erratic night breeze, feeling the imminence of the stricken land ahead, as though a black curtain were interposed between us and France, country of shocks and sorrow, wondering what the morrow would bring, with the rolling up of these tragic folds on the stage of cruel reality. I remember how acute was this sensation of dramatic suspense, and now that the journey was ending I felt almost a shrinking before the parting of the last veil, fearful of the spectacle which would present itself to me of the France which I had known and loved.

For, when I had thought of France, I had always thought of it as the happiest, fairest land on the earth's surface. I remembered it with the eyes of my early school days as a fairland of childhood, where fragile, childish illusions were affectionately guarded from the soiling, crushing weight of life's struggles and realism. I remembered it as a land of disciplined beauty, of bright colors, of flowers at every window; a land of friendly animals beside blue-blossomed charioteers or rumbling between the wheels in zealous loyalty to man. I remembered its many-tinted fields, its long, military line of poplars marching by the white, smooth roadsides; its tranquil canals, so shaded and so peaceful; its green-hearted peasantry, singing and laughing, neither miserable nor oppressed, but free and rich, reveling in the beauty of nature and the joy of living.

I knew it, above all, for its love of

generous and glorious ideas, and often, knowing it with a more intimate affection than those who, in the quest of some new literary alchemy, sought only the psychopathic analysis of the frothy, mongrel mixture of all races and all parvenus that fatuously believe themselves the voice of Paris, I had passionately defended them from those of my own people who saw only the green, passing scum on the surface, and knew nothing of the deep, clear depths below.

Yet, even with this reverent faith, that night, on the threshold of the great test, I wondered—a little fearful. The nation of the freest, happiest people on the face of the earth had arisen to the test and performed a miracle—but after? Would the intelligence continue as firm as the imagination? Would its resolution remain as heroic, after the long, grinding months of soul exhaustion? Would there be any weakening before the long task still ahead, and the spirit of sublime sacrifice relax into an easy self-deception lulled by the sophistry of a present peace, an armistice which would mean the doom of republican ideas before the rise of a barbaric efficiency tormented to the fanaticism of predestination?

Even if the answer to all these doubts were a glorious affirmative, would the sight of open wounds and a sorrow-ridden country be so vivid that the abiding impression I would take away would be one of ineffaceable melancholy and depression?

All these thoughts crowded into my imagination that last dramatic night, waiting there in the darkness, feeling the undivided horizon growing gradually closer, as scattering pin-pricks of light swept toward us above the mystery of the sea, until shafts of light belched out from a dozen lighthouses and our ears awaited expectantly a following crash, as though these flashes of human lightning must indeed be followed by the roar of cannon-ridden Europe.

My first impression was, as I had feared, one of overwhelming sadness. The winding, incomparably beautiful approach into port, through historic vineyards running to the water's edge, combing the fields with their green ridges; faint, ancient lines of chateau and church spire; fair villages in red and white trap-

pings; languid barks with colored sails—all were meaningless in my eagerness for the human note.

Everywhere such an absence of youth and sturdy manhood! Children and old men, and, everywhere, women! Such multiplied, insistent black blots of mourning against the rich, young green! Nearer the city, over the docks and through the streets, this absence of men disappeared; only the world seemed in uniform, waiting for a bugle on the air to herd together, to take shape and march endlessly away.

In the station everything was swallowed up in this military note—a churning, curdling meeting of the waters. The long train was filling up with fresh red corpuscles to be pumped through the life veins to the menaced front. The confusion of uniforms was like the babel of tongues—dark-blue coats, blue-gray, khaki, red trousers, and the olive green, sweeping folds of the Zouaves; officers in smart, pearl-blue shell jackets, and others gray and seared with service; bearded, ragged privates, with young, boyish faces.

In this bustle of departure, side by side, was the sobering spectacle of destiny in the worn and stricken figures of the wounded—men on crutches, limping on canes, heads bandaged, arms in slings, an empty trouser leg or a sleeve pinned up, crossing and recrossing those whose turn had now come to face the inexorable east—those who looked at them steadily, thinking their own thoughts.

Through the young and the maimed a dozen white-robed, charming silhouettes of the ministering nurses of the Red Cross flitted in their busy tasks, bringing the wounded to rooms for temporary bandages, cutting away soiled cloths, substituting fresh, clean ones. In the dark station, so serious, so grim, and so quiet, with its sudden military groups in shadow, these white-robed figures of young women had something so noble and so healing in the grace and dignity of their presence that they seemed to move amid the stern and unlovely grimness of war as the inspiring vision of an artist.

The train moved out to its long flight over the stricken land. A General and a young Sergeant came into my compartment. The first feeling of sadness which had come over me, like a quick intake of the breath, or an uncontrolled rush of tears to the eyes, now deepened

as the memory of the crowds remained in my memory. Something had gone out of France for me—the laughter and the bubbling joy of life, which used to rise in high-pitched notes of excitement in every pleasant crowd. There was no paltering of illusions here. What had passed had struck too deep; what was coming lay too near.

Out of this pervading desolation, one impression detached itself, unexpected and gratefully surprising. Though every detail was martial to the eye, the note of militarism was strikingly absent. There was no heel-clicking and clocklike saluting. Generals, Colonels, Captains, non-commissioned officers, and privates brushed by each other in the utmost simplicity, as though in the present necessity the etiquette of pargue was too trivial to be noticed. With the growing sense of a nation's sorrow, there came side by side this dawning comprehension of the spirit of France in the perception of the fraternity and democracy in these armies of a republic.

In the dining car we sat down, a party of four—a General, a plain soldier, and an under officer—without the slightest feeling of unease, the General answering a chance question I addressed to the private, scrupulously and politely offering us the first opportunity at each dish passed. This utter simplicity was too natural to be even noticed by them; it was an impression that was never to leave me, a feeling of the sympathy, charity, and the kinship of a great stricken family.

At every city, General X. drew my attention to converted factories, the red flare of furnaces leaping out of the obscurity, stacked heaps of iron tubes rising like honeycombs.

"Shells for the front, for our busy little 75s."

"And there are many women at work there?" I asked, perceiving, to my surprise, in the feverish insect activity, the faces of young girls.

"At least half, sometimes more," and he added reverently, "what women!"

The region of vineyards fell behind. We entered a Land of Canaan, of glorious harvests. Never have I seen a more crowded land. Down to the iron boundary of the roadbed itself came the swarming fields of wheat and oats, crowding the smooth white roads, as though poised to swallow them up in the mad, leaping joy of production. Not a plot of ground, not fifty feet square, but was doing its duty for the sons who loved and defended it. The fair land of France itself seemed fighting for its armies in this gold and green output spilling over the land—these young generations of the soil coming eagerly forth,

like the young generations of men that would grow up to defend their homes in future wars.

Through the mellowing wheat the poppies drunched the field in sanguine stains—a vision of far-off battlefields! As deep as we could see, ceaselessly, beyond each succeeding horizon, this golden flood rolled gleefully away, rustling like a sail—seen caressed by zephyrs, seeming to overturn everything, inundating the land, submerging clustered trees and farm-houses, and the tiny villages far off seemed to sink beneath the rising tide.

Through this richness everywhere were dotted aëlys, sombre spots of human beings, like thrashing bees, tireless and greedy. Only, when seen close to, a generation was missing! Young women, wives, mothers, the old folks—so old and so bent at times that movement seemed impossible—the children of 6 and 7, boys of 14 and 15; but of men in the mellowness of age, not a sign! Men there were, dotting the banks at every clustered hamlet—but bandaged, or on crutches—their duty done, or struggling back to strength and a new summons.

At every station at which we stopped—great city or village of a hundred souls—it was the same story—soldiers, healed, or soldiers recalled, returning to the front, and, by their sides, women in black. Never shall I forget the look on the faces of these women, turning away to hide the coming tears, or standing immovable as images, staring stony ahead, dry-faced, seeing visions, imprinting in their memories a last look, to bear down the empty future.

At Poitiers, a score of boyish figures in clean, grayish uniforms, were sprinkled in the worn crowd of shaggy veterans. I passed close to them. They were the recruits of 19, going off to their years of preparation. Such serious, excited, boyish faces, standing apart to listen to the last calm words of exhortation from the black-clad mothers who had given so deeply of their human store, so unflinching in their loyalty, so ready to give until the end, to keep the fair name of France untarnished! Already, through the tightening at my heart, there had begun a sense of exaltation, a surging pride in human nature, looking on these boys of 19, so reverent and so earnest before the sudden summons to manhood and the privilege of dying.

The wounded passed us in long trains from the front, the compartments choked with soldiers back for a few weeks' recuperation in the open homes of the south; other cars, significantly quiet, with glimpses of immovable bodies stretched among the straw. On these faces of men who had lived among the dying, and seen death pass a hundred times by their side there was an expression in the eyes such as I had never seen. It was as though what they have looked upon had been so hideous that the memory haunts them still, leaving every nerve quivering with a supernatural fright. At times on a young face this expression was like a child's—a child in its first conception of sorrow, vaguely conscious that such a thing as death exists, frightened and trying to comprehend what this thing must be.

At Poitiers, a group of young wives with their children came into our compartment. They were in black, even to a golden-haired little girl of 11, on whom it seemed to set so heavily. The

mothers began instantly on their work of rolling bandages; each had from ten to twenty unexpectant quarters in her home. Hour after hour the same panorama unfolded at every stop, a man departing, a woman remaining behind, her handkerchief to her eyes. Through the whole land there seemed to be but two uniforms and but two colors—drab war and black resignation.

At Paris—the gay, joyous, electric city I knew—my first impression was of great multitudes suddenly hushed and soothed, a quiet, profound silence, yet, over all, a pervading calm and an inflexible resolve. Imagine, if you can, a whole nation confronted by the certainty of death on a fixed date; that irrevocably in one month it must perish, one and all, and how, face to face with the final reckoning, it would set to work to prepare itself; the stillness and suspense in the soul, the wiping out of earthly vanities and petty contentions under the awed sense of a common fate. Imagine that, and you will realize the impression France made on me that first day.

For several days this sensation continued. Paris seemed like one great family united in a common grief. Bright colors were so completely absent from the avenues that it seemed a world in drab; even the courtesans, in restaurant or trailing the streets, were somberly attired in black or dark-blue tailored suits, without a suggestion of coquetry in hat or blouse. In the restaurants, where formerly a raffish cosmopolitan society had spilled its wealth, I seemed to be dining in a railroad restaurant; not even a dinner jacket was to be seen among the men, not a display of jewelry among the women, or an attempt at décolleté; no gaiety and no laughter; conversation in low-pitched voices, as though solicitous of the feelings of those who might be in grief beside them.

At 10 o'clock everything was deserted,

never to return again. Instead, I found a rare exaltation of the soul, a happiness at discovering unsuspected beauties in our common humanity. The feeling that remains today is one of thankfulness to have been privileged to live in such moments, to have known the heroisms and the devotion of which men and women are capable.

This Paris was an orderly Paris—a strange city, without violence and crime, where women passed unprotected on their errands of mercy, along ill-lighted streets and parks of darkness, over obscure bridges looking down on the Seine, that flows like a river of the dead, passages that a year ago, under a thousand searching lights, would have exposed them to insult and violence at every step. In the gray of the coming morning, now, where once revelers returned after long nights of dissipation, women of the best society, old and young, cross each other at the early passage of the milk wagons, returning from long vigils at the hospitals, or arriving for a day of ministering to the suffering.

We went one night into the Folies Marigny on our way home—a lugubrious, revealing experience. A quarter of the orchestra was filled; a sprinkling in the gallery. One would have thought the crowd assembled for a memorial service. A mimic impersonated a dozen of the popular heroes—Foch, Gallieni, French,

makes the individual loss perhaps easier to bear, as it unites the inflexible determination to win in the end.

How many times during these ten days' waiting to go to the front, on visits to hospitals, depots for clothes, national dinners, stellers of great shops, maternity refuges, a dozen convicts where women in hundreds were sewing for a bare 1.50¢ a day; did I receive the invariable answer to my question:

"And, after all, no flinching? The war must go on!"

"Till it is ended, one for all, Monsieur. We must think of our children."

"And you have not lost courage?" I asked involuntarily, moved at the spectacle of this patient toiling that hardly paid for the daily bread, which has gone on now ten long months.

A mother gave me the answer—a mother who had given one son already and had another at Arras, in the bloodiest trenches.

"We women must keep up our courage, Monsieur, to encourage our men."



Watching the Battle Front from an Observation Tower.

Photo by Walter Hale.

and a silent clearing of tables and chairs stacked for the night, with a sudden darkening of the streets and a few picketed lights shaded against the approach of Zeppelins above. The walk home, up the Champs Elysees, seemed indeed a ghostly voyage through Elysian fields, with bodiless shadows whispering at our sides. Above, in the clear night, as we looked, suddenly a star seemed to detach itself from a constellation and come sweeping across the sky like a comet of destruction; then a whirl like the bursting of an enormous damming needle; and we realized that aloft in the night a sentinel was keeping watch over Paris.

Gradually, however, as I began to see underneath the surface, passing behind a hundred scenes, I perceived that this was not a life of stagnation, but a warning existence of consecration. By the end of my first week in Paris the feeling of depression had completely disappeared,

and the idol of the nation, Joffre—result, not the slightest outburst of high-strung enthusiasm; a generous round of hand-clapping, nothing more. The game is not a game for children, nor can they be tricked into children's displays. Each spectator had the look of having made up his mind never to return again. In this former centre of frivolity, frivolity slunk away, crushed and defeated.

At each hotel, at each department store, a great tablet was displayed of the employees who had gone to their duty, and underneath the record of each—wounded on such a date; mentioned in general orders; promoted; a prisoner; dead on the field of honor. Along the Champs Elysees, by the Funch and Judy theatres and the merry-go-rounds, the children seemed to have come from one vast orphan asylum. Yet this open and reverent display of mourning gives a national solidarity, a feeling of unity in sorrow, that runs through all ranks and

Not even America so ardently loves and longs for peace as France—peace for her children! Yet not a woman in the throngs I questioned gave me an un-Spartan answer. So inflexible is their pride of country, so consecrated their resolution, that if a Ministry should attempt to betray France with an illusory peace, in the absence of men, the women, I believe, would rise and make a revolution! I will quote but one of a hundred letters shown me, without comment, for comment would be futile. It is from a mother to the head of a great ammunition factory, where her two sons have been transferred from the front to give their trained services.

I have just learned that you have asked the Superintendent to keep my sons away from the most dangerous experiments in the charging of the shells. I can't tell you how offensive this demand is to me. I consider that my sons should go where there is the most danger to be incurred.

They should do so, first, because they are the nephews of one of the owners. Their duty is to give an example of courage to the employees who may be haunted by the memory of the terrible catastrophes which have taken place lately, which were the result of the inexperience and imprudence of those who were directing the operations. They should assist in all such experiments, even were they more dangerous than they are in reality, because my sons are soldiers.

You know that I only consented to advise their leaving the front because you assured me that their presence in the factories would be more important than in the trenches; and that there would be certain dangers to be met. The first accident that occurred at the factory decided me to grant your request. I beg of you not to change now in any way the duties of my sons.

When war was declared I felt clearly all the sorrows which might visit us, and I promised myself that I would give my children an example of courage. My daughters will not see me overwhelmed by misfortunes; my sons know with what pride I have seen them and wish to see them face the worst dangers.

Sorrow has visited both you and me already in its cruellest form. Do not let us ask for pity. Let us go to the end of the Calvary without flinching!

I will not give the signature, for in justice, if I gave it, it should be signed—
ANY MOTHER IN FRANCE.

(Next week Mr. Johnson will describe what he saw at Rheims.)



Marfaux, Destroyed After the Retreat from the Marne.

Photo by Walter Hale.

The "Machine-Gun Man of the Princess Pats"

Tracy Richardson, Adventurous Young American Who Has Seen Service in Mexico and Nicaragua, Getting Famous with the Canadians in Europe

FROM being full Colonel in Mexico, Major in Nicaragua, Captain or Lieutenant somewhere else, to becoming enlisted man in the machine-gun company of the famous Princess Patricia Regiment of Canada, might be considered by many as a military demotion. But Tracy Richardson, "the machine-gun man of the 'Princess Pats,'" as he is known in the armies of the Allies, does not so consider it, and the fact that he is now generally recognized as the greatest machine-gun operator in Canada's famous regiment of heroes is considered a crowning honor by this Missouri lad of 26 years. Moreover, he should know, for into his short life has been crowded the full score of adventure, excitement, good-fellowship, and all-around experience that has come the way of any "soldier of fortune," even one of twice Richardson's years.

Wherever the cannon booms and the rifles bark, this American boy, who embodies in real life the type of moving picture hero or the soldier of fortune one reads about but never sees, is pretty sure to turn up sooner or later—and it is generally sooner. Along the Rio Grande he is known by thousands of the adventurous souls who populate that picturesque and very troublesome stretch of territory. From Brownsville to Nogales there is not a dugout or an adobe hut that does not know him. Army officers of the United States will tell you that he is the real thing, brave as a lion, gentle as the gentlest woman, and considerate of every one, except possibly himself.

His friends are legion, and among them are the Commander in Chief of the United States Armed Fleet, General Scott, the Chief of the General Staff of the Army, and General Fred Funston, the little Kansas fighter now managing the Mexican border situation for Uncle Sam. In Mexico he was the crack machine-gun man of the whole country, and the same was true of him when he was fighting in Central America or elsewhere where revolutions are the fashion.

So it came about that when Europe went to war Tracy lost no time in "hiking" to Canada. The Princess Patricia's had been recruited to war strength and were about to sail. To the Colonel commanding went Richardson. Modestly he told his story, a letter or two from some American friends were presented, and when a few days later the Princess Pats sailed for France and death and glory, Richardson was a member of the machine-gun section.

The Canadians quickly found out that he was the real thing when it came to fighting, and that his peer as a machine-gun operator did not exist. For months his American friends heard not a word from him. Then came a few letters bringing the welcome information that he was alive but "full of holes," and that he was convalescing in a British hospital and was fretfully waiting the time when the doctors would let him go to the front

and the machine guns of the Princess Pats.

Down in El Paso, in Vera Cruz, at Del Rio, at Nogales, in Central America, where Tracy's name was a household word, his friends had heard that he was dead; that he had "gone to glory," as one of them put it, fighting to the last in the very face of a vicious German assassin. Then came the news from Tracy himself that he was still very much alive although "considerably holed up," as he referred to the three wounds from which

me much which has come in handy here, bombs and such like, and all the time machine guns how to work them to get the most good out of them, and so on."

He writes thus of the battle in which he was wounded:

"About the middle of April, about 6 o'clock, I sat about 100 yards from an English battery of 18-pounders. We were waiting for our transport wagons to come up to take back our guns to the town of Ypres, where we were to rest for a few days. Just a corporal and myself had remained behind to watch the guns while the others had gone to the town, about seven miles away.

"Suddenly, just as it was getting dark, we could hear a dull explosion, and then it seemed as though a million guns had opened fire. The Germans had exploded a mine under Hill 60 and covered a gas attack with artillery.

"The English batteries were ordered to open fire, and the noise was something fierce, and all along the line the sky was lighted up with star shells (magnesium lights) for illuminating the ground around the trenches. Our transport arrived at this time, and we left on the 'double,' for shells were falling all over the road. However, after many close calls, we arrived at our billet in the old Belgian cavalry barracks in Ypres and secured a night's rest.

"In the morning the noise was just as bad, and during the next day two shells of 17½-inch calibre fell just in front of our billet, doing no harm, however. Six-inch shells fell in the town all day, and a number of soldiers and civilians were killed and wounded. The next day the 17½-inch shells fell all day long at intervals of fifteen minutes. You would hear a most unearthly scream, then a gigantic explosion, and a big building would go down in a pile of brick and dust, burying whoever might be near. The third day we had to leave our billet for the open field. The shellfire increased. That night we marched back to the trenches, and it was a relief to escape from that town.

"Then began a long stay of fourteen days in the trenches. We were safe enough, for we were too close to be shelled, but we lost a number of men in our support trenches. All this time the battle was going on on both sides of us, but had left us untouched. But on May 3 they had pushed the part of the line held by the French so far back that the Canadians had to retire. This left our division, the Twenty-seventh, in very great danger of being cut off and captured. So we had to retire, which movement we accomplished without loss on the night of the 3d.

"Early on the morning of the 4th the Huns began to shell our trenches, and their infantry advanced, but did not attack. Our machine-gun section came in for special attention from the German artillery. Time and again our guns were dismantled, buried, dug out and brought into action again. Our numbers began to decrease; our trench became a shambles full of dead, wounded, broken guns and equipment.

It did not seem possible that a human being could live.

"I was wounded in the back early in the morning by a piece of shell which struck me between the shoulders and plowed down my back and lodged just over my hip bone, where it still remains. About noon I caught a piece of shell through the right leg. By this time we had only one man on the gun who was un wounded. At 5 o'clock the Germans scored a direct hit on our gun with a six-inch shell, and the gun was gone, and I had another wound in the right leg. Our gun now being gone, and since I was beginning to get weak from the loss of blood, I started to leave the trench by way of the communication trench, making for some dugouts in the rear, where our dressing station was located. I will never forget that trip through that strip of trench. Instead of a trench, it was a mass of shell carriers dead and wounded.

"Ah! around you, men, or what had been men, were to be seen. Some of these poor chaps you had known for months and had come to have a great affection for, and yet not one thing could you do for them. In some places my heart was sickened at the sights I saw. In some of these 'places of the dead' the bodies of our poor fellows were piled four and five deep. I passed a machine-gun platoon—that is, the ghastly wreck of what had been one of the most gallant machine-gun sections of our force. The gun had been destroyed, and about it lay the men, most of them dead, and a few left, but badly wounded. But I could do nothing, and I kept on.

"Finally, I made the dugout. Just how I managed to do so perhaps I shall never know. When darkness came—and never was darkness more welcome—I and my wounded comrades started back to our hospital dressing station, and as we made our way the Germans spotted us, even in the darkness, and opened on us with their machine guns. The night we spent in the dressing station, and next morning we were shelled out of it and had to walk all the way back to Ypres, all the time under a heavy fire.

"I was sent to a hospital at Rouen, where they kept me for twenty-three days, and then sent me over here to England, where the folks talk 'American,' and where they are all good to you. I have been here ever since, and the day is drawing near for my return to the front.

"I am pretty well shot up, but am not a 'goner' by a long shot. They may order me before a medical board, when I get back to Flanders, and should they rule me out of action for good, I'll come back home to Texas and get ready perhaps for Mexico. Who can tell? From the little I hear, things seem to be up and doing in Mexico, and maybe the bubble will 'burst' yet.

"There are some of our old friends over here, among them Fred Palmer, who is with our headquarters, I am told. I hope to see him soon. General Scott wrote me a letter full of kindness and good wishes, and wished me a rapid recovery. He is a fine soldier, is General Scott. They don't make 'em any better. Well, this is enough for one time. Remember me to the fellows in El Paso."



Tracy Richardson

he was recovering when he wrote the letter in question late in August.

"My Central American experience," Richardson wrote from a hospital at Manchester, England, "although primary experience in a military sense, taught me many things which have helped me in the campaign. It taught me some principles which most every one thought would never be used in modern warfare, but which are being used every day here, and it taught me how to take care of myself physically, which is most important. Mexico taught



Richardson and his Machine gun in Mexico.

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What the Ballot That I Had Did Not Do for Me

Well-Known Writer and Lecturer Writes of Her Experiences with and Without the Vote and Frankly Tells Why Suffrage Was a Failure in Her Own Case

By Anna Steese Richardson.

THE ballot did not insure me a profitable position. I had to start with other unskilled, untrained workers at a wage of \$5 per week.

The ballot did not increase my wages nor effect my promotion. I had to compete with other workers and outclass them.

The ballot did not improve the conditions under which I worked. I risked my life in firetraps, precisely as the ballotless women of New York do today.

The ballot did not endow me with the ability to vote intelligently. I had to acquire this by study, investigation, and bitter experience.

The ballot did not insure me the respect of men for my opinions, political or personal. I had to earn this by the quality of the opinions and by my conduct among business men.

The ballot did not give me justice. I had to fight for this in the court, by the aid of a lawyer, as men must.

The ballot did not bring happiness. I had to achieve this, as every woman must, with or without the ballot.

A small minority of women in the State of New York is asking its legislators to grant the so-called right of suffrage to the great majority of women. As is usual under such circumstances, the great majority is not being consulted. If it was, and if it could express a composite opinion, it would probably pray to be delivered from the responsibility of voting. But the great majority is not spectacular, therefore it is not exploited.

I belong to the unpicturesque majority. I believe I have the right to speak for it, because I have enjoyed those particular privileges supposed to come only by and through the ballot. I have tasted economic independence. I have drawn the same wages as men, provided, of course, that I have delivered the same quality of work. I have deposited my ballot in the same box which received that of the man who carried coal into my cellar and of the man who accepted my note at his bank, charging me the same rate of interest he charged my male neighbor. I have voted several members of my sex into comfortable political berths.

Still I have no desire to vote again, for which state of mind I offer three reasons:

1. I lack the time to study, intelligently, proposed legislation, local political conditions, and the records and qualifications of candidates. By experience I know the futility, if not the danger, of the unthinking, unintelligent vote.

2. I decline to place myself in the large class of New York male voters who make no study of political economy nor of the city's needs, but who exercise their "privilege" blindly and on strict party lines.

3. I know that whatever good my vote might accomplish will be counteracted a thousand times by the ballots of those women who vote according to orders from their own unscrupulous men folk, or who sell their votes, or who are voted to name by that mighty power, Police Headquarters—the ring.

Such reasons may be construed by advocates of suffrage as an admission of weakness, selfishness, or inefficiency. My conviction that woman suffrage does not work the greatest possible good for the largest possible number is founded on experiences which demanded strength, judgment, and efficiency.

Twenty-three years ago, in Colorado, I marched and spoke in the interest of woman suffrage. I was of the rank and file in a small city, but my youthful enthusiasm was worthy of Fifth Avenue and Carnegie Hall. And, like so many women who march today in New York, I was able to do this because there was a man who worked while I marched. I was able to address evening meetings, because that same man stayed home with the babies. We had a most amicable arrangement. He enjoyed the privilege of attending a certain number of lodge meetings each month, and I an equal number of suffrage rallies. On the re-

maining evenings we tended the babies jointly. I do not recall that the word "feminism" was included in our domestic vocabulary, but we lived it.

The same conditions prevail in New York today. The women who do regular work for suffrage must be paid for it, or they have the leisure to campaign because of a competency inherited from some mere male ancestor who accumulated it, or because today some man is working that they may march and motor and talk for suffrage. During the past few months I have heard many smartly tailored women cry out against man-made laws and the enslavement of women, and demand economic independence. And I have returned to the domain of money-making to find their husbands chained to the hardest taskmaster

today are being promised exactly what was promised the women of Colorado twenty-three years ago.

What the great majority of New York women want to know is whether this promise can be kept, whether these prophecies can be fulfilled. Did the advocates of equal suffrage in Colorado "make good"? What will the average woman gain if the woman suffrage amendment is passed in Albany next month? Exactly what will the ballot mean to the woman in the home, whose interests centre in its economic problems and its children, and to the woman in gainful occupations with her problems of industrial competition, wages, hours, strikes, and sanitary conditions?

The questions uppermost in the minds of New York women today do not deal

for her children, better factory laws for her husband, and the filtration of the water her family drinks. (She must learn something about the candidate's record, his reputation for living up to his promises, and the record of the party which nominated him.)

As an individual housekeeper, she must then do her part in carrying out the sanitary laws for which she has voted. In New York today men make sanitary laws, and housekeeping women break them. What profiteth the family health if a housekeeper vote for a whitewashing appropriation and continue to dump her garbage in her back yard or alley?

The ballot properly used will give New York mothers practical control of the public schools if they are willing to assume the responsibility. This should lead to the correction of many present evils, from extravagant contracts for badly designed school buildings to the appointment of teachers for merit, not for the masculine votes they can influence.

In Colorado the schools are the spoils which fall to women politicians. The State and most of the County Superintendents are women. Yet in school buildings, in educational methods, in the teacher-spirit, Colorado is no more progressive than man-ridden Connecticut.

The ballot in the hands of women should raise the age of consent, improve child labor laws, better conditions in reformatories and all institutions to which children are committed, and safeguard the family circle by what is known as an Employee Compensation bill. But Colorado with its women voters has not the highest age of consent. Last year it rejected the establishment of a Child Welfare Commission. It is so far behind the times that it still commits homeless, dependent children to institutions instead of maintaining a home-finding society, and the inhuman treatment of boys in reformatories became such a scandal that the press, not the women voters, demanded a rigid investigation and a general cleaning out of the politicians and their cruel employees. And its women took no interest in the effort to secure an employee compensation law.

Equal suffrage never has, in Colorado or elsewhere, prevented strikes and labor troubles. It will not work the miracle in New York. So long as greed thrives on man's necessity to work, capital and labor will clash, and so long as women, ignorant of economics, defying the law of supply and demand, offer their services for less than men—and other women—ask, the ballot will not raise their wages nor adjust their differences. Men as well as women worked in the Triangle shirt waist factory in New York, where an infamous fire wiped out the lives of many young girls, but they did not use their ballots to secure and enforce adequate fire-protection. Will women do any better?

Colorado was by no means the first State to pass a minimum wage law, and in both labor laws and wages it is behind Massachusetts, where laws are entirely man-made.

The ballot does not count unless it is used wisely.

There is nothing more amusing to those of us who have voted and watched the effect of the ballot on the home-making woman than the claims of some anti-suffragists that suffrage weakens the woman, takes her from her home and weakens her interest in her children. The problem of the politician in Colorado is to persuade this home-making creature to use her ballot at all. It requires considerable ingenuity to coax her to the polls, let alone to a political meeting. Understand, now, I am speaking of the mass of Colorado women, who correspond to the unconsulted, uninterested majority of New York women who are having equal suffrage agitated and lobbied for them without their aid or consent. I am not speaking of the women politicians and office holders in Colorado with whom the ballot is strictly a business proposition, nor yet of the more fashionable club women in the larger cities who make a



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of modern civilization—"making more for the inefficiently managed home."

And, watching New York's highly emotional and picturesque campaign for suffrage, I realize that history in Colorado twenty-three years ago is repeating itself here today. The same soap boxes and the same arguments concerning the woman in the home and out of it, the moral influence of woman in politics, and the unsexing of woman through the coarsening voting booth! An automobile, perhaps, instead of the front seat of a spring wagon or the tail end of a cart, but the same caustic reference to the classing of women with the feeble-minded, the insane, and the convicts.

New and yellower banners and more artistic billboards, but the same outcry against the opponents of woman suffrage as those who belong in the Dark Ages. Even a number of the same speakers and leaders sent out twenty-three years ago from the national headquarters, a trifle grayer as to hair, but not a whit less fanatical and sincere in their fanaticism. And, last but not least, the same old prophecies concerning the betterment of conditions through votes for women. The women of New York

with glittering generalities like a single standard of morality, woman's moral influence in the voting booth, the right of the married woman to be known by her maiden name, but with individual, personal, one might almost say selfish, problems. Fortunately for her country and her home, the average woman of the great majority takes an extremely individual, personal, and narrow view of any national or State question.

"What will it mean for me and mine? The rest of the world is unimportant."

The vote is one more responsibility added to these the average woman is already carrying. It is not a privilege. Depositing a strip of paper marked with painstaking "X's" will not insure the wife and mother better government in her town, better schools for her children, better sanitation on her block and in her home, better protection for her husband and her children at their toll. To secure such ideal conditions she must set only vote, but she must know why and for what she is voting. And, having voted for civic betterment, she must co-operate with the authorities.

It is not enough that she vote for a man who has intoned city playgrounds

fad of politics but who wield little practical power.

Here in New York we will have the same three classes of women voters—the women politicians and office holders who will be recruited from the ranks of the present agitators and leaders; the polite politicians who in reality will know nothing about practical politics and whose ranks will include very cultured and charming ladies, and the great majority, who will be curious concerning their first voting experience, will spoil various ballots, and then will become, in all things political, purely apathetic. The practical politicians will know how to manipulate the undesirable female vote. Will the polite politicians show the same enthusiasm for educating the great majority and imbuing them with a sense of ballot responsibility that they show today for invading Wall Street, parading on Fifth Avenue, and commandeering the motor cars of rich men for suffrage hikes?

The ballot for women is a grave responsibility and a heavy expense for a few agitators to urge upon a State, unless they are sure that the women whom they claim to represent will use the power of voting. It opens the polls to the women of the undesirable element and the uneducated foreign element, and thereby doubles the power of political rings now controlling the same elements among male voters. It practically doubles the cost of election. And yet its sponsors are doing nothing toward the education of that very desirable voting element, the great majority of home-making—alas! economically dependent—women whose votes will be controlled by the men who love, honor, and cherish—or beat them! For every progressive woman who uses her ballot according to the Rand School of Political Economy or the Columbia University system, there will be a thousand who will make their mark on a ballot where it will do the most good according to the light of a district leader or a ward heeler.

No one can appreciate the gravity of the situation in New York today more than we who were pioneer voters in Colorado. We meant to use our votes to high ends. We meant to turn out the rascals. We meant to purify politics. But we did not know how. So we fairly girdled our State with corrupt rings. This was not because we were women, but because we used our votes to no better advantage than did the unthinking or unintelligent man, thereby doubling the power of the grafters.

I recall voting for one of my neighbors, the husband of a personal friend, who had been a most genial host in his home. That was guarantee enough for me. He was a good husband, a kind and generous father. Not until long after I had cast my vote did I realize that this most agreeable man was the leader and principal profit-sharer in the most corrupt group that ever held a county in its grasp. But then I deserved no more condemnation than the man in New York who told me quite seriously that he would not vote for a certain candidate because the latter's first name was Vivian.

"Vivian? That's a fine name for a real man, isn't it? There must be something wrong with him."

No looking into the man's record, no thought for his qualifications, just masculine prejudice against the Christian name bestowed upon the poor fellow by

his inconsiderate parents. If a woman had followed the same argument in voting her conduct would have been ascribed to biological inequality or emotional instability.

The use to which a vote is put is the only thing which counts, whether the hand that casts it be male or female.

Another time I voted for a man who threw a large volume of trade my husband's way. In the light of later events, I saw that he was unworthy of any citizen's vote. Also I was made to feel a renegade and a backslider in the woman's reform club of which I was a member. But what would you? The candidate's patronage supported my children. Shall a woman withhold the ballot from the hand that feeds and clothes the children she has borne?

Dishonest? Misuse of my voting privilege? Not at all as I looked at it then, in my inexperience and irresponsibility. Today, yes, because I understand the power of the ballot for good and evil, because years develop the sense of responsibility. And thousands of women, given the ballot in New York now, will use it to no higher ends, until they have been educated, either by the press or by bitter experience in political economy and in appreciation of the ballot's power.

And because I was not prepared to become a voter, because there were thousands of women like me, the first result of equal suffrage in Colorado was to deliver the State into the hands of rings and grafters who belonged in the Tammany Wigwam with the tiger and the Tammany leaders.

This was followed by a spasm of reform, due largely to the emotional and impassioned devotion of the women of Denver for Judge Lindsey. The State brought forth women's clubs instead of millionaire mine owners and bad men. More rascals went out and less came in. There was a general awakening of the public conscience, due not so much to the woman vote as to the fact that Colorado was dropping its youthful crdities and taking on habits of custom and tradition—home-building instead of shaft-sinking.

Today there is no more delightful sight than a Denver woman's club discussing local politics and candidates in the palm room of the Hotel Savoy. Nevertheless, when I was sent to Denver several years ago to secure certain information for an Eastern magazine, I tarried but a short time among the white-gloved reformers at the Savoy. The information I wanted was possessed by a small, spry, bright-eyed, wrinkled little Irishwoman who is a practical politician, and who will be able to retire when she so elects, to enjoy the comforts which money can buy.

The theory of equal suffrage is altogether right and just. Women should not be taxed without representation. Women are mentally and morally, if not physically, the equal of men. The weakness in the present campaign is that the agitators and leaders can take the 3,000,000 women of voting age in this State to the suffrage trough, but they cannot make them drink. Woman suffrage is valuable to a State and a people only when it is used intelligently. Because the leaders cannot deliver an intelligent voting body of women to the State which passes the amendment, they have no

right to promise the reforms with which their literature and speeches bristle.

When forced by necessity into the wage-earning field, even with the ballot in my hand, I had to start at the bottom of the industrial ladder and fight my way up as desperately as if I had lived in a State where woman was denied the privilege of voting. Never once did my right to vote affect my working hours, my salary, my opportunities for advancement, the conditions under which I worked. Perhaps conditions have changed in Colorado after twenty-three years of votes for women, but allowing for such influence on the lot of the woman in the home and in gainful occupations, which even suffrage leaders have not yet been able to prove, New York must pass through the same period of storm and evolution.

The great majority who read complacently of the noble efforts made in their behalf by suffrage leaders should waken to a realization that there is work ahead for them—the work of preparation for using the ballot. The factory hand and the business girl must understand that results of suffrage, even in the hands of intelligent, earnest women, are slow. The mere ballot in their hands will work no miracle in salaries, in hours, in the conditions under which work is done, nor in the morals of the men they would marry. Strikes and rumors of strikes will continue in New York as they have continued in Colorado. Competition will not be lessened by the woman's right to vote. Men who can evade building and fire laws will continue to do so, ignoring her vote as they have ignored her father's and her brother's.

Finally, in their mad desire to advance the "cause," the agitators have done the women of New York a grave wrong in creating and fostering sex antagonism. They have accused the men of New York of breaking every commandment in the decalogue of good citizenship. They have shouted against the man-made laws of New York, yet on examination these prove that, instead of discriminating against women, men lawmakers have given us a distinct advantage in all questions which concern the rights of the mother over her earnings, her children, her property rights, and her responsibility for debts incurred. They have proved their own unfitness to make laws for both men and women by announcing that they will overturn the political system built by men and substitute not a government for both men and women but for women only!

This is a great injustice to both men and women at a time when women are about to emerge triumphant from a half century of adjustment to new and trying economic conditions. The bitterness felt by men which followed the first invasion of industrial fields by women is fading. The bigger, broader nature of the male creature is accepting the fact that the presence of the woman, driven from her home by social and economic conditions in the various fields of industry, trades, and professions where he once reigned supreme, is inevitable and not altogether undesirable. He has decided that if the woman will play fair so will he.

I question whether we women, similarly placed, would have been as generous.

During more than twenty years of economic independence, sex discrimina-

tion has never reared its head in my path. No man has ever refused to pay me full value for my work. Every large opportunity has come to me through some man who considered neither sex attraction nor sex antagonism—only the task and the fitness of the woman to perform it.

There is no room in the scheme of woman's upward progress for sex antagonism, not even for sex independence. What the women of New York, of all America, need is interdependence between the sexes, that men and women may go to the polls to work for their common good, not to rend each other.

The majority of women, through biological evolution and the world-old instinct of wifehood and motherhood, their emotionalism and their tremendous capacity for loving, find in marriage, children, and the home their highest and most satisfying happiness. This mass of women, overwhelming in numbers and influence, resents the efforts of a few women who have already satisfied their craving for wifehood and motherhood, or who, through constitutional abnormality, are denied those natural relations, to widen the social breach between the sexes and thus to interfere with the normal woman's fondest, finest hopes.

So long as suffrage leaders offer the so-called enslavement of women as a reason for conferring the right to vote upon women they raise a false issue. The woman who is a slave to man without the ballot will continue to be his slave with it. This is constitutional, emotional weakness in the individual woman which will not be rectified by a mere slip of paper.

And so long as women agitators employ sex antagonism as an argument for equal suffrage they begot the real issue, which is:

"Do the women of New York want the ballot and will they use it?"

I believe that I voice the convictions of that silent, unrepresented majority when I answer:

"Not yet. Give us time to adjust ourselves to the new economic conditions, to our new relations with men as wage-earners. Let us learn the value, the power of the ballot and how to use it."

And until they have done this experience has taught me that they will not use the ballot, even if it is forced upon them.

Interesting Facts from Many Lands

A SCHOOL for farm mechanics has recently been started in Argentina at Rafaela, Province of Santa Fé. The school has been recognized by the provincial Government, and will issue diplomas. Entrance requirements are as follows: Students must be at least 16 years old, in good health, of good conduct, speak, write, and read Spanish, and understand arithmetic, mental computations, fractions, decimals, and elementary geometry. A two years' course is being offered.

Homesteaders settled upon more than 11,200,000 acres of Government land during the last fiscal year. Uncle Sam still has 279,500,000 acres left.

Steps are being taken in England toward the establishment of a permanent British Empire Fair, representing all the industries and natural resources of the empire. Influential manufacturers are now arranging a com-

bination, through their trade associations, to erect a building at Willesden Green to be called the Palace of Industry, which it is hoped to have ready for opening in the Spring of 1917. A site of about fifty acres has been chosen, and it is planned that the exhibition will occupy 500,000 square feet, and will be three times the size of the largest exhibition building at present in London. The object is to institute for the British Empire a fair equal in size and scope to the well-known Leipzig Fair. Being a co-operative movement among British firms there are to be no profits. A fixed charge is to be made for space, based as nearly as possible on the total expenses, and it is a condition that any profit accruing shall be returned to exhibitors in proportion to the area occupied by each.

Horsehair is used in Russia for making a great variety of articles. Brushes are made from it, the manes being kept

for soft brushes. White horsehair is considered the most valuable for this purpose, and black the second best. The long hair of horses' tails is utilized for fishing tackle, violin bows, military head-dresses, and cloth for pressing oil. Shorter hair is used for stuffing mattresses and furniture, after having been cleaned with soap and water. The value of horsehair varies greatly, according to grade. On the Petrograd market one pood (36.11 pounds) of unprepared horsehair (gray manes) may be purchased at 6 to 8 rubles, (\$8.50 to \$11.40 per 100 pounds,) while long horsehair manes fetch a price of \$107 per 100 pounds, and even more. The prices paid for Russian horsehair abroad are much higher.

The United States manufactured 703,527 motor cars last year, or 36 per cent. more than it made during the previous year. The value of these cars was \$623,463,000.



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YOU know how you felt when the "kiddies" started off to school the other day after the long vacation.

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Child Adoption an Exact Science Nowadays

When the Well-to-do Wish to Take Children to Rear as Their Own the Youngsters Go Through Tests Unknown to the Old Days of Mere Sentiment



A Lucky Adopted Child.

CHILD adoption is an exact science these days. The good, old way was to take "Orphan Annie" and "John Doe" on faith, but now they must do their Binet tests and be right as trivets.

The recent adoption of a bright, fair-haired boy by Mr. and Mrs. Finley J. Shepard, which implied that through Mrs. Shepard, who was Miss Helen M. Gould, he would inherit millions, has brought forth a flood of letters. Hundreds of parents want their children transplanted under such conditions, and scores of institutions have perfectly likable youngsters whom they would see with belated golden spoons.

There has been an ever-increasing demand in the last few months by wealthy or well-to-do families for sound, healthy children to be reared as sons and daughters of the house. Between the expression of the wish, however, and the arrival of the child in his new setting there is a long, hard road. The child must pass through ordeals unknown in the days when sentiment was the principal and often the only guide to choice.

Three millionaires not long ago gave directions to one of the representatives of the Children's Aid Society that they wanted children to bring up as their own. Two wished girls and one a boy. To carry out their instructions required the consideration of the merits of hundreds of children, and the choice was finally narrowed down to twenty candidates, none of whom would do. One of the applicants, who lives in Connecticut, after making frequent visits to institutions, was able to find a little girl who in temperament and appearance he considered suited to become a member of his household.

The accounts of adoption of young Austin McCleary, as he is supposed to be on the evidence of a name found sowed on his clothes when he was discovered on the steps of St. Patrick's Cathedral, tell of the frequent visits of Mr. and Mrs. Shepard to the home for orphans at Dobbs Ferry, from which he was chosen. Many children are said to have been considered before the fortunate one went to Lyndhurst.

Before any play of the affections is permitted, there are certain hard and practical questions for which the modern science of adoption demands answers.

In the first place, it must be definitely proved that the child is normal. When the taking of children was dictated entirely by sympathy or pity, it was no unusual thing to see the misshapen or half-witted child at the hearth of his foster parents. In these days that type stays in the institution. Those who adopt insist upon the best. Placing out agencies send their children to the

clinics to be tested for tuberculosis and kindred ills. Before a child can be considered for adoption by a family of position his blood must be examined for traces of hereditary taint. If there is the slightest ground for suspicion he is rejected. Heart, lungs, and digestion must be strong and able. The back must be straight; the legs well turned and regular; the features good.

I have before me a blank of the State Charities Aid which annually finds homes for hundreds of babies. This examination paper of the candidate for a good home somewhere, not one where there is luxury, has spaces in which it may be noted whether the child has had the customary diseases. It requires details as to swollen joints, inflamed glands, bow legs, and half a score of other particulars. The condition of ears, eyes, nose, throat, neck, and chest must be accurately set forth. Youngsters with pigeon squab breasts and funnel ones, or prominent ribs and flat chests, need not apply. How is the gait of the candidate? Is it well balanced, or shambling? Is he pigeon-toed, or are his feet everted? Kindly state, also, the "anatomical stigmata" of John Doe.

We must know if he has an asymmetrical cranium, or a symmetrical face. Is the forehead low or high? Are his ears well placed? Is he cross-eyed? Are the teeth regular, or perchance are they irregularly set? Are the fingers long or short? Any altered special senses? Has the candidate ability to withstand nervous strain? Touching now the matter of psychic stigmata, has little Jane Roe any exaggerated egotism, any excessive self-consciousness, any ill-balanced mental activity?

Simon-Binet tests are usually applied, being adapted to the years of the child.

seem to be their very own? Is the child of gentle birth? Does he seem as though to the manner born? If he is of sound body and sound mind, if he has good memory, good sight and perfect hearing, if he be quick-witted and observing, that question does not bother the new parents much. If the hands and feet are not abnormally large and there are no signs of excessively plebeian origin there is a good margin on which to take a chance. Adaptability is possessed by most normal children. This is shown in the case of the new master of Lyndhurst. He seems to have settled into his new life as though he had always known it.

The experts who aid wealthy families in finding children are quick to note the signs of response. They can tell almost by instinct as to whether or not the child will blend with new settings. Scores of the great men of all ages have sprung from the so-called masses. So there are hundreds of children in the homes of foster parents all over the United States who were originally foundlings or first saw the light in the tenement, who have speedily formed themselves to their new lives. The experts look for the signs of quick imitation. The average intelligent child has that faculty well developed, and by it he is enabled to adapt himself to the new surroundings. One of the remarkable features of this phase of the matter is that foundlings will so imitate strangers who adopt them that there often develops a resemblance in appearance and even in mental traits.

There is an especial demand at the present time for children from 3 to 4 years of age. This age is preferred because the child is not likely to retain any memory of his real parents if he has come in contact with them, nor would he have much of a recollection

money will provide every advantage, he develops into a carefree young chap, ready to ride to hounds and to take his chances on breaking his collarbone at polo. The signs of good nature, of life, of initiative are eagerly sought by both the amateur and the professional seekers after adoptable children.

The demand at this time is for two boys to every girl. Boys clamor about more, they give the idea of action. There is something stimulating in their presence. Hence they are asked for by persons who have plenty of room in the country.

One of the favorite methods of adopting children is to select a boy or girl from a group and then have the candidate placed in the care of a family that cares for children of this class, so that the development of the nature of the child may be watched to a certain point.

The last step preceding adoption is the long quest by persons of wealth for the story of the family history or an exact story of parentage. Extraordinary care was taken in the case of the child adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Shepard on account of the important matters of inheritance which might grow out of the formal adoption. The quest through many cities for traces of the boy's origin is not an unusual feature of adoptions. Before the new parents get their hearts set upon the child they want to have some reasonable assurance that there is no likelihood of blackmail from designing relatives or any prospect of the appearance of undesirable connections.

The number of adoptions like that which is most recently before the public mind is much greater than is ordinarily supposed. It is an economic law that those who are surrounded by wealth and power frequently do not reproduce themselves as much as do those who are less fortunate in life. The increasing number of late marriages, not only among the rich, but among persons who are of moderate means, has decreased the birth rate among what might be called the native American stock. The immigrants have large families and so the birth rate in the United States is maintained.

Democracy seems to assert itself continuously through these adoptions, and the hardy and eugenic youngsters from a lower social strata make their way upward.

In the course of a few years the trace of their humbler origin is obliterated and they are found adapting themselves to the new surroundings in a free and joyous life. It is said that Miss Clara B. Spence, the head of a fashionable school for girls, and her associate, Miss Baker, within the last two or three years have had a hundred foundlings and orphans adopted by well-known families of this and other cities.

One of the best-known cases in sociological annals is the adoption of a waif known as Katherine Kennedy by a Wall Street broker and his wife. The child bears their name and regards them as her father and mother. She was chosen from a great many and responded to all the eugenic tests, and above all had that happy nature and the pleasing grace which so readily attract all who would adopt children.

The most conspicuous successes in adoption which have been made by institutions like the Children's Aid Society were through taking boys from the city slums to the pure air of the country. Thousands of them have been sent West in this way during the last sixty years. Now comes a new dispensation which brings the selected orphan child of good physique and well-balanced mind into families where all is provided that makes for living under the best conditions.

This is often called the Age of the Child. There has been all over the country an awakening interest in the younger generation, as is shown by the growth of child welfare associations, of milk stations, and of the many societies devoted to reducing infant mortality. There has been a tremendous access of enthusiasm in the education of children.



Before and After Adoption.

What does John Doe know about himself? He is asked as to his age and sex, just to test his general intelligence. And Jane, which is your right hand? What is the day of the week, and how much is a yard?

So much for the beginning. These are kind of elimination tests. A person of wealth who has found several children who please him and finally selects one for final consideration has some well-known specialists on children's diseases make an exhaustive examination. Up-to-date laboratory tests are employed. If the candidate now passes muster, there are many elements to be considered before he is enabled to enter the gates of well-tried adoption.

When the preliminary tests are over, the question uppermost in the minds of those who would adopt a child is "How will he respond to his new environment?" After the child grows up will he or she

even of the orphan asylum in which he was reared. This is the preferred age for adoption also because then if the child has objectionable traits or hereditary taint that tendency may be discerned even by the lay observer. Disposition is detected by insight. By talking with the child, after science has done its appointed task, the man or woman who contemplates adopting one can, if he is at all keen, determine what its nature is and, what is more important, what it is likely to be. There is everywhere the quest for the child of sunny disposition. If a youngster is a born optimist, as John Doe No. 104 seems to be, that will show itself in many ways. The happy smile is often as important as anything else. A child that prattles, asks questions, and climbs about and finds fun in everything, is the kind that people of all classes like to have. If such a child should find his way to a home where

Spending \$12,000,000 to Save Three Miles

W. H. Truesdale, Railroad President, Expounds Modern Theories of Economics and Tells Why This Is the World's Luckiest Nation

By Edward Marshall

DURING the week one of the most notable engineering achievements of the world will be put into the actual service of fetching and carrying for New York, when the Lackawanna Railroad for the first time will send regular passenger trains over the new "cut-off" which the road has built between Clark's Summit and Hallstead, Penn.

Twelve million dollars have been expended on the work. It is 39.6 miles long.

Those figures should be fixed in memory before the next is quoted. They will serve to startle the lay mind with sudden appreciation of one of the vital theories of modern business, the fact that, in the East—this section of it, anyway—we are approaching, in this new country, regardless of expense, a completeness of organization which enables us to turn from big things in the mass to details. We are, so to speak, becoming finished.

These thirty-nine-odd miles of railway construction and this expenditure of \$12,000,000 will save, for freight and passengers, 3.6 miles between New York and Buffalo!

Twelve million dollars for 3.6 miles!

The other day I had a talk with William Haynes Truesdale, President of the road.

"This enterprise," said he, "is typical of modern business. It means increased efficiency, and that alone. It opens no new territory. We in the United States are beginning to arrive at that stage of development which demands attention to and investment in perfected details.

"In a general way the nation has been 'covered' by its transportation lines. The time has come when they must be brought to perfection.

"The first problem, that of distance, has been solved; the second problem, that of speed, is progressing along its natural line of evolution; now we must give time and thought to the third problem, that of efficiency, and attention to this

detail shows that what may sometimes seem like extravagance of construction very well may be, in the truest sense, economy of operation.

"We of the Lackawanna are proud of the completed job which will begin to bear its fruit this week; but it is typical of work which is being done by others in this country every day, although, certainly, usually on smaller scales.

"We of the Lackawanna, like other American railway managements, are anxious to provide a transportation machine of the highest possible efficiency.

If we do this we must not be afraid to do rebuilding. Rebuilding sometimes represent as much true enterprise as original construction.

"This cut-off, between Clark's Summit and Hallstead, Penn., is substituted for 49.2 miles of almost the first stretch of road built in the section. Sixty-four years ago the best engineers of those days opened about fifty miles of line between Scranton and Hallstead, calling it the Liggett's Gap Railroad.

"It followed the best route they could find for their purposes. It was an achievement—one of the many little pioneer railways which were the beginning of the superb network of railways which now crisscrosses the nation from one coast to the other. Its builders built as best they could. There was one of probably two dozen small roads later absorbed into the Lackawanna system.

"The object of transportation lines in those days was to furnish some sort of transportation between place and place. The object of transportation lines today is to furnish the best sort of transportation between place and place. If we should give the patrons of the Lackawanna in this month of 1915 one trip over such a road as these old-time engineers constructed with much travail, high pride, and, everything considered, very great ability, we would lose their patronage for all time to come.

"It is a rough country which the line traverses. Those fifty-odd miles of track are full of grades and curves.

"They were built when the United States was not the prosperous nation which it is today, when capital was difficult to get and before our engineers had had a chance to become minutely expert in regard to certain haulage problems.

"It must be remembered, too, that the locomotives and the trains of those days

would seem like toys if we should place them on our tracks today.

"From time to time, as the years passed, the road was brought up to modern standards along these miles, but it was not a perfect modern railroad, and we felt that it must be, although there are not many such.

"Its traffic was increasingly heavy and its tracks, upon which this traffic needs must be hauled, were almost a continuous curve.

"The disadvantages of avoidable curves, no matter how carefully they may be built, are not to be denied. They add slightly to the dangers of railroading, they add somewhat to the discomforts of railroading, and they add immensely to the cost of haulage, for they not only increase distances, but they increase traction and wear and tear.

"It is harder to pull a train around a curve than it is to pull it on a straightway, for obvious reasons, and for the same reasons—which may be classified under the general heading of side-pull, increasing friction and strain—the wear and tear upon a curved track is greater than that upon a straight track.

"Furthermore, these curves increased the cost of freight haulage by necessitating helper engines and decreasing the possible length and weight of trains. These few miles were a nuisance on a road of which we otherwise felt that we might be justly proud.

"We did not want to rebuild almost forty miles of road, and made various studies which we hoped might develop some other practical method, considering even the virtual abandonment of the present line; but it finally became apparent that the method we have followed would be best. We reconciled ourselves, therefore, to the great expenditure involved.

"We were confronted by such a situation as must come, sooner or later, to every railroad built under pioneer circumstances through a new country, which, largely because of its help, gradually becomes developed country.

"We decided that we had better not take a small view of the situation, and I finally recommended the adoption of that one of our engineers' plans which suggested the new cut-off.

"There were other savings than the shortening of distance to be considered. The new route will give us a maximum grade of .68 per cent, against a previous maximum grade of 1.33 per cent, and a total curvature of 1560 degrees, against a total curvature of 3970 degrees.

"These, to the layman, may seem as small and unimportant results—as the slight saving in mileage may seem. But, together, these changes will cut the running time of every passenger train between New York and Buffalo by twenty minutes, and will reduce the running time of freights by a full hour. Nor is this all. By reducing the traction, through reducing the grade, they will make it possible to move trains with two engines which, under present conditions, require five.

"That is modern business. Especially it is modern railroading.

"Now let us consider some of the details of the undertaking. One makes it worthy of that keen attention which the American always is ready to give to the maximum of mechanical performance.

"The Tunkhannock Viaduct is 240 feet high, more than a hundred feet higher than the roadway of the Brooklyn Bridge, and is half a mile long. It is by several times the largest concrete bridge in the world, with ten spans of 180 feet each and two spans of 100 feet each.

"It contains approximately 4,500,000 cubic feet of concrete and 2,280,000 pounds of reinforcing steel, the trains which cross it being guarded between massive parapet walls rising four feet above the level of the track and three feet thick. Each of its foundations has been carried down to the bed rock, and this, in the case of two of its piers, meant making excavations ninety-six feet deep.

"In a very rough and sketchy fashion that gives an idea of one of the many details of engineering and expenditure which it seemed wise to make in order to save the traveling public 3.6 miles between New York and Buffalo, and in order to save extravagant expenditure of power in haulage.

"Such things, or, at least, very important things in the way of improvement, are being done continually by American railroads.

"Of course we of this road are elated at the completion of this special enterprise. To us personally it has the significance of a big job well done.

"To the public it has a far greater significance, for it means that this public, by and of and for the people, is constructing—building, building, always building—even in the East, where we already are more highly developed than most older countries.

"At this particular time this construction work, any large American construction work, should stir our patriotism and make us all resolve to help this nation progress steadily and undeviatingly along the lines laid down by those who founded it, for we alone, of all the world's really great nations, are at present doing any constructive work whatsoever.

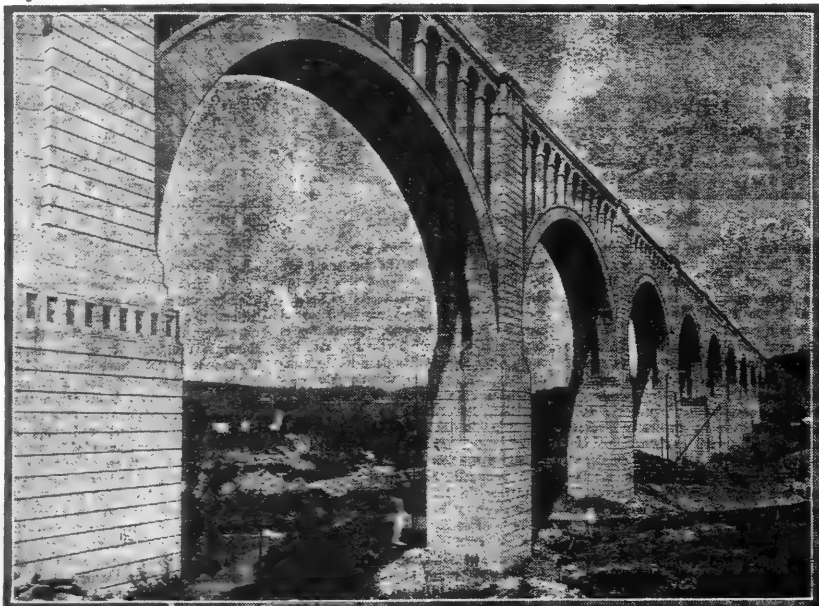
"The balance of the really great nations are busy at destructive work. They are killing men more rapidly than they are giving babies birth and they are destroying rather than building or rebuilding. To me this cut-off has, as one of its inspiring meanings, that particular message for us all.

"Another point about it which pleases me and which ought to please the people of the East is that it is even more daring and original than any of the great railroad construction works in the mountain regions of our Western country, where novelists are fond of saying that our ingenuity and virility at present have their habitat and reach their zenith.

"This is a task of the effete East and is so notable that, long ago, several foreign Governments planned to send their representatives to see it and have been prevented from so doing only by the war.

"There it is again. Their best brains have been absorbed in warfare, in destruction, while our best brains have been absorbed in vast peaceful feats of construction.

"One of the problems which any American railway President is privileged to think of, even this year, is the improvement of his line. He is not compelled to contemplate its ruin by any



The New Lackawanna Cut-off Which Cost \$12,000,000 and Saves Less Than Four Miles.

posting armies, he is not obliged to consider traffic only in relation to the work of moving troops, supplies, and ammunition.

"The public, which is playfully prone to attack railroads as a pastime, forgets the enormous amount of thought and labor which are constantly devoted to keeping the bedeviled institutions up to the great task of serving it.

"Ceaselessly we must search for new ideas and, when we have found them, give them careful and intelligent consideration. We must continually study traction and improvements in rolling stock. Now and then we must find time for such improvements in the right-of-way as are represented by this cut-off.

"In these days, all American railroads especially are confronted by a problem newly vital, born of the growth in numbers and popularity of motor cars upon the country roads—the problem of grade crossings, for it seems that it has become the task of the railroads of this country to protect the intelligent against their own carelessness. Since the beginning we have been faced by the problem of preserving the unintelligent—the man and woman who would walk on the tracks despite all warning signs. This protection of the otherwise intelligent from this one foolishness is a new work thrust upon us. That was one of the important matters which was in our minds when we decided upon the form of construction finally adopted for the great New Jersey cut-off which we completed at a great expense some years ago. That eliminated only eleven miles, but it also eliminated grade crossings.

"The Long Island Railroad has found it wise to begin and to conduct at great expense a campaign of education among motorists, designed to make them careful of their own lives and property.

"Railroading is changing very rapidly and no prophet who is wise will venture a prediction as to what the next development will be.

"In 1900 the average number of tons carried in one of our freight trains was 325, this year it is 625.

"That seems to mean that we have been able to build stronger cars and engines of greater power to haul them. What it really and principally means is that we have been able to and have been compelled to build better roadbeds, embankments, and bridges to carry the added load.

"Indeed, the first improvement necessary to an increase of load must be in the roadbed. Car improvement can come later. Later still may be considered motive power, for even the present comparatively small power units may be doubled up to represent large aggregates.

"In 1900 our road carried 14,400,000 passengers 223,000,000 miles, and in 1914 we carried 24,700,000 passengers 630,509,000 miles—not only doubling the number of passengers but slightly increasing the mileage for each passenger.

"In the first period we ran passenger trains 5,423,000 miles, and in the second 6,220,000 miles.

"Our total freight receipts in the first period amounted to \$15,135,100, and in the second period to \$23,443,000, with freight train miles for the first period totaling 6,129,000, and for the second period 6,154,000 and the total number of freight cars engaged in traffic increasing from 27,297 to 23,241.

"A careful study of these figures will show an immense increase of efficiency. Note the fact that there were less than 1,000 more freight cars. Yet the total amount of freight transported was about doubled in this period.

"Improvements in rolling stock have been tremendous. The freight car of today has an increased capacity over that of 1900 of about 60 per cent. varying in different parts of the country in accordance with the different kinds of load carried.

"In coal regions, where great concentrated loads must be hauled, a very different rolling stock is required from that demanded in agricultural sections where grain is to be transported, or, for instance, in sections where a large part of the freight is made up, say, of flour.

"But the improvement all along the line has been extraordinary. Fifteen years ago an average box car would carry 40,000 pounds. Today the average box car will carry nearly 70,000 pounds. The capacity of open cars also has nearly doubled. Many of the older cars are still in use, but the standards are rising about as fast as possible.

"As we have increased the weight of

the equipment and the weight of freight carried by it, we have been compelled to increase the weight of metal put into car wheels and to change the material from chilled iron to steel, and an obviously necessary result of the generally increased weight of rolling stock and load has been an increase of the weight of rails. Since 1900 this has advanced about 30 per cent.

"Nor is this all. General reconstruction of our road and equipment for handling heavier loads has made necessary the reconstruction of nearly every bridge upon the line.

"The improvements which have been made in the Lackawanna Road since it became its President have amounted, in cost, to twice its present capitalization. This, though extreme, is a measure of

over it was handled equally well anywhere else on earth.

"Railroading is an American talent. It is being developed here more rapidly than ever it was developed anywhere else. Ninety-nine per cent. of America's male youngsters play with railway toys and prefer them, for a certain period, even to baseballs and bats, which are equally American devices.

"We are confronted by many new problems at this time. The European war, of course, has stimulated freight business throughout the country. Grain and other food products required in the countries at war have moved in large volume than they would have moved if there had been no war, of course, for, mad with war, the fighting countries have had neither time nor men with which

ing heavy traffic of all kinds, and our capitalization has been held low. The market value of the Lackawanna is about four times as great as its capitalization.

"The whole country is confronted by such an opportunity as never has existed in the past. It has built up various 'big businesses,' and these big businesses have begun to mean small expenditures in proportion to results. That must mean that through their influence the whole country is beginning to get away from that wastefulness which so long characterized everything we did.

"I fail to see any argument which can condemn business merely for being large, for great size always means efficiency in business. It doesn't matter how large an expenditure may be if it ultimately will result in economies of operation. That was the principle on which we worked in constructing the new cut-off.

Once the managers of big businesses were wasteful. The modern manager has a different ideal. He knows that he must not be afraid to make expenditures, no matter what their magnitude may be, if their ultimate result will be economies. But while he makes big expenditures with a gigantic courage, he watches small expenditures with minute care.

"Personally I believe that watchfulness of details is as necessary to the success of a big business as the imagination which in the first place has seen the vision that must be the basis of all really big business. Of course the man at the top has not the time to watch the details, but he can send the impulse down, so that others will. The sending of that impulse downward imparts the discipline which makes big business as well as armies successful.

"It was my good fortune, in my early days, to work, most of the time, upon railways which were only a stride or two in advance of the Sheriff. That was a great training. My first executive railroad experience was as receiver of the Minneapolis & St. Louis Railway, and I managed to set it on its feet. It was great fun and it was splendid training.

"It taught me another thing besides boldness in big essentials and caution in little necessities—it taught me that in the management of a railroad or any other big institution there must be instilled into the organization a true sense of team work, which will eliminate envies and jealousies of every sort.

"I am always an optimist about this country, and am more so than ever this Autumn, after a trip out to the fair. But these are days for careful thinking.

"So far we have very greatly benefited by the European war, but when the people over there find out what their losses have been and what remains to them in men and money with which to carry on their necessary activities, it is impossible to say just what the effect on us will be.

"It is possible and even probable that Europe may for a period of years be unable to continue the vast developments of still undeveloped countries which have had their principal sources in her enterprise, and that we may have to take her place at that work. We may of necessity become world-developers and world-bankers.

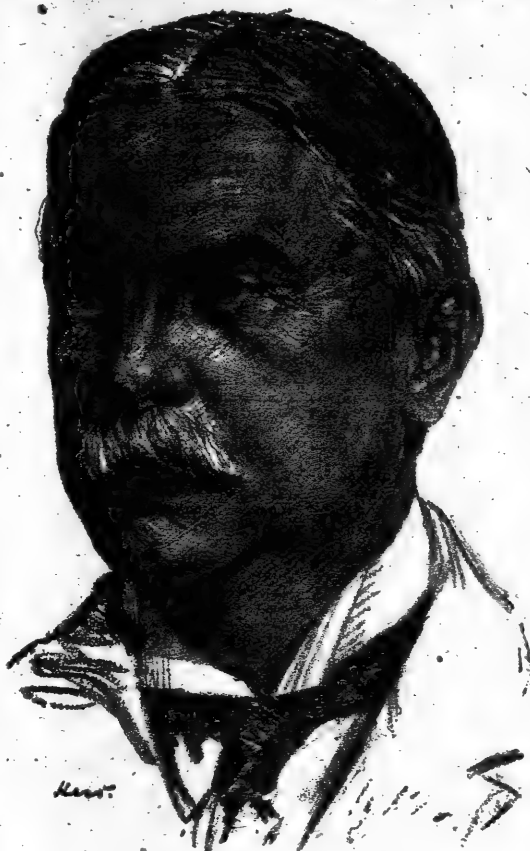
"In view of this it is necessary that we should act with the utmost caution and intelligence. There are those of us who believe that in pursuing the economic course which we have been following we may fix our cost of production so high that it will make it impossible for us to compete with Europe after it has regained sanity and settled down to that desperate peace which must follow this desperate war.

"She will be grimly determined to retain her old markets and to make new ones.

"Just how much her losses of men will cripple her nobody can estimate at present.

"I never have thought that we, or any one, could get any benefit of a permanent nature from this war. I cannot see it in any other way than as a world disaster. I believe all wars to be wrong, and that no international question can arise which could not be and might not be much better settled peacefully.

"The world is getting to be a small place, because of improved communication, and what affects one nation now affects all nations to a very apparent extent. This makes war far more dangerous than it used to be, and makes the business of keeping everybody out of war not his own business or that of his neighbor, but the whole world's business."



William Haynes Truendale.

(Photo by Pach.)

typical of other roads. There is an answer to some of the fashionable critics of the railways! There is no water in that money. Consider it. The money which we have put back into permanent improvements during fifteen years' time has amounted to twice the total capitalization of the road!

"The 'man on the street' has no conception of the problems which confront the managers of railways. We have had to rebuild every shop and plant upon the line within the last fifteen years in order that they might be competent to handle the new rolling stock. I think not one building stands today that stood fifteen years ago. All have been replaced by larger, stronger structures.

"The traction problem is common. Punctuality of service depends more upon the locomotive than upon anything else, and, owing to the peculiar conditions under which we operate, we have the most modern locomotive rebuilding and repairing shops in the world.

"We not only must take up wear and tear but we must meet new demands continually. All roads must do that or deteriorate. Equipment constantly must perform the maximum of service and the maximum of service constantly is increasing.

"It is difficult for a man on the inside of the railroad situation to always understand the viewpoint of the American upon the outside of that situation. Our railroads are handling transcontinental traffic now during the months of the fair as such traffic never has been handled before and at lower rates than

to produce their own food. Deprived of Russian and Southeastern European food, the fighting nations have been compelled to turn to us, and a bumper-crop year fortunately has given us food to send to them. In the meantime the munitions of war trade has given the railroads a large business in both raw and finished articles.

"But in passenger traffic since the war began there has been a loss of 7 per cent. The fastest trains have not been seriously affected, but it is not the fastest trains that run to the best profit.

"It is difficult to say offhand how large a proportion of the traveling public is moved on the fast trains. A Pullman car holds only thirty people, while the average day coach holds eighty. We are hopeful of the passenger traffic, for the travel to the fair has been very notable, and, coming in conjunction with the inhibition of European travel, it may result in a general 'see America first' impulse.

"America is worth seeing first. It is hard for me to understand why people should yearn to see Lake Geneva, in Switzerland, for instance, when they can reach more easily see Lake Louise or Lake Tahoe. They are far more beautiful. I wonder how many of the Americans who read this article will know where they are if I do not mention their location.

"We of the Lackawanna consider ourselves fortunate. Our financial position is different from that of any other railway in the country. Ours is a compact system located in a section produc-

German Princes Who Have Fallen in the War

Of Sixty-Four Scions of Princely Families of the Empire Who Went to the Front Nine Have Been Killed, Including a Nephew of the Kaiser

THOUGH the Kaiser and his six sons have so far escaped with their lives in the war, other great families of Germany have not been so fortunate. Out of a total of sixty-four of their members who marched to battle with their regiments, nine have been killed, among them a nephew of the Kaiser.

A book has just appeared in Germany dedicated to the memory of these nine Princes, giving, wherever possible, full details of how they met death. If the information is trustworthy, the Princes of Germany are excellent examples to their followers. Without exception those with whom the book deals seem to have been popular with their men—leave in the face of peril and careless of their own safety when it was thrown into the scale with that of their subordinates.

Of the nine, no less than four were relatives or connections of the princely family of Lippe, which still rules—though its powers are by no means what they were before the creation of the German Empire—over various bits of territory sandwiched in among the greater States of Central Germany. One of the others, Prince Henry of Reuss, was of that family whose members have the unique custom, if they are in the line of succession, of taking the name Henry and the numeral corresponding to it after all preceding Henrys have been counted. Thus, this Prince was Henry XLVI. of Reuss.

The Princes whose careers and deaths are recorded in the book dedicated to their memory are:

Maximilian of Hesse, son of a sister



Prince Wilhelm zu Schönaich-Carolath.

Prince Friedrich Wilhelm of Lippe.

at the head of the Seventy-fourth Hanover Infantry Regiment.

Just how he met his death is a matter of dispute. According to some of the evidence he fell just after he had snatched up the banner of his regiment and begun to wave it before his men, to encourage them in storming the fortifications of Liège. This same account has it that he had already received a serious wound, but, utterly disregarding it, continued to lead his men, banner in hand, until he fell pierced by several more bullets.

The commander of another infantry regiment gave a somewhat different account of the Prince's end. A reliable eyewitness, he reported, had said that a detachment of Prince Friedrich Wilhelm's regiment, bearing one of the regimental banners, had fought its way to a position on the northeastern walls of the City of Liège on the morning of Aug. 6, 1914. There it was surrounded by greatly superior forces of Belgians, who attacked with great fury and threatened to overwhelm the detachment completely. The Prince commanded his men to form a hollow square. In this formation they

of Belgian bullets. The banner was shot from its bearer's hands; at the same moment the Prince fell, shot in the breast and throat. He started to say something beginning with the words, "Take my greetings to—" but died before he could finish.

Kaiser Wilhelm sent a message of condolence on Prince Friedrich Wilhelm's death to the reigning Prince of Lippe, in which he said:

"I beg you to accept the expression of my sincerest sympathy on the occasion of the death of your worthy uncle, who, as a shining example of a brave German Prince, died at the head of his regiment at Liège for Emperor and empire."

The Prince's body was taken to his native land and buried beside his ancestors at Detmold.

Prince Friedrich of Saxe-Meiningen, the next German Prince to fall, was connected with the Lippe house by marriage, his widow being a sister of the reigning Prince of Lippe. He was a son of Prince Friedrich of Saxe-Meiningen, and was born Oct. 12, 1861. Unlike most scions of princely houses, he

Bonn student, was very prominent in "Borussia" gatherings.

The Prince got his "baptism of fire," or something like it, while at Bonn, when a retort exploded near him while he was making a chemical experiment.

As a Lieutenant at Strassburg, he continued to keep away from gayety and social life and devoted himself to hard study of the subject of artillery, which branch of the service he had entered after being made Colonel in 1902, Brigadier General in 1907, and Major General in 1910. He was retired at his request in 1913. Five months before his death he celebrated his silver wedding.

He went to the front when war began, although he had broken his arm a short time before in a fall. His 18-year-old son, Prince Ernst, doomed like his father to death, also joined his regiment.

For a time it was impossible for his relatives to learn details of Prince Friedrich's death, as men were falling by thousands on the western and eastern fronts, but at last another of his sons, Prince George, wrote thus to his mother from Brussels:

I have made a long excursion from here to France, and at Charleval spoke with a priest who was present when father's body was embalmed.

In the evening I got to Laon, where I visited a friend, whose uncle commands the division in which father fought, and I also saw father's successor, the present commander of his brigade. Hipp (orderly of the dead Prince) was also at Laon, and I spoke to him, and also saw father's horses, Molly, Dora, and Carmel. Hipp has taken good care of the horses and is quite well himself. Others whom I saw were Captain Weitz, father's Adjutant, who was with him up to the last minute, and another gentleman on father's staff, who has often spoken with



Prince Ernst of Lippe.

of the Kaiser; Friedrich Wilhelm: zur Lippe; Friedrich of Saxe-Meiningen; Ernst of Saxe-Meiningen, his son; Ernst zur Lippe; Otto Victor of Schönburg-Waldenburg; Wilhelm zu Schönaich-Carolath; Wolrad zu Waldeck and Pyrmont; and Henry XLVI. of Reuss.

Prince Maximilian of Hesse, the Kaiser's nephew, was only 20 years old when he was killed in Northern France. He was a son of Prince Karl Friedrich of Hesse and Princess Margarete of Prussia, sister of Emperor William II. His father and older brother had already been wounded in the fighting on the western front. Details of the death of Prince Maximilian are lacking.

Prince Friedrich Wilhelm of Lippe was killed in the very first engagement of the war, the storming of Liège. He was a younger brother of Count Ernst zur Lippe-Biesterfeld, regent of the Lippe-Biesterfeld lands, and an uncle of their present ruler, Julius zur Lippe-Biesterfeld. Prince Friedrich was born in 1858, and became a color-bearer in one of the crack Prussian regiments in 1880. After successive promotions he received the rank of Colonel and in 1913 was placed



Prince Wolrad Friedrich zu Waldeck und Pyrmont.

defended themselves with the utmost determination. At last, far away to the left, German reinforcements were discerned. The Prince, in a kneeling position, placed a field glass to his eye and commanded one of his men—the same who gave this version of his last moments—to raise the regimental standard, so that the approaching Germans might see it plainly and be guided toward the spot where they were so badly needed.

The man obeyed. He waved the banner back and forth. This brought a hail



Prince Otto of Schönburg-Waldenburg.

was studious, averse to display and social life. As a student at the University of Bonn, back in the eighties, he refused to have an adjutant or other followers, as was the custom with men of his rank, and refused even to keep a carriage and horses. His high lineage brought him membership in the "Borussia," most exclusive of the students' dueling corps, to which only noblemen can belong, but he attended its meetings but rarely, despite the fact that the present Emperor, at that time a



Prince Friedrich of Saxe-Meiningen.

Count Meerfeldt, in whose arms father died. According to their stories, father and Weitz rode forward on Aug. 25 on a reconnaissance into the woods south of Charleval. The enemy fired only a little and did not disturb them. But when our infantry came out of the woods a terrible firing began.

Father continued to reconnoitre in the midst of it without getting hit. As our infantry could get no further without artillery support, father himself went back to bring up a battery. Ignoring the enemy's fire, he rode up a slope to pick out a position for the guns, and allowed nobody to accompany him, as he did not wish to endanger them. He then led the battery in person to the chosen position, again came under sharp fire and again escaped unharm.

While the artillery was firing, he resumed his post of observation by a house near the fringe of the woods, and climbed on an overturned wagon to see better. But the fire got too hot, so he went into the house.

Then he was struck. In spite of repeated warnings, he persisted in going outside the house, where Count Meerfeldt had already been struck. He tried to jump to one side, but crumpled up in the very act, and died instantly. The wounds seem to have come from machine gun bullets, but possibly he was hit by three shrapnel balls, all at the same time, just as I have been by two at once.

The soldiers got him immediately on a stretcher. * * * On the morning before he died he wrote to you. One of the staff officers

ere recalled that father asked him whether he had written to his wife, adding that he himself had done so.

Hipp, the Prince's orderly, also wrote a letter to his master's widow, in which he said:

"Your Highness may imagine how I feel. At first it seemed as if he could not possibly be dead. But one has to get accustomed little by little."

In the dead man's pocket a letter addressed to his wife was found, with a streak of blood across it. And in his pocketbook was her picture, also drenched with his blood.

His body was taken to Germany and buried in the town cemetery at Meiningen.

His son, Prince Ernst of Saxe-Meiningen, lay dead in Northern France, unknown to his relatives at home, while the bells of Meiningen were tolling for his father. The news had come that he was wounded and a prisoner at Maubeuge, then still in French hands. That was all.

When the Germans captured Maubeuge, investigations conducted by German officers proved that Prince Ernst had died of his wounds, and it fell to the Kaiser to communicate the news to the young man's sister at Meiningen, who in turn broke it to his mother, already mourning her husband and uncle.

Prince Ernst had a presentiment that he would never see his home again. Just before his departure he collected a number of keepsakes, asked his mother to distribute them among his best friends, and said to her:

"I shall never return."

Wounded comrades who did return described the boy's death. He was on patrol duty north of Maubeuge. The enemy made a sudden sortie; the Prince's horse was shot under him. Close beside him lay a non-commissioned officer, pinned under his horse and wounded. The Prince scrambled to his side and helped the man to his feet.

As he did it a bullet struck him in the head. Men rushed to help him. He motioned them away.

"We must not be taken," he said; "that would be terrible." Then he lost consciousness. In a few moments the French rushed up and overpowered the Prince's comrades. They took him into Maubeuge to the hospital, where he died the next day without having recovered consciousness.

Another comrade told how the French soldiers took the buttons from the uniforms of those captured with the Prince, as they were the first Germans to be taken, but respectfully refrained from touching those of the latter. This same man declared that the conduct of the French in Maubeuge had been most chivalrous. They did all in their power for Prince Ernst, and spoke in high terms of the courage and calm he had shown in the engagement. And they buried him with military honors.

Prince Ernst zur Lippe, fourth of the Lippe family to fall in the war, lost his life near St. Quentin late in August, 1914. He, too, was young, like Prince Ernst, having been born in 1892.

He was killed by the explosion of an ammunition wagon beside which he was standing. Projectiles struck him in the back, causing instant death. He was carried to the rear, where a Captain closed his eyes. Next morning he was buried close to where he fell.

Later his body was exhumed and buried in a strip of woods near Detmold, the principal town of the Lippe.

lands, lying opposite the great monument erected to the German national hero Hermann, who destroyed the Roman legions in the battle of the Teutoburg Forest. Of him also the Kaiser wrote in terms of high praise in a telegram of condolence to the ruler of Lippe.

Prince Otto of Schönburg-Waldenburg, of a family exercising lordship over territory in Saxony, was killed fighting in the neighborhood of Rheims soon after his thirty-third birthday. He was a Lieutenant in the Potsdam Guard Hussars, in which his father, who preceded him as Prince of Schönburg-Waldenburg, had served fourteen years. In memory of his father the young Prince gave a fund of 20,000 marks, (\$5,000), the income of which is turned over to deserving non-commissioned officers of the regiment and their families. On coming of age, in 1903, he gave other large sums for charitable purposes.

Prince Otto served at the beginning of the war on the eastern front. He was then transferred to France, and ten days

with full military honors. On this occasion it was borne to the place of sepulture by wounded soldiers convalescing in Germany. They carried ahead of the coffin the simple wooden cross which had marked the Prince's burial place in France.

Prince Wilhelm zu Schönaich-Carolath, a Lieutenant in a regiment of Uhlands, was killed in Belgium a few days before his thirty-fourth birthday. Having ridden ahead of his regiment to ascertain whether the village of Meyse was occupied by the enemy, he fell into a regular hornets' nest. His men drew rein, wheeled their horses, and made off without noticing that their leader had fallen wounded to the ground.

When they missed him, a number of them galloped back, only to learn that the village was in the possession of English and French troops. This gave an opportunity to one of the Prince's men, a Uhlan called Jacob, to prove himself a man of splendid nerve. Though he knew that Meyse was held by the foe, Jacob

reached Waldeck, his ancestral domain, on Oct. 18 of last year, just as the people were eagerly awaiting news of some victory that might serve to lend lustre to the celebration of the anniversary of the battle of Leipzig on that day. Instead of any such news his family received a telegram reading: "Prince Wolrad killed Oct. 17 at Moorslede, while leading a patrol."

He was born in 1892 and from early childhood showed signs of a determined and original cast of mind. Once he was told that he must take off his hat when people saluted him. "Why?" he objected. "Brother Fritz keeps his soldier's helmet on, doesn't he?" His family wanted to make a lawyer of him, but his heart was set on being either a sailor or a soldier.

After studying in Germany, he spent some time at Oxford in the Summer of 1910, and then attended the University of Grenoble in France. After spending some time as a student at Heidelberg and Halle, the family decided that it was no use to try to keep the Prince from his bent, so he became a soldier. In his new profession he showed far more proficiency than as a college student, and was soon made a Lieutenant in one of the Hessian dragoon regiments.

He fought in the Vosges, on the Meuse, in the battle of the Marne. His letters home told vividly of terrible scenes. Once, he narrated, some Frenchmen held up their hands in token of surrender and then fired on the Germans approaching to capture them. The Prince's revolver was shot out of his hand; several of his comrades fell.

"After that all the Frenchmen were killed, whether wounded or not," he wrote grily. "Prisoners were not taken and have not been taken since."

Two of his horses were shot under him in the course of the fighting in France before he himself was killed, and a third when he, too, gave up his life. This was in a fight at Moorslede, near Lille. He was trying to aid a wounded dragoon of his command when a bullet killed him instantly. His orderly wrote:

"He looked after his men as if they were his own people. He was much beloved among us. You cannot imagine how badly the dragoons felt when his highness was killed. He was the best officer in the regiment. He went out on more patrol rides than any other officer, because he could find the roads better than the rest. Every one wanted to go patrol riding with him."

Prince Wolrad was something of a poet and wrote a number of verses by no means martial in character, with titles like "The Silence of the Forest," and "Homesickness." His body was taken back to Germany and buried with impressive ceremonies on the Hagen Mountain in his native domain.

Prince Henry XLVI. of Reuss was only 19 years old when he fell. He left school to go to the front, and was made a Lieutenant in a Hessian regiment.

His one wish was to win the Iron Cross. It was never fulfilled. In an attack in English trenches near La Bassée he was struck by shrapnel fragments and killed on the spot.

His soldiers apparently were quite attached to him. One private, a much older man, was always called "father" by the boy. An old railroad fireman at a railroad crossing in Murburg, where the Prince used to live, said that every one in the neighborhood liked him. "He never passed without stopping to chat with us," said the old fellow.



Prince Henry XLVI. of Reuss.

Prince Ernst of Saxe-Meiningen.

after joining his regiment he took part in his last fight.

He met death, like so many other officers, while making a reconnaissance to determine the enemy's position. Accompanied by a small detachment, he was riding toward a railway embankment, when some French infantrymen hidden behind it suddenly opened fire on the party. One of the first bullets struck the Prince, who fell from his horse. His men hurried to his side, intent on giving him first aid, but he called out to them not to bother about him, but to report at once to headquarters the presence of the hostile troops and not to come back for him until they had done it.

They obeyed, made their report, and one hour later returned to where the Prince had fallen, accompanied by a doctor. But the Prince was dead. The doctor said that he must have breathed his last within a few minutes after being hit. The bullet had entered a little below his heart.

During a lull in the fighting he was buried by his comrades under a rosebush, the entire corps of officers of the Hussar regiment forming the funeral cortege. Later his body was exhumed and taken to Lichtenstein, where it was again buried

crept into the village, entered a house on which a Red Cross flag was flying, and found the Prince, severely wounded. Recognizing the brave soldier, the Prince exclaimed: "Well, well, there's one of the Second Squadron Uhlands."

Then he swooned. In spite of the danger, Jacob stood around while a doctor did what he could for the wounded man.

"Are you being well cared for?" he asked the Prince. "My commander wishes to be sure of it." The Prince said that his wound was not serious. Then he gave his pistol to the brave soldier. "Keep it for yourself," he said. He tried to say more, but was too weak.

"You'd better get out of here," the doctor advised Jacob. "The enemy's all around." Seeing he could do nothing for the wounded man, the Uhlan crept back to the German lines and reported on what he had seen. He got the iron cross.

Soon the Germans drove the enemy out of Meyse and set about finding Prince Wilhelm. The doctor said that he had been transferred to Brussels. There they learned that he had died the night before, soon after reaching the hospital.

The news of the death of Prince Wolrad Friedrich zu Waldeck and Pyrmont

Ingenious War Swindlers at Work in England

ENGLISH swindlers are using the war as a cloak for various new methods for obtaining dishonest pounds, shillings, and pence. Even the Victoria Cross—that decoration "For Valour" which Britishers the world over revere as the highest possible of all recognitions of splendid deeds in battle—has not been sacred to those whose business is the getting of something for nothing.

Recently a man with a corporal's chevrons was taken around London by a recruiting officer, upon whom he had imposed in some way not made public, the man being introduced to street crowds as Corporal So-and-So, winner of the Victoria Cross at Ypres. Corporal So-and-So then made speech after speech to the crowds at street corners and in squares, telling of his own and his companions'

deeds of heroism, describing the life at the front, and making stirring appeals for volunteers. So well did he play his part, and such paths did he contrive to get into his talk about himself, that crowd after crowd passed the hat for him. At the end of the day he parted from the recruiting officer with bulging pockets, promising to return next day to carry on the work. But he never showed up, and the recruiting officer discovered overnight that the man was an impostor, who had never smelled powder, unless in a fight of tongs.

The ancient Spanish prisoner fraud—known to this country as well as to England—has come to the fore again, changing his nationality to Belgian. In ante-bellum days the swindler used to write letters stating that he was a Spanish of-

ficer who had hidden the war chest of the Carlist revolutionaries in a lonely spot in the mountains, that he was dying in prison, and wanted the addressee of the letter to accept half the money in consideration of the coming guardian to his daughter, the dupe in the meantime advancing certain funds for expenses.

But now the Spanish officer has become a Belgian, who, after the death of his master at Liège, fled to Spain with a fortune in English banknotes. He fears, he says, to attempt to pass the notes in Spain, and wishes the dupe to finance him so that he may bring the money to England, where a division will take place.

Many forged letters are coming to friends and relatives of British soldiers who have disappeared, stating that the

writer is a prisoner in Germany and asking that funds be forwarded at once. The British Foreign Office officials believe these letters—which have now been stopped—to be the work of some renegade Englishman or a German who has lived long in England.

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North and South Unite in New Organization

Membership of the United Military Order of America to be Made Up of Sons and Descendants of Men Who Wore Either the Blue or the Gray

FIFTY years have passed since Lee surrendered his Southern veterans to Grant at Appomattox. Thousands of the men who fought for the Union, or for the Confederacy, are still living, and there are hundreds of thousands of others who, too young themselves to bear arms, were yet old enough to realize what the terrible tragedy meant.

Twenty years ago the bitterness engendered by the civil war was still evident in every walk of American life. But in the last decade practically all of this bitterness has passed away. The veterans who fought under Grant, Sherman, and Meade and those who followed Lee, Jackson, and Stuart, have in that period met as brothers on the once bloody but now peaceful battleground of Gettysburg. Confederate veterans have journeyed into the very heart of abolitionist Boston, and been met and entertained by the men who once fought them. The same has happened in the South. To Richmond and other Southern cities the survivors of civil war campaigns have gone and smoked the pipe of peace with the men who once wore the gray.

Out of all this fraternity has arisen the organization to be known as the United Military Order of America, the membership of which is limited to the sons and descendants of men who wore the blue, of men who wore the gray, or of men who served the North or the South in official or other administrative capacities in the period between April 12, 1861, and April 9, 1865.

For many months past a body of patriotic Americans, of families that played their part and played it well in the civil war, have been at work perfecting the plan of the organization. These men, after many informal meetings and consultations, met at the Army and Navy Club in this city on Sept. 6 last, and then and there the United Military Order of America came into existence. Last Thursday the order was incorporated at Albany, and within the next few days the incorporators will meet and map out the definite and final plan for the extension of the order to all parts of the United States and its overseas possessions.

Prominent among the organizers of the order is Colonel Henry H. Andrew, a son of John A. Andrew, the famous war Governor of Massachusetts. Colonel Andrew first conceived the idea of an organization that would "unite in bonds of fraternity and friendship" the descendants of the men of the army, navy, and civilian services of the Union and of the Confederacy. He mentioned his idea to many of his friends whose fathers or grandfathers had fought on battlefields of the civil war. The response was instantaneous; they were all for it heart and soul.

The names of the incorporators indicate the true non-sectional character of the organization. They include a descendant of Abraham Lincoln, the sons of half a dozen war Governors of both Northern and Southern States, a Lee of the South, a Sherman, and a score of other men whose forebears risked their all that the Union might live, or the South might be independent. Besides Colonel Andrew, the incorporators are Edward C. Smith, President of the Central Railroad of Vermont and the Sherman National Bank of New York, a son of John Gregory Smith, war Governor of Vermont.

Henry A. Wise, grandson of the famous war Governor of Virginia, and former United States District Attorney for the Southern District of New York.

George Gordon Battle, formerly of North Carolina, son of a Confederate veteran, now a well-known lawyer in New York.

Dr. W. Seward Webb, son of General Webb of the Union Army, and a member of one of New England's oldest families. The Rev. Dr. Alexander Hamilton, D. D.

Colonel John L. G. Lee of Maryland, whose father, a Colonel of the Confederacy, served on the staff of Fitzhugh Lee.

Samuel G. Bradford, son of Maryland's war Governor.

William A. Berry of New Hampshire, whose father was the war Governor of that State.

Colonel Hannibal E. Hamlin of Maine, son of Hannibal Hamlin, Vice President of the United States during the first Administration of Abraham Lincoln.

Louis Sanders, grandson of Commissioner Sanders, one of the Confederacy's envoys to Europe.

John L. Sheppard of Texas, son of a Confederate veteran and brother of the junior United States Senator from Texas.

The Rev. Dr. Charles L. Goodell of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

William Colgate Colby, whose father was a Union Adjutant General.

Poultney Bigelow, son of the American

and South during the war between the States.

2. To make this order a permanent factor in stimulating legislation for maintenance of an adequate army, navy, and militia for National and State defense.

ARTICLE III.

MEMBERSHIP.

Section 1. Any acceptable man, 21 years of age, shall be eligible to membership in this order who is an hereditary member or eligible to hereditary membership in a recognized Northern or Southern patriotic organization of the United States of America in existence at date of formation of this order, in which qualification for membership is based on military, naval, or civilian service rendered between April 12, 1861, and April 9, 1865.

Any acceptable man, 21 years of age, shall also be eligible to membership in this order who is descended from an official of either the North or South, specified as eligible to membership in a recognized patriotic organization of the United States of America in existence at date of formation of this order,

"If after enrollment, at any time, it shall be found that a misstatement has been made in an application that has been approved, the member who owes his membership in whole or in part to that misstatement will be automatically dropped from the rolls of the order.

"There are thousands of men, the very best in our American life, who are eligible to membership in the order, and we hope to get a great majority of them. We should like to get every one of them. Already, from all parts of the Union, we are hearing from men prominent in various walks of life who are eligible for membership, in which they approve heart and soul the spirit that is behind the movement.

"The society is and always will continue to be American to the core. A man can't be 'hyphenated' and also be a member of the United Military Order of America. If he comes in he must be for America first, last, and all the time, and, if he is not, he had better get out, or else he will be shoved out.

"The society was formed for the one great purpose, as stated in its constitution, of binding together in fraternity and love and loyalty to the United States the descendants of men who proved their Americanism—and I have in mind the Gray as well as the Blue—in the years between 1861 and 1865. We want to and we expect to unite the descendants of the men of the civil war in sentiment and to wipe out forever any sectional feeling that may still exist in our country.

"Right here I want to tell you that President Wilson coined the sentence that is to be the official motto of the order. That motto is his now famous expression: 'America First.'

"The order expects to do its part, in a wise, conservative, and sane way toward furthering the movement for adequate preparedness in the United States. Whatever it does, however, will be truly non-sectional and non-partisan, and its appeal will be to Americans, no matter what their political affiliations may be.

"The Military Order of America will never enter partisan politics. It could not do that and live to be the organization we expect it to be. We want Democrats and Republicans and Progressives and Populists and Prohibitionists and all other men who are eligible to membership under the constitution and whose Americanism is unquestioned."

The head of the national order will be known as the Governor General, and the office will be held alternately by men of Northern and Southern descent. There will be six Lieutenant Governor Generals, twelve Counselors General, one Treasurer General, one Registrar General, one Surgeon General, one Chaplain General, one Historian General, and a Board of Directors to be known as the National Commandery, the Chairman ex officio of which will be the Governor General. Among those whose names have been mentioned for Surgeon General is Dr. Bolling Lee of this city, a grandson of the Confederate Commander in Chief.

The seal of the order is a shield two and a half inches in diameter, the right side displaying thirteen diagonal stripes and the left three diagonal stripes. The crest is an American eagle head with open bill. The motto on the shield is "America First" and the arms are encircled by a ribbon bearing the name of the order and the date "1915." The stripes are alternately red and white; the motto is on a ribbon of blue. The crest is of gold on a cushion of red, white and blue.

The button of the order, to be worn in the buttonhole of the lapel of the coat, is a metal reproduction of the crest of the order.



Colonel Henry H. Andrew.

Ambassador to France during the civil war, the late John Bigelow.

Lincoln Isham, great-grandson of Abraham Lincoln.

The Rev. Dr. Fisher Howe Booth of New Jersey.

Reginald P. Sherman of the famous family of that name.

The Rev. Dr. Joseph Gilmore of Syracuse University, whose father was also a war-time Governor of New Hampshire.

Captain Frank D. Whitehead, not only a descendant of a Confederate veteran, but a Confederate veteran himself.

Captain Cassity Cook of the United Spanish War Veterans and a son of a Union soldier.

The object and membership rules of the new order are thus set forth in its constitution:

ARTICLE II.

OBJECTS.

1. To unite in bonds of fraternity and friendship the descendants of men in the army, navy, and civilian service of the North

in which qualification for membership is based on service rendered between April 12, 1861, and April 9, 1865.

No man will be able to get into the order under false pretenses. Every precaution to make that impossible has been taken. When an application is filed the applicant must give in detail the line of descent from the ancestor or ancestors whose service to one or the other side in the civil war renders him eligible for membership. That application must be passed upon not by one or two but by the entire membership of the National Executive Committee of the order, and not until the statements made in the application are investigated and proved true beyond all doubt will the application be forwarded to the Registrar General and the name of the applicant entered upon the rolls.

"We do not want any fakers in this organization, and, what's more, we are not going to have any," said Colonel Andrew to a TIMES reporter a few nights ago.

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Warning Conveyed in This Will Be Forced Home by the Coming Horse Show, Which Will Emphasize the Importance of Good Stock for Army Use

By Alfred B. MacLay,
Chairman Executive Committee National Horse Show Association.

IT is a far cry from Madison Square Garden to the war zone, yet there is sympathetic connection between these divergent scenes of activity in that the former has, for several years, served as a parade ground for the numerous army officers and horses now involved in the most titanic struggle of the ages.

In our National Horse Show representatives of Europe's smartest military organizations have met in friendly rivalry on many occasions. We remember them as good fellows all—charming units re-

toward molding public opinion as to the relative efficiency of army mounts, and by arranging for an attractive display of American and foreign material added much to the flame of enthusiasm on the subject. The lessons presented in our classes have been supplemented by comparisons conducted under conditions involving competitive trials at long distances, as regular army service entails.

Exhibitors have, however, as a rule, made the mistake of presenting horses too light in build and too high in the leg. In the West, breeders and collectors

turn on the forehead, change lead at canter, passage, break readily, stand while being mounted and take a brush fence three feet high; the horses to have been owned at least six months by a member or organization of the militia before the closing of entries, and to have been used regularly in drills certified to by commanding officers of organizations.

An exceedingly attractive class, which has, since its inception, been very popular, is that in which the Beresford Challenge Cup, presented by Colonel Lord Decies, is competed for by officers of the

show, the trophy, in this instance, being held by the regiment to which the winning officer belongs.

Two very interesting classes, open to all nations and all branches of the service, are those for officers' chargers—one for middle and lightweight horses up to carrying from 160 to 180 pounds, and the other for heavyweight horses, up to carrying 210 pounds. In these military schooling, field performance, conformation, and appearance are especially considered.

Aside from these military classes, this year's national show will be replete with interest in that the various departments will demonstrate convincingly the public's allegiance to the horse for purposes of



A Ragged Trooper Type...

flecting Old World courtesy and achievement of the highest order in open competition. There cannot be a doubt that their participation in our shows afforded inspiration, the good effect of which will be felt in all that pertains to our military contests for many years to come.

While the foreign contingent will not be with us this year, the classification will, if anything, be more interesting than ever, as all the spectacular and thrilling events have been retained and arrangements made for an imposing array of United States cavalry in special and open classes.

Particularly attractive will be the event known as the United States trooper class, which has been included as a result of co-operation between The Jockey Club and the National Horse Show Association for the purpose of encouraging the breeding of army horses. This competition will be open to all long-tailed saddle horses and hunters in the show, 15.2 to 16 hands high, 4 years old and over, and suitable to carry a cavalryman and his equipment to total 250 pounds. The prize will be in plate presented by The Jockey Club, and there will be a subscription fee of \$5 for each entry. Besides the plate, the winner will take 50 per cent. of the subscribed money, while the second and third ribbon winners will take 30 and 20 per cent.

The European war has taken something like 500,000 horses and mules out of this country during the last year, and it is predicted that double that number will follow if hostilities continue for two more seasons. This unusual demand will by no means exhaust our supply of the grade of equine material called for. Much of it can easily be spared, as foreign buyers are gathering up sturdy chunks as "gunners" and picking somewhat better grades with longer necks and fairly good riding shoulders as cavalry mounts. The time is ripe, however, to retain our best and to conserve the foundation stock that can be depended upon to reproduce useful army horses adapted to our own needs.

Our National Horse Show must be credited with having anticipated the importance of cavalry horses, as years ago the organization took the initial step

long discovered this error, and they now look for short-legged horses with deep bodies. Under no circumstances will they pick a leggy horse, 16.1, to carry weight and show proof of unusual endurance. Personally, I think that 15.2 to 15.3 is the ideal height for a cavalry mount.

Squadron A, in the original organization with which I was associated, has shown some very useful horses, well adapted for army purposes, both as officers' chargers and troopers. As a rule, utility has been the first consideration, and in open competition, when due credit has been accorded this characteristic, the horses have acquitted themselves well before critical judges.

I have kept in close touch with the progress made, and only considered horses of distinctly useful character when, some years ago, I was requested to draft the conditions of the class for militia mounts at Madison Square Garden.

This class calls for stallions, mares, or geldings, 15 to 16 hands, undocked; to be ridden by members of militia in any State in dress uniform without side-arms, saddles to be of hunting type; the horses to be practically sound; to be shown at walk, trot, canter, and gallop,

United States Army, the cup to be won twice by the same officer before it becomes his property. The spectacular event, rich in thrilling incidents, is the broad water jump, for the cup presented by Robert A. Fairbairn.

The Canadian Challenge Cup, presented by Sir Adam Beck, has founded a class always one of the most brilliant in

sport, pleasure, and utility, despite the universal adoption of the automobile. Saddle horses for indoor and outdoor riding were never so popular, and hunters are more in request than for several seasons past.

As discounting any reflection on the horse for fashionable driving and its supposed eclipse by the motor car, this year's classification is just as strong as ever, the appointment classes calling for handsome pairs to stanhope and ladies' phaetons, singles and pairs to stylish victoria and brougham, the "Sir James" Challenge Cup presented by the late Alfred G. Vanderbilt for gig horses, and the Waldorf-Astoria Cup for hackneys in single harness.

For four-in-hand teams to coaches there are four classes, including that in which a prize offered by Mrs. Alfred Vanderbilt will be competed for.

Last year public interest dwindled because of the general depression on account of the war. But the American temperament has now reacted and we are all feeling much better financially, commercially, and otherwise. There is every reason to hope, therefore, that this season's National Horse Show will eclipse in popularity any show of recent years.

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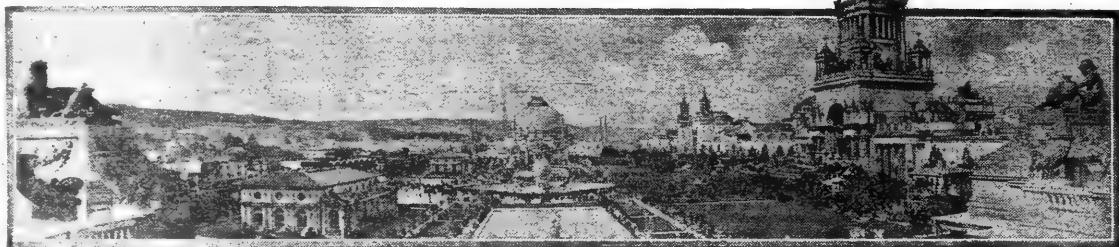
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It Has Eclipsed the Three Previous Big Undertakings of Its Kind and Will Return a Substantial Profit When It Closes, Instead of a Loss



A Glimpse of the Panama Exposition, Showing the Magnificent Tower of Jewels at the Right.

Photo Copyright by the Panama-Pacific Exposition Company.

THE Panama-Pacific International Exposition has been so successful that the commissioners have decided to keep it open until Dec. 4, so that thousands of Americans who have been unable to get away in the Summer will have an opportunity of seeing its wonders.

It has eclipsed the three previous expositions held in the United States—at Philadelphia in 1876, at Chicago in 1893, and at St. Louis in 1904—by making a record as a financial success. In the beginning of September an official announcement was made that the attendance had averaged 70,000 daily and that all mortgages had been paid. The receipts for the sale of tickets at 50 cents each and for concessions continue to exceed the working expenses of the Exposition, so that the bondholders will receive a substantial profit on their investment instead of having a loss.

The rush to San Francisco began early in April, shortly after the special excursion fares on the railroads came into force, and has continued with very little abatement up to the present time. Tourist agents who had been looking forward with despair to the coming Summer season, and had discharged the greater part of their staff on account of the European war, found their offices packed daily with eager people wanting information. Booking clerks had to be called back to attend to the endless stream of men and women who wanted to see the wonderful exposition, with California and the Rockies thrown in as an additional inducement to go West.

One tourist firm booked over 150 personally conducted parties to the big Fair, and in another well-known agency on Broadway the railroad fares to California averaged over \$5,000 a day, which was a record in over forty years' business experience.

Throughout the Summer the trains on all Western roads have been leaving Chicago in five and six sections, and yard masters have been at their wits' end to get sufficient sleeping cars to accommodate the immense pilgrimage to the West. The demands on the dining cars were so heavy that the managers of the department had to have supplies of provisions cached at out-of-the-way stations on the roads to replenish the empty larders.

There were not many European visitors at the San Francisco Exposition on account of the war, but their absence was made up for amply by thousands of South Americans from the Atlantic as well as the Pacific coasts.

During August and September hundreds of Cubans who have made fortunes through the sugar crop landed in New York and New Orleans to visit the Fair with their families. Thousands of Canadians have taken advantage of the reduced fares to travel through their own Rockies to Vancouver and Victoria and then to San Francisco and home via the American Rockies, or the Grand Canyon to Chicago and New York.

In addition to the extensive travel over the railroads, the Panama-Pacific Steamship Company has been carrying from 500 to 600 passengers through the canal to San Francisco on the steamers Finland and Kroonland each trip since May 1 until the canal closed a week ago.

Over 250 special trains have been chartered from the railroad companies to convey members of big organizations from various cities to the coast to attend conventions, and the chief stopping points of interest on the way have shared the traffic boom with San Francisco.

The year of 1915 will be remembered by Californians for ages to come as the record year for their State. Millions of dollars were paid out on the construction of the great Exposition and the result has justified the expenditure. The visitors have been accommodated comfortably in hotels and boarding houses to suit all pockets, and meals at reasonable rates have been obtainable at all hours of the day and night.

The Exposition, situated along the north shore of San Francisco Bay, is easily accessible from all parts of the city by street car or jitney bus. In fifteen minutes the visitor can ride from the City Hall to the main entrance at the foot of Scott Street, where a green wall, made by boxes of ice plant held in by wire netting, forms a pleasant relief to the eye from the white, dusty road outside.

Passing through the gates into the grounds, the gorgeous, Oriental-looking Tower of Jewels comes into view. Its sides are decorated with 110,000 pieces of polished stained glass from Vienna, which are strung on wires and scintillate brilliantly in the sunlight as they are oscillated by the breeze. At night, with the powerful rays of twenty colored electric searchlights thrown upon it, the tower is really magnificent in its glittering radiance. The Tower of Jewels is really the central point of the Exposition from which all roads through the grounds appear to radiate, and where

all regular frequenters of the Exposition meet one another.

Crossing the South Gardens, where all the big functions are held, one can look under the lofty arch of the Tower, artistically decorated in Oriental red, pastel blue, and burnt orange, the exterior color scheme of the big fair, and see the Column of Progress in the Court of the Universe that faces San Francisco Bay.

To the right of the Tower of Jewels is the Court of Palms, with its entrance archway decorated by two Italian towers that remind one of Venice and the Square of St. Mark in their architecture and soft coloring.

The Exposition is the largest of its kind ever erected, and to the pedestrian it appears a hopeless task to attempt to walk all over the grounds, which extend for three miles along the water front, and inspect the contents of the eight exhibit palaces and the Zone region.

Visitors can "do" the Exposition in three days and get a good idea of the buildings, their contents, and the grounds by going about it in a methodical manner from Scott Street to the Zone section at Van Ness Avenue on the right and then exploring the palaces on the left side, with the various State buildings and those of the foreign nations, as far as the Stadium.

Guides can be engaged at the Public Service Building, near Scott Street, at a charge of \$1 per hour. They are all university students from different parts of the country and are well informed regarding the interesting features of the Fair. They are not allowed to accept tips.

Tired people can hire electric roller chairs at \$1 an hour which have a speed

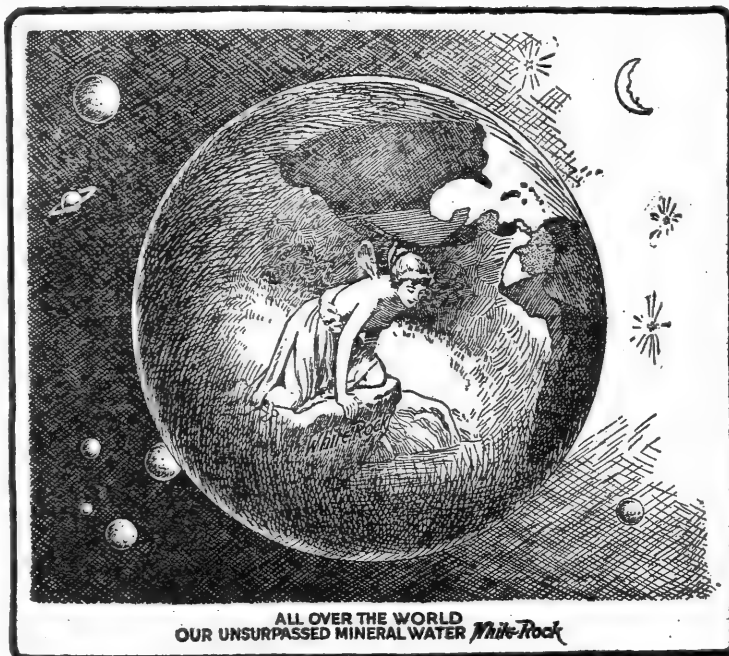
of three miles and can be driven safely without any fear of accidents. There is also a motor-drawn train of little cars which carries people short distances from one building to another for 10 cents.

Order is kept and information given to the public by the Exposition Guards, who number 500 men and are quartered in a camp just outside the Fair grounds. They are smart, intelligent, well-set-up men from 25 to 40 years of age, and wear khaki uniforms with puttees and peak caps similar to the dress of the soldiers in the Philippines. The men have been carefully selected by the Fair officials and have mostly been non-commissioned officers or privates of good character in the United States Army.

The most picturesque building in the Fair grounds, in the general opinion of the visitors, is the Palace of Fine Arts, which faces a lagoon of placid water in which its symmetrical columns and beautiful architecture and the tall cypress trees near by are clearly reflected. In addition to a fine collection of the works of American artists there are some admirable specimens of the old masters in the British section.

New York State is represented by a handsome two-story building, next in size to the California State Building near by, which has cost \$300,000 to erect.

The Amusement Zone is best seen at night when it is brilliantly lit up by hundreds of electric lights and thronged with visitors. It extends 3,000 feet, from Van Ness Avenue to Filmore Street, and contains various shows, which charge from 25 to 50 cents admission. The women of San Francisco have insisted that everything in the Zone be of a nature suitable for women and children.



ALL OVER THE WORLD
OUR UNSURPASSED MINERAL WATER *White Rock*

Danger of Germanism for the United States

Theories of Government and Taxation Imported from France and Germany for American Adoption--Association of Past and Present Events

By Edward A. Bradford.

TESTIFYING before the Mills Legislative Committee upon taxation, Mr. Robinson, the spokesman of the real estate interests of New York City, said:

I don't want to think that conditions are exactly like those that preceded the French Revolution, but that is the fact. In the City of New York the burden of taxes is on the moderately rich and the poor man, and not on the rich. And this is the precise condition that existed in the French Revolution.

The colors are laid on thick to attract the attention of those not interested in taxation, through not appreciating that they pay taxes for which they receive no bill, and yet the parallel between our times and those of Robespierre, Danton, Marat, and Louis was drawn before Mr. Robinson by so sober an authority as David A. Wells, and so long ago as 1871, when also New York had a spasm over taxation like the present.

And they have more company than might be suspected. Senator Bailey in his farewell address said:

This Republic is near a crisis which is greater than the wisest men think. I do not forget that the French Revolution came while the Governors were at the theatre, and that they arose from the banquet table to come face to face with violence and bloodshed in the streets of Paris. I do not say that the United States is facing such a state of affairs, but I do maintain that if within the next thirty years the country should continue to change as it has in the last thirty years we will find ourselves face to face with such a situation at the end of that time.

Elbert H. Gary publicly said not long ago:

I say to you that things are being said and printed similar to the incendiary speeches which aroused the peasants of France, and caused the French Revolution. Unless something is done the spark will burst into flame.

Colonel Roosevelt said to the Paris Matin's representative:

Had France listened to Turgot she would have avoided great troubles, but the ultra-conservatives upset Turgot, and later Robespierre appeared with like perturbations. America must avoid such pitfalls.

The list of leaders of thought who have declared that idea might be extended, and there is little doubt that the thought is even more prevalent privately. It seems worth while to examine what basis there is for it, perhaps to discover that there is both more in one way and less in another way than might be thought by those not taking trouble to keep themselves abreast of the ideals which our freedom of the press and speech makes articulate in a manner which might have prevented the French Revolution, and is a safety valve in our times.

The analogy between our times and those of the French Revolution is closer in quality than in degree. Tax extortion was one cause of the French Revolution. We have the same sort of taxation, but in such smaller quantity that it is extravagant to draw comparisons without bearing the limitation in mind, and applying the corrective before the analogy becomes closer. In France in the time of Louis only one-third of the land belonged to the lay community. Two-thirds belonged to the Church and the nobles. The taxes were so unequally laid that the most productive fell almost wholly upon the peasantry, neither the Church nor the nobility paying a sou.

The privileged class numbered about 190,000 in 25,000,000, and it was calculated that of 75 francs of produce from land 50 francs were paid in taxes, the landlord and the cultivator dividing between them the remaining third, or 12½ francs to each. The peasant belonged to the soil, that is, to the lord of the manor, and cultivated his meagre acres with the implements of Roman times. Even as late as the middle of the eighteenth century it was said "the men are dying as grass as flies, and the living are eating grass."

Those comparing our conditions with those of the French Revolution could have hardly had these facts in mind. Yet there is a basis for their declarations, for one of the first acts of the National Assembly of the Revolution was to repeal

the personal tax which it is sought to enforce in New York City this year. The grounds of the repeal in 1789 were, and ought to be in 1916, first, that taxation which necessitates personal and arbitrary inquisitions is inconsistent with "the holy law of the liberty of the domicile"; and, second, that the requirement of oaths where self-interest tempts to perjury, and where the exact facts are difficult of discovery, is prejudicial to the morality of the State.

Accordingly the French National Assembly repealed all laws requiring oaths by citizens and inquisitions by the State.

brothers, poverty was as nearly unknown as at any time or place in human experience, and extremes of wealth were such as would seem like poverty in our times. Envy, hatred, and uncharitableness no doubt existed, since they are human failings, but it was left to this generation to adopt them as the basis of a philosophy, to exalt covetousness as a virtue, and to make it the basis of a social philosophy which Germans preach, and a growing number of Americans practice, without knowing where their fancies start or whither they lead. Socialism, the single tax, the redistribution of

tion by Dr. Gitterman of the New York bar. (Indianapolis: Bobbs-Merrill Company.)

That doctrine makes the State a means of exploitation of men by men, not a combination of men for the common good. According to this concept the State--is a social institution, forced by a victorious group of men on a defeated group, with the sole purpose of regulating the dominion of the victorious group over the vanquished. . . . This dominion had no other purpose than the economic exploitation of the vanquished by the victors.

The basis in reason of this abhorrent idea that the State is a combination of robbers of fellow men is worth understanding, for the thought lies at the root of much of the agitation of our times, and threatens to supplant the kindlier French theory of the State. The will to live is the single force which impels all life. This force branches into hunger and love as basic instincts of man. There are two means by which men satisfy these natural necessities--work and robbery. Work is the "economic means," in Dr. Oppenheimer's phrase. Robbery, the "unrequited appropriation of the labor of others," through the State, is the "political means." All history is merely a contest between the economic means and the political means.

In the earliest times, before there was a State, there were only two classes of men, those who lived from the soil and those who lived by hunting or herding in hordes. Both hordes lived in practical anarchy, in substantial equality of authority and possessions. The distinction between them is clear and necessary. The grubbers of the soil, with the croch of a tree for a plow, are bound to the land in the necessity of the case. There is land for all, and nobody wants more than he can work, for there is no way of preserving the fruits of the soil. There is no object in robbery for the same reason. Therefore peasants are not warlike either in disposition or in physical characteristics. They are strong but slow, and untrained in the exercises which make for martial prowess.

It is otherwise with huntsmen and herdsmen. They develop qualities of combatants by the nature of their contests with the beasts. There is a motive for the possession of large herds which is lacking from the possession of huge estates of land. Animals reproduce themselves as land does not, and sustain themselves to a large extent, whereas the conquest of land is a constant and unequal combat with nature. There is an inducement to steal herds which is lacking in the case of land, when it is as free as air or water. And there is among herdsmen greater inequality of fortune than among peasants before the land is parceled out.

Here Dr. Oppenheimer finds the origin of the State, in robbery by sea and land, by pirate Vikings and nomad cattle thieves. Raiders afloat and afoot or on horseback enriched themselves at the expense of the peasants and organized the State to exploit their fellow-men. Their prisoners of war were the first slaves, and thus the source of that difference of classes within the State which is the characteristic of every polity of history. The form of dominion is born thus.

All that is lacking to complete the State is to attach the herdsmen and Vikings to the soil. This is accomplished by warfare against the peasants, who are another sort of slave. The rest is matter of detail. At first the pirates and cattle raiders killed the peasants, as bears overturn hives to get honey, regardless of the bees. At a later stage the thieves are like beekeepers who take the honey but preserve the bees, for the reason that live bees are the only sort that work for their keepers.

In this way the peasants obtain a semblance of right to their houses, their implements, and food enough to carry them over to the next crop. The moment when the first conqueror spared his victim in order to exploit him in productive work is the birth of the State in principle and the key to all modern economic develop-



The Birches

Ah! the birches, the slender birches,
How they cry!
In the night-time, in the wind-time
How they sigh!

Quantum forms that, in the moonlight,
Glimmer by;
Spectral fingers moving vaguely
Against the sky.

Whisper ring ghost-trees, shadows of dead trees--
Forest kings,
What still haunt whither time was counted
By their rings!

Melville
Thompson

That is how France rid itself of the tax which now debauches the morality of our citizens, and for which some in authority are proposing to substitute the income tax, the twin of the personal tax, and subject to similar objections. The United States alone retains the personal tax. Other nations have the income tax, but there is no excuse for the United States imitating them when there are so many alternatives. The abounding wealth of this country and the fewness of our taxes would make it possible to raise all the money the Government ought to be allowed to spend without availing ourselves of the last expedients to which less fortunate nations are compelled to resort.

Although we declined to follow France in our taxation, we adopted so much that is French that our institutions owe more to France than to any other people, after England. "Liberty, equality, and fraternity" is not an exclusively French sentiment, but the phrase was born when our institutions were forming, and its spirit was embodied in the organization of all our institutions. Those who hold that Government derives its just authority from the consent of the governed are in sympathy with Rousseau's theory that the State is based upon a social contract. That is only another version of the ancient-Stoic idea that the State originates by reason of a social instinct implanted in men by nature.

Friendliness, fraternity, co-operation were the characteristics of early American civilization, when all men were

wealth are only branches of a broader principle, wider even than Marx's social theories, and born but recently in Germany.

It is only necessary to run over the partial list given above to be brought face to face with the contrast between the politics of our time and of the French Revolution. Humanity and things of the spirit dominated the men of those times. Materialism dominates the preachers most vocal among us. Instead of the equality of rights and freedom which prevailed in the constitutional era, we have many who think first of equality of possessions, not by equality of effort or merit, but by operation of law. There is no such inequality as the forcible equalizing of unequal things. Inequality is the law of nature and the right of free men. Just as we fought to establish equality of right, we must fight to establish the right of inequality inherent in differences of natural ability and in differences of social service.

The contrary doctrine is based upon might and hate, and is akin to the other German doctrine of military necessity which has horrified all humanity except German, if, indeed, there is German humanity where affairs of State are concerned. The German doctrine of the State in peace is as horrible as that of the State in war, and has most recently been expounded, with the greatest authority, by Franz Oppenheimer of the University of Berlin, and made known to Americans through the excellent transla-

peasants. Just as keepers guard their bees, so the conquerors of the peasants guard them, and the peasants come to look on their conquerors and exploiters as their defenders and saviors. Soon they bring their tribute instead of having it taken by violence, and, in consideration of the greater convenience of the latter method, the previous irregularities in the collection of such taxes by fire and murder are abandoned.

The dominion and exploitation thus established are justified everywhere by similar arguments. The master group naturally places highest value on the qualities by which it became such. Hence the high esteem placed on martial qualities. The exploited or subject group obviously is the inferior, and there are imputed to it laziness, cowardice, trickiness, and, worst of all, inefficiency. Revolt, therefore, on its part is revolt against the good and the great, if not against God Himself. That is why the priests are on the side of the aristocrats, and that is the origin of the class distinctions in all countries in all times. How vital these thoughts are today appears clear to those who recognize this world war as one stage in this development of the State.

Dr. Oppenheimer is a prophet as well as a historian and theorist of history. He conceives how States decay as well as how they are born, and has a remedy for the approaching catastrophe of civilization. States which are based on exploitation—as all have been—die because they exhaust the material of exploitation; that is, the peoples die, a calamity surpassing the death of nations. Primitive slavery remained harmless so long as the economic system was based on exchange and use of goods in kind. Exploitation which is fatal to peoples and States is the result of economic development sufficient to introduce the use of money. When slave labor is used to produce goods sold to a market for money exchangeable for other goods, exploitation of inferiors proceeds apace. Those who have lands and those who have slaves have advantages over those who have none. The law of "agglomeration about existing nuclei" operates. In more familiar phrase, the rich become richer and the poor become poorer. There arises monopoly of land. The great estates which used to supply their own needs buy and sell for money, while the free citizens abandon the unequal contest with slave labor and drift to the city.

A like process takes place in the trades. The middle class disappears. There is born a proletariat or property-

less class, dependent on the capitalists in hand and industry, and yet sovereign through the birth of democratic institutions. There is an immense depopulation of the soil, and a literal consumption of population. The crisis comes, as Macaulay predicted it would come for this country, when there was no more land available for occupation. Ground rent is the origin of all economic woes.

It is at this stage that the similarity of conditions to our own becomes striking. The single taxers are active as never before, but their cry is infantile beside the German theory, of which the single tax is only a detail. To the single taxers rent is robbery of the individual. To the German theorist the land tax is but a single phase of the exploitation of classes by the "political means"—that is, the State itself is the robber of the surplus product of the "economic means." This is the interpretation of all politics up to this time.

There now must be a new politics devised to restore the surplus of the economic means to those who produce it. But the remedy is to be found in economics, not in politics. The State of the future must have no classes. It must consist only of free citizens. There must be no State, but only society. History records the ever victorious combat of the economic means against the political means. Of necessity there must be a tendency toward letting the people live, and to check their exploitation, or otherwise they would perish in the land. Never was this tendency so strong as under modern conditions of communications and commerce. Such interstate relations constantly acquire preponderant importance over diminishing warlike and political relations—the theory was born before the world war—movable capital, the creation of peace, prevails over landed property rights, the creation of war.

The ownership of large estates is the last stronghold of the political means, the sole survival of feudalism. There is no difference in principle between the distribution of the total products of the economic means among the separate classes of a constitutional State, the so-called capitalistic distribution, from that in the feudal State. There is an oversupply of laborers politically free and economically without capital. There are two laborers running after one master, and lowering the wages of each other. Therefore the "surplus value" of their product remains with the capitalist class, "while the laborer never gets a chance to form capital for himself and become an employer."

The existence of large landed estates is the source of the oversupply of free laborers. They emigrate from the estates into the towns and over sea. Their disappearance to other lands raises the rate of wages, and produces competition from the products of their labor overseas which reduces the value of the products of the estates. Thus ground rent is attacked from two sides, and there is hope that two masters will run after one laborer, and raise the price of wages on themselves. Then there will be no surplus value for the capitalist class, since the wage earners can become capitalists. In that happy day "well-being" will supplant "wealth," and control over articles of consumption will supplant dominion over mankind. The State will decompose, and a society of equals will succeed the exploitation of classes by the political means. Capitalism will disappear with ground rentals. Thus it appears what a weak and poor lot our single taxers are compared with Dr. Oppenheimer, and this German theory of the State.

This German theory of the State, formed according to economics along lines of which we have no experience, deals with antiquity of which there are no records, and of a future no better known to Germans than to others. All may be as Dr. Oppenheimer describes and predicts, and nobody can certainly say him nay. His philosophy is contained in many books, showing both learning and ingenuity, yet with objections to the adoption of his policy similar to the objections to the analogy between our times and those of the French Revolution.

Just as no considerable numbers of us are "eating grass," so no considerable numbers of us are so much worse off than in feudalism that they would be willing to return to the conditions of the times when there existed the free citizens whom he would restore as a single class of society. The doctor perceives that this is so, and makes an exception of this happy land, which is not made by those among us following his philosophy without being aware of it.

The migration of citizens over seas has recruited our workers, and has made our wealth among all classes the wonder and envy of the world. It is clear, moreover, that the world contains no borders which it is reasonable to suppose will overrun this continent as Europe was overrun from the steppes, the womb of the children of the earth. The only possibility is the overrunning of America by Asia, but against that we are forewarned because forewarned to the point of overcaution by many.

It is plain also that there is danger in abolishing capitalism in the hope of retaining its benefits. The slaves of steel which have displaced human labor motors, and have supplied the world with unprecedented abundance, must have their upkeep more certainly than human slaves. They do not breed, and they must be kept paid, or they will stop without the possibility of stimulating them with the whip or by hunger. There is particular danger of applying the German theory to the subdivision of large landed estates. If the production of food is the object it would be better that the large landlords should adopt the methods of capitalism.

Small farming is the most uneconomic of all present productive processes. It is not the immigration of cheap labor which has enabled us to produce agricultural products so cheaply that ground rents in Europe have fallen ruinously. It is because of large-scale farming with implements impossible of production without the factory system and capitalism. The gang-plow and the harvester and gasoline tractors have made it impossible for Europe to compete without adopting similar methods. It would be better that Europe and even Asia should imitate us than that we should listen to those who prescribe for us a remedy based upon European conditions.

No doubt it is a reproach to our institutions that there are poverty and hunger among us, despite our wealth and abundance. But those conditions are being attacked with more heart and intellect than the world has ever witnessed before. When the worst is said, nobody can deny that conditions were never better on any general view, and that the outlook is rather promising than desperate. Travelers in the desert remember the oasis they leave and depict to themselves the oasis they hope to reach. Always they are in the desert, and the grateful grass and water never are with them on the journey.

There are among us those who are not traveling from oasis to oasis, and who are without happy recollections or hopeful prospects. For them there is nothing but the desert, and their greatest happiness is the misery ahead. The destruction of the State for the sake of substituting a theoretically superior society is just the gospel they need. Patriotism is a better road to Dr. Oppenheimer's goal, for Americans at least. More progress will be made by traveling the familiar road than by diversion along untraveled paths, be they described never so alluringly by the most learned of philosophers who never have traveled them.

Detective Stories Inspired as Are Poems

So Says Burton E. Stevenson, Who Writes Mystery Tales and Edits Poetic Anthologies—He Gives a List of Dont's for Would-be Conan Doyles

By Joyce Kilmer.

DR. WATSON has found a friend at last. Of course, there is always the great Sherlock Holmes, but Mr. Holmes' friendship was not purely disinterested. He liked to have the gentle and astonished Doctor with him as audience and errand boy. But seldom did he give him so much as a word of praise.

But now there appears an enthusiastic defender of Dr. Watson; a man who says that the Doctor, or some one closely resembling him in simplicity and appreciativeness, is necessary in good detective fiction; and that not the great detective himself, not the actual creator of the book, but Dr. Watson himself is the ideal person to tell the story. And the man who says this is Burton Egbert Stevenson, author of "The Mystery of the Bald Cabinet," "That Affair at Elizabeth," and many another exciting mystery tale.

"Of course Dr. Watson is necessary," he said to me the other day. "It seems to me that the foil to the detective plays a very important part in fiction of this sort. He represents the general public; he is mystified, enlightened, surprised, as the general public is mystified, enlightened, and surprised."

"And it seems to me that Dr. Watson

—that the foil—should be the narrator. You see, the story should be told in the first person. If it is told in the third person it is evident that the omniscient narrator has information which he is concealing from the reader; therefore, he is not playing fair with the reader, as the writer of this sort of work should do. If the great detective himself tells the story there can be no surprise. He must reveal his deductions and conclusions as he goes along; he will not be surprised, and the reader will not be surprised—that is, unless he holds back a part of his information, thereby not playing fair with the reader.

"And so the only way in which the story can be told without reservations from the reader is for the foil to tell it, as in the Sherlock Holmes stories. Then the foil, being also the narrator, keeps even with the reader in his acquisition of information, and the climactic surprise comes naturally to them both."

"Then you believe," I said, "that it is unfair for the writer of a detective story to base his climax on an idea not hitherto introduced into the story?"

"I think that that is a fault," said Mr. Stevenson. "The writer of a detective story, or of a mystery story (for the sort of story that I have in mind need not have a detective for one of its characters) must above all things play the

game with his reader. He must put all his cards on the table; he must not keep one up his sleeve and then pull it out and slap it down at the end of his book."

"He must not, in other words, astound his reader by an unexpected dénouement, but he must astound the reader by giving an unsuspected twist to the dénouement which he does suspect."

"Even in Gaboriau's stories you sometimes find the fault to which I refer. In the first part of the book he will deliberately create a mystery; he will do it very skillfully and the reader will be intensely interested. Then for the unraveling of this mystery he will refer back to the grandfathers and grandmothers of his hero and heroine; he will bring up some old feud or family tragedy that dates back to the days of the Empire."

"This certainly is not playing fair with the reader. If that feud or family tragedy was necessary to the story the reader should have known about it at the beginning of the book. All the cards should have been on the table."

"Nevertheless, Gaboriau is still the best of the writers of mystery tales. I think that the greatest moment in all mystery fiction is the clock instance in 'The Case of Ordeal.'"

"You remember the circumstances. There was a room in terrible disorder,

and among the wreckage on the floor was a clock which had stopped with the hands pointing to 8. Or was it to 5? At any rate, the fact that the clock had stopped at that hour seemed to indicate that the crime had been committed at that hour."

"But the great detective was not satisfied with this conclusion. So he started the clock going—and it struck 11! In my opinion that is the very greatest moment in all mystery fiction."

"You see," said Mr. Stevenson, "a mystery story is like a piece of mathematics. Writing mystery stories is an exact science. And the construction of the plot is the writer's most important problem."

"The reason for Archibald Clavering Gunter's success was that he was really a genius at plotmaking. He could not write, but he could make wonderful plots. His book 'That Frenchman' has a terrific plot, but the style of it is absolutely pearls. Gunter had great plots, but he wrote in about the manner of Horatio Alger, Jr."

I asked Mr. Stevenson what he considered to be the great test of a detective story.

"The great test of a detective story," he answered, "is merely whether or not the current of the story is strong enough to carry the reader along and make him

surprised and pleased at the end: I have no patience with the reader who tries to work out the solution of the plot ahead of the author. That is not what he is supposed to do; he should be swept along with the current of the story.

"The trouble with many stories is that the climax is merely a surprise, a bit of guesswork. It should be logically inevitable. The greatest detective story is the story the conclusion of which is reached with absolute logic."

There may be people so unfortunately lofty of forehead as not to read detective stories, and therefore to be ignorant of Mr. Burton E. Stevenson's successes in this field. But if they read poetry, they must know of Mr. Stevenson's distinguished achievements as an anthologist—particularly of that fat and admirable red volume called "The Home Book of English Verse." It may be that his occupations of compiling collections of poetry and writing mystery stories suggested to Mr. Stevenson the ideas which he advanced concerning the connection of the mystery story and the poem. And it may be that his two chief interests furnish a proof of the theory which he propounded.

"Any real detective story," he said, "is in the beginning as much a matter of inspiration as is any poem. If Edgar Allan Poe's 'The Hound' is an inspired work, then so is 'The Murders in the Rue Morgue.'"

"Every poem, every great poem, starts with inspiration, and its development is conditioned by the limitations of language, by the use of words that rhyme. So every great detective story starts with inspiration, and its development is conditioned by logic. And, as I said before, the greatest detective story is the one of which the logic is strictest."

"Of course this is not true of other forms of fiction. In the novel of character, for example, logic plays only a small part. But the detective story is a highly artificial thing. It really is a piece of sleight of hand."

"Certainly there are many instances of the close connection which obtains between poetry and mystery stories. The instance that comes first to mind is that of Edgar Allan Poe. But there is Conan Doyle; he has written many really fine poems. Sir Arthur Quiller-Couch, an admirable poet and critic of poetry, wrote in 'Wandering Heath' and 'The Pavillion on the Links' two of the best of modern mystery stories. And there is Browning's 'The Ring and the Book'—a splendid murder mystery done into verse."

"The greatest writers have not disdained to play the game of mystery story writing. There is Henry James's 'The Turn of the Screw.' There is Thackeray's 'The Notch of the Axe'—one of the best of thrillers."

"Wilkie Collins was master of mystery—'The Moonstone' is a classic of its sort. And Charles Dickens—well, of course, he wrote a number of detective stories, but his greatest mystery story—one of the greatest of all mystery stories, because its mystery is still unsolved—is 'Edwin Drood.'"

"I went all over the ground of that story when I was in Rochester. I thought that if I got a clearer idea of the locality I might be able to find the solution which Dickens intended."

"But Dickens had modified the locality so greatly that my study of the Cathedral Close and its neighborhood threw no light on the mystery. I am inclined to agree with Andrew Lang in his belief that Dickens had got tangled up in his web of complications, and that he himself didn't know how the story was going to end."

"You see, the story was appearing as a serial before he had finished writing it. So Dickens couldn't do what most writers of detective stories find necessary of the story and change it to suit the end."

"I think there is truth in the theory that anxiety over 'Edwin Drood' hastened Dickens's death. You know, he got up from working on that novel, walked to the dinner table, and dropped dead."

"One of the biggest of modern detective stories," said Mr. Stevenson, "is Moffatt's 'Through the Wall.' 'The Man Without a Head,' by Tyler De Saix is good, but there is too much machinery in it. The central character in it is a sculptor who makes images of the heads of the people whom he designs to kill, and then makes himself to resemble them so that he can walk away unharmed after killing them."

"In the best detective stories there is seldom any elaborate machinery introduced. This business of introducing a death-dealing hall at the end of a cord, of having a special sort of house, a secret staircase, an ingenious hiding place, and that sort of thing is wrong. In the modern detective story there should be a modern house in a modern city—all the setting should be commonplace. In the Sherlock Holmes play Professor Moriarty's underground office with its door opened by a lever at his desk is highly artificial."

"The best of the Sherlock Holmes stories is 'Silver Blaze'—it is the most consistently logical of his stories. 'The

Mr. Stevenson does not believe that there is much resemblance between detective work in fiction and detective work in real life."

"Actual detection of crime," he said, "is simply a matter of investigation. If a piece of jewelry is lost, people go around to all the pawnshops looking for it. If a man has been wounded and then disappears, people go around to all the doctors and ask them questions, and to all the taxicab drivers and other people who might have seen the wounded man. It is all done on a wholesale scale, and patience is the chief quality displayed. This process is, of course, too cumbersome to use in a story."



Burton E. Stevenson.

'Speckled Band' is interesting chiefly because the idea is so outlandish. 'The Red-Headed Men's League' is one of the most effective of these stories because the start is so far from the finish. But the end of that story is rather weak."

Mr. Stevenson is at work now on the solution of a mystery. A French writer of detective stories proposed this mystery as an impossible plot, as a situation which no novelist could explain. Here it is, as Mr. Stevenson outlined it to me:

"Imagine," he said, "a little French village, resting in the peace of a Summer afternoon. An automobile speeds in and comes to a sudden stop. A woman leans out of the window of a nearby house, tears a sheet of red paper across twice, scatters the four pieces to the winds, and goes back into the house. The automobile leaves the village. Two days later there is a wedding in the village. But as the bride approaches the altar she drops dead. In her hand she holds one of the pieces of red paper. There are three other sudden and mysterious deaths, and in every case one of the pieces of red paper is found gripped in the fingers of the corpse. The French writer said that this mystery could not be solved, but I think it can."

Mr. Stevenson is inclined to believe that Poe's ability as a writer of detective stories has been overrated.

"Poe only wrote three detective stories," he said, "and one of these is a failure. He tried to work out the mystery of the death of Mary Rogers—Mary Rogot, he called her. But he failed. There is a legend to the effect that a British officer came to Poe and confessed that he had committed the murder in the way in which Poe described it in his story, but this legend has never been verified. Poe spent days going over the scene of the crime, but he failed to bring the story to a satisfactory conclusion."

"And I have never been entirely convinced by the psychology of Poe's 'The Purloined Letter.' You know the point of the story is that a thing for which people are seeking is best concealed when it is put in a place where it might naturally be expected to be. But the letter that escaped notice because it was placed in the letter rack was first crumpled and torn half across. Surely this was a mistake on Poe's part; a letter thus marked would attract attention to itself."

As every magazine editor will testify, detective stories are being written by the thousand, and very many of them fail to find their way into print. I asked Mr. Stevenson how he thought

ambitious writers of this sort of story could best prepare themselves.

"The best training for a writer of detective stories," he said, "is newspaper work. Of course, that is the best training for a writer of any sort, if he gets out of newspaper work in time. He gains facility, he learns not to take himself too seriously, he is brought into contact with all kinds of people, he goes to all kinds of places, and he gains the power of writing in any circumstances. And particularly valuable to the writer of detective stories is the opportunity which newspaper work affords of getting a view of phases of human nature which most people do not suspect."

Here is a list of "Don'ts" for the guidance of all who desire to have people breathlessly follow the adventures of their lynx-eyed sleuth. Mr. Stevenson is a successful writer of detective stories, as well as a shrewd critic of them, so this is eminently practical:

"Don't invent any intricate machinery to confuse the reader's mind."

"Don't make utterly innocent people act as if they were guilty. Innocent people do not act as if they were guilty."

"Don't base your plot on an unfinished sentence or an incomplete exclamation. The world has little patience with stories which hinge upon the fact that the heroine refused to take advantage of the opportunity to relieve the hero's mind by telling him that she was there at 3 instead of at 2, or that it was her sister who wore the green dress, or something of the sort."

"Don't have your hero assume the sins of the villain."

"Don't have your detectives possess some personal information which no one else possesses. A detective must have the same data and the same sources of information as every one else. This is a fundamental requisite for good detective fiction. One admirable thing about the Sherlock Holmes stories is the way in which Holmes always gets his information from the newspapers. They get into the railway carriage, you know, and Holmes asks Watson to read him the newspaper account of the case."

"Don't let your story have merely an impossible solution. It must have the one inevitable solution. Don't, for the sake of the effect, allow your story to end with an absurdity."



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Canada's New Railway Has Big Future

Just Completed Sections, Linking Together a Huge Chain of Roads, Comprise More Railway Mileage than Has Ever Before Been Opened at One Time

A STRIP a hundred miles wide, extending from coast to coast, was added to the attainable vistas of Canadian territory on Oct. 19 when the first train over the new Canadian Northern Transcontinental Railway rolled into Vancouver carrying eighty members of the Canadian Parliament and some hundred other public officials, railroad engineers and newspaper men, assembled from all parts of Canada and the United States, to take part in the opening of a new era in the development of the Dominion.

Since 1896 this new railroad system, which opens up to settlers something like a million square miles of the richest agricultural land in Canada, has been quietly and unostentatiously covering the middle section of Canada with a gridiron of steel rails. To the observant its trend and ultimate objective were plain. Yet outside of Canada and even in many sections of the Dominion it attracted so little attention that the progress of this first transcontinental train, triumphantly heralded throughout the continent, has been a revelation and a surprise.

In part this is due to the manner of the system's upbuilding. It started nineteen years ago with a modest eighty-five-mile railroad from Gladstone to Dauphin, Manitoba. Its name was the Manitoba & Northwestern Railway and Canal. The canal part of it, by the way, never was built, and probably never will be. The railroad had a single track and a single passenger train which ran out of Gladstone in the morning as Train No. 1 and bravely returned in the afternoon as Train No. 2, and it was characteristic of the Scottish sense of humor in the builders and proprietors that the time table contained a solemn notice that "Train No. 2 will not leave the terminal until after the arrival of Train No. 1."

It was also characteristic of their shrewdness that this particular eighty-five miles of territory through which the railroad ran was already noted as the best wheat growing land in the Province and has since fully justified its reputation. A farmer who met the first transcontinental train at Dauphin proudly exhibited to the Canadian legislators samples of his newly gathered wheat crop which had averaged seventy-two bushels to the acre and had netted him seventy-nine cents per bushel.

This first little railroad made money, although the franchise for its construction had gone a-begging for years before it was started. There followed branch lines which doubled, then trebled, its traffic; then an extension to Portage La Prairie; then more little railroads on the prairies, most of them on the same modest scale.

In course of time the proprietors of these lines went east and acquired the Great Northern Railway on the north shore of the St. Lawrence River, between Montreal and Quebec, tapping an im-



Along the St. Francis Valley, Quebec.

mense pulp wood area. Then came more railroads and still more, until the Canadian Northern Railway system, as these scattered lines had become, controlled more mileage in the three prairie Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta than any other Canadian railroad.

It has since increased until it has 10,000 miles in all.

Some six or eight years ago there were thirty individual railroads, built and acquired, which had been incorporated into the system. And then began the final stage of linking together these separate enterprises into a single railroad extending from Quebec to Vancouver. This is the huge task the completion of which Canada, much to its surprise, finds itself celebrating just now.

With the laying of the last steel link on this new transcontinental highway, the magnitude of the enterprise, the daring and tenacity of its projectors, stand revealed. In the last four years they have built 1,700 miles of railroad. Since their entry into the railroad field, nineteen years ago, they have added to Canadian resources a mile and a half of railroad track a day. The newly constructed sections just opened comprise alone more railway mileage than has ever been opened at one time in the world's history. And it has all been done without fuss or trumpeting. There are people in Canada who can hardly believe that it is true.

Naturally, the personalities of the men whose imaginations conceived this gigantic enterprise and whose forcefulness and tenacity have carried it against tremendous obstacles to a successful conclusion, are not the least interesting part of the whole. They are two—Sir William Mac-

kenzie and Sir Donald Mann. Sir William is usually credited with being the originator. He is also the financier and the negotiator who has made the achievement possible. Sir Donald is the executive, the builder whose forcefulness and executive ability carried the plans through. Neither is a talker.

"I prefer to do things rather than to talk about them," said Sir William Mackenzie in replying to a series of congratulatory addresses on his way with the first train across the continent. Sir Donald Mann is credited with having avoided the transcontinental celebration so that he wouldn't have to talk at all. Sir William is slight, nervous, magnetic. Sir Donald is six feet two inches, broad-shouldered, and silent.

In the early eighties William Mackenzie was a Canadian school teacher who felt himself miscast, so went to railroad building on the Canadian Pacific then making its way through the mountains of British Columbia to the coast. Donald Daniel Mann, who had been a lumberman, was then bossing a construction gang on the same work. Some time in those days they got together. So many things have happened since that probably neither of them remembers very distinctly where and how it was. An interviewer once asked Sir Donald about this.

"Gee!" he said, after thoughtfully rolling his cigar from side to side under his heavy mustache. "Gee! I wish I could tell you."

The new line to the north of Lake Superior runs through a spruce forest, where thirty million cords of pulpwood await removal, with cheap water transportation only a few miles away, and a rich clay belt ideal for wheat growing beneath the timber when the settler of

the future has cleared the ground. The rest of the line is through the richest prairie country and along the fertile valley of the Fraser River, already the scene of a prosperous mixed farming industry.

There is an additional feature which will, perhaps, be the greatest factor in the future. The greatest problem of an American transcontinental railway is grades. The line must cross the Rocky Mountains and continue over the Selkirk range, peaks rising to an altitude from 8,000 to 13,000 feet. There are few passes. The railroad which can cross the mountains at the easiest grade can haul the most freight and the greatest number of passengers across the continent at the least expense, and will have an immense advantage over its competitors.

The new road crosses the mountains through the Fellowhead Pass, an altitude of 3,716 feet, with a grade of 5 per cent. westbound and 7 per cent. eastbound. The next lowest in comparison is the Grand Trunk Pacific, with a 1 per cent. grade, and the grades of other transcontinental lines rise to a maximum of 2.5 per cent. in the case of the Santa Fé. This low grade enabled the railroad in the case of its first transcontinental special to carry a train of fifteen heavy passenger coaches drawn by a single ordinary locomotive across the Rockies at an average speed of more than thirty miles an hour. It was a record in American railroad travel.

To the average American, however, the most interesting question in connection with the new railway will be as to the scenery opened up by it. There is nothing lacking in this respect. From Ottawa west to Winnipeg the train travels through alternate vistas of prairie, in late Summer and Fall golden with a bounteous wheat crop, and deep forest interspersed with silvery streams. Thence westward lies more prairie, then gradually come into view the snow-clad summits of Mt. Robson, the tallest mountain in the Canadian Rockies, Mt. Gekkie, Pyramid, and Roche Miette, and for a day long the train winds through a changing panorama of fir-clad mountain slopes from whose cloud-hung tops trail silver glaciers till night brings a pause and the traveler awakes to find himself traversing a steep canyon below which rush the Thompson and Fraser Rivers.

And thus the journey continues till the canyon becomes a smiling valley and the train rolls across the broad Fraser into the bustling City of Vancouver.

It is a picturesque journey throughout, but perhaps its most picturesque feature is one that may arise in the mind that knows the history of this enterprise, and that is how two Canadian empire builders of these days dreamed of such a railroad, tenaciously pursued their dream, and though beginning with almost nothing and encountering every obstacle overcame them all and built a great railroad extending from sea to sea.



The Great Bridge at Kamloops.

One Or Two Interesting Museum Possibilities

The Most Important Pictures in America in Private Collections---Need of a Small Museum of Selected Works.

EVERY thoughtful lover of art is conscious that, while America's wealth in pictures is such that special students of the masters of painting must visit this country before they can hope to know their subject thoroughly, the great pictures are for the most part in private collections. The energy of our private collectors has brought across the ocean examples of Holbein and Titian, Vermeer, Velasquez, Botticelli, Raphael, Veronese, Van Dyck, Daumier, Cézanne, Degas, and Corot which compare favorably with those in the European galleries, and in certain instances are finer than anything that can be found in the same kind in Europe. This has been brought about by the willingness of our collectors to go to great lengths in spending their money rather than accept debatable examples. Once upon a time an American collector would have idled forth across the water and brought back objects of art in which he would have been satisfied personally to believe without the support of outside opinion. Once in a while masterpieces were thus obtained. More often the works were second and third rate. Not very much money was involved, no one seriously suffered, and a charming personal experience was enjoyed.

The case now is wholly different. Most of the great collectors are frankly planning that their collections shall pass in time to the public either as bequests to museums such as Mr. Altmann made or as integral separately housed collections such as Mr. Freer has provided for at Washington. It has become a matter not only of personal but of national pride with them that only the finest obtainable works by the greatest masters be included in their galleries. They seldom assume to judge which are the finest and who are the greatest. They exercise their trained power of judgment upon the men they select to choose for them, and, with a mingling of shrewdness and diffidence highly characteristic of the national temper, they refrain from imposing their opinions. In the course of their experience their taste, naturally ripens and becomes more certain and few of them ignore the dictates of their taste, but they remain considerate of the fact that they are buying not for themselves alone, but ultimately to satisfy the needs of the splendid young country which will inherit from them the most beautiful objects possible to gather from all the other countries of the world.

As a result of this temper of mind on the part of a comparatively small number of rich men, the United States already is becoming a mecca for the pilgrims of art. The pictures, tapestries, porcelains, potteries, and other objects of aesthetic interest that are coming here in rapidly increasing numbers derive from the noblest sources and in many instances achieve a degree of merit impossible to surpass. Thus there is hope for our public collections, and possibly the certainty of this hope, as well as the scale of prices established, obstructs initiative on the part of the museums. What we do need in New York is a museum that shall contain only great works, a museum to which the public may go with the assurance of seeing there works worthy of serious attention so presented as to inspire a sympathetic mood uninterrupted by unworthy juxtapositions.

We recall Gallery XXIV in the Metropolitan Museum many years ago when Titian's noble "Aretino" hung there, companioned by the El Greco and the Rubens Holy Family, the Lotto, and other

ART AT HOME AND ABROAD



Example of Preston Dickinson's Work. (At the Daniel Gallery.)

interesting works, some of them of first importance, gathered together on a "Salon Carré" plan. Such a plan carried out on a larger scale and in a more exacting spirit would provide for New York an institution of great influence.

The Children's Museum of Art in Boston.

Fitz Roy Carrington's admirable idea for a Children's Museum of Art in Boston is in process of being worked out, and now that the Autumn season has begun there is renewed activity on the part of those interested in the scheme. The Settlements Museum Association is incorporated, with John D. Adams for President, Paul J. Sachs and Mrs. Catherine Saunders for Vice Presidents, B. Preston Clark for Treasurer, and Mr. Carrington for Secretary. This association is carrying on the project of the Children's Museum, the building for which is not yet erected. Mr. Carrington's plan is to have ultimately not only one, but a group of buildings, which shall be built and maintained without municipal aid, and which shall contain works of art that will appeal to children under 14 years of age. It is also expected that in time there will be handicrafts carried on in connection with the museum. The first building has been planned and will be a structure so simple

and practical as to be in itself an architectural lesson and example. It is to be of red brick, one story high, and lighted with French windows, without troublesome flights of steps, (a detail that will draw to its collections a large number of citizens with fifty-year-old arteries,) with clean tiles on the floor, and with a minimum of ornamentation, consisting chiefly of sculptured heads of children of the Italian Renaissance looking down with the engaging Italian smile on the visiting children of the neighborhood.

The objects to be placed in the museum will be of three classes, those of such value that a fireproof building is required for their installation, those that may be lent to settlements and institutions but which may not be taken into the homes of the children, and those that may be taken into such homes and kept there for a considerable length of time—colored prints, for example. The general scheme is based on the public library system. There will be the central building, which will be open free the year around; the settlement houses will correspond to the branch libraries, from which suitable objects will be lent as in the libraries books are lent, the objects too valuable for lending having a permanent home where they may be con-

Fitz Roy Carrington's Boston Scheme for a Children's Museum to Provide Training in Art Appreciation.

sulted at will. In this way many more people can be reached than from one large centre without subordinate distributing branches.

It is interesting enough to consider Mr. Carrington's plan with reference to its effect upon the children of his recently adopted city. The effect hardly can fail to be salutary, even though it should not achieve all that he hopes for it. Children respond quickly to civilizing influences, remember them long, and readily put them to practical use in their lives. Almost equally important, however, is the starting of a small museum on intelligent lines. In such a country as ours, with so heterogeneous a population and such widely separated centres of art, it is impossible for any one museum, however large, to reach many people or do much toward raising the general standard. Small museums are desirable in every city, but most of all desirable in the large cities, toward which float all sorts and conditions of men and to which the population at large looks for its standards of taste. The small museum is a logical agent of culture. There is danger, however, of establishing small museums with too much regard for the limitations of the public, too much of compromise with the present standard of public taste, and too little firm decision in favor of the best, and nothing but the best, as worthy of the people. If we should have a series of small museums comparing with the series of private collections that are making our country justly famous in the eyes of the world, we could well afford to supplement these with minor institutions for kindergarten work in art appreciation. This would establish our regard for quality as infinitely preferable to quantity in art, and in no other way can this fundamental discrimination be impressed upon the public mind. If we try first, and with persistence, for the best, we may not have time to get down to the very bad.

Chinese Paintings

At the Montross Galleries until Nov. 20 an exhibition of Chinese art will be on view. The place of honor in the main gallery is held by three portraits, one of a scholar, the second of a historian, the third of a military man who also is a noble of high rank, as the design on an embroidered panel of his costume testifies. It is extremely interesting to observe the discriminations of character made by the artists of this most astute race in portraiture of this order. The face of the scholar is that of a thinker and philosopher, to whom the fluctuating aspect of the world presents material for amused reflection. Nothing more impersonal, aloof, and instructed can be imagined than this old, wise, disillusioned or unillusioned physiognomy. The historian, on the other hand, looking backward into the annals of the world, is bored by his knowledge, his expression is that of satiety and indifference, without the element of pleasure that quickens into life the features of his comrade. The portrait of the noble is candidly stupid. Here is a warrior who knows nothing beyond obedience to orders, who would lower his head and charge an enemy in sublime apathy.

The execution of the three pictures is a characteristic combination of freedom and boldness with minute accuracy. The passionate truth of the flowing outlines is the result of supreme skill in draughtsmanship and close observation. There is practically no interior modeling; volume, character, delicacies of surface modulation—all are expressed by the outline sweeping with firm distinction about the major forms. In some such way Holbein worked at the English Court; few portraits are more suggestive of the later method of Holbein than this effigy of the ancient scholar, or a still earlier and much smaller head of a man in a green robe which might, if such a thing were



A Fourteenth Century Polo Game, by a Chinese Artist. (On Exhibition at Montross Galleries.)

possible, have been the prototype of the great German's Windsor series of drawings.

Among the other paintings are two makimono in which the curious may see developed the ancient game of polo as it marched from Mongolia toward India. The earlier painting is by far the more beautiful of the two. The date is given as early Ming, and the tone is the rich ivory of ancient scrolls. The episode represented is a general mix-up in the game when several players come together on the field. The players belong to the heavy Mongolian type strengthened by meat and millet, and women are playing with the men, amazons of such power and weight as to be hardly distinguishable from their companions of the opposite sex. They are using sticks with small hollowed triangular heads with which the ball apparently is scooped up and carried rather than driven forward.

In the second makimono, dating between two and three centuries later, the heads of the sticks are longer, and the players, all men, are mounted on small mules. The execution differs from that of the earlier work in important particulars, and the color is thinner and cooler. In the early picture there is but one subject, polo, and the richly toned ground is spotted with mellow blues and reds and greens that are in themselves decorative and that make a decorative pattern. In the later picture the artist has not been satisfied with this severe and agreeable restraint, but has let his fancy play over minor incidents that are charming and entertaining, but subtract from the singleness of impression. At the left is seen a nobleman and his retinue, advancing through the hilly landscape and crossing a stout bridge. Further on in the composition is a pavilion in which a teacher is holding con-

verse with his followers. Then, passing some Bellinesque rocks, with fringes of gay flowers and ferns, one comes upon the polo players, not this time engaged in a dramatic scrimmage, but advancing in orderly course, and at the right is a large horse, looking a giant by the side of the little mules, and having his feet ignominiously tied, for purposes of shoeing or for some other reason not clearly apparent. In spite of the distracting effect of these side issues, the logical training of the artist has shown him how to press his natural material into purely decorative shapes. The rocks, with their wavelike markings, and the water that flows across them, the cheerful trimming of fern and flower, the bridge and the cavalcade, are so neatly pruned of extraneous and obstructive detail, so cleverly woven and twisted into the rather simple design, so firmly if persuasively forced out of a dangerous naturalism into a thoughtful convention, that the commonplace little work ingratiates by that sense of style, that dainty tact of felicitous presentation in which Eastern art at its tawdriest is rich.

Desert and Canyon

Bertha S. Menzler's paintings of the Arizona desert and of the Grand Canyon will be brought to New York from Detroit, where they are now on exhibition, the latter part of next week, and later will be shown at the Macbeth Galleries. They are, on the whole, the best desert pictures that have been seen here for many a year. They show not only response to the striking features of color and atmosphere by which all visitors, artists and laymen alike, are impressed, but a much more intimate knowledge of the character of the scenes than usually is shown. The painter obviously has lived night and day, morning and evening, with her landscape until she has

learned to recognize its subtler and more sensitive aspects. No doubt she could have painted her picture of a hill bathed in the flame of sunset after a brief visit to the region, but such a picture as that of the tender gray valley under a blue sky hung with dazzling clouds could only have been conceived by a companion and friend. Even more interesting technically is the composition in which a dash of rain plays the leading part, and a small blue and gray hill study suggests wide distances and the solemnity of the desert places. The Indian girl looking toward a broad horizon is more commonplace in theme, but clever and fresh in handling. Altogether it is a group of pictures calling for the attention of all who care for the portraiture of nature in unfamiliar phases by an observer scrupulous for the true physiognomy of place. The artist has done more than circumnavigate her subject on the outside, which is the impression made by most painters who undertake deserts and canyons. Her "Grand Canyon," with all its intensities and extravagances, is eminently possible, a temperamental piece of landscape, a prima donna sacrificing all the bland charms of daily and homely life to the splendor of a supreme gift, but not in any sense a monstrosity.

Paintings by Mr. Demuth and Others at the Daniel Galleries.

Charles Demuth has an exhibition of water colors at the Daniel Galleries in which his delicate and elusive talent shows to the best possible advantage. Most of his subjects are flowers, and he shows himself one of the deeply initiated by paying as much attention to his background as an element of his composition as to his title theme. Thus when he paints an Autumn spike of crimson on

which a blue butterfly hangs poised it is neither blossom nor butterfly that attracts the observer, but the weaving of colors into a fabric of glowing color. He is perhaps especially happy in his use of warm grays with blue, the sensitive fluttering of the shadowy tints and the curious depth suggested in their handling giving one the sense of cool grottos and the hollows of the woodlands.

It is interesting to compare his work with the drawings by Preston Dickinson in which line is the language and an equally expressive use is made of it. Mr. Dickinson breaks away from parallelism of line with vigorous interest in a more living effect. His lines run diagonally into his picture, diverge from the perpendicular, from the horizontal, do anything to avoid an empty grandeur. A rhythm that dominates his composition gives it dignity, the arrangement is flexible and interesting and full of the asymmetric charm of ancient architecture.

A Coming Exhibition.

William Laurel Harris is organizing an interesting exhibition at the Avery Library, Columbia University. It will consist of examples of American industrial art and will be the most important exhibition of its kind to be held under the auspices of an American university. The manufacturers of silk furniture, and so forth, are to send the most artistic products of their factories, and the exhibits are to be arranged in something the same fashion as in the exhibition last Winter at the National Museum in Washington, so as to give an integral effect to the rooms. The Proctor of the university, Professor William H. Carpenter, and the Librarian of the Avery Library, Edward R. Smith, are especially interested in making the exhibition a success and have placed its arrangement entirely in the hands of Mr. Harris.



"Muy-Tala," ("Moonlight,") by Bertha S. Menzler.

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Had Religion.

HE was only a little fellow of not more than four years, and, as he entered the grocery store, his bare feet made such a slight noise that another customer, who had just been waiting on, did not know of his presence until she turned to go and stepped squarely on one of the small toes.

"Oh, dear, did I hurt you?" she sympathized, as she realized her carelessness.

"Hell, no, I'm a Christian Scientist," came the reply as the boy clasped the injured member in both hands and hopped about on his other foot.

Uncle Jeff's Verdict.

I like de ole doctah's kin' ob medicine de bes', 'cause he ride aroun' in a automobile; but de young doctah, he stay at home mos' ob de time. He's homopathy. I don't like dat kin'. It don't pay nothin'.

Too Bad!

Mother—What's little sister crying for?

Willie—She dug a hole in the yard and she's cryin' 'cause she can't take it into the house with her.

Presto, Change!

"When is an auto not an auto?"

"Give it up."

"Why, when it turns turtle."

One on Pa.

"Tommy, your master's report of your work is very bad. Do you know that when George Washington was your age he was head of the school?"

"Yes, pa; and when he was your age he was President of the United States."

A Hint.

"Is that an eight-day clock?" said the young man, as the timepiece struck the midnight hour.

"Well," replied the sweet young thing with a yawn, "why don't you stay a little longer and find out?"—Yonkers Statesman.

Cleopatra discovered the pearl.

"It is economical as long as you don't treat," she explained.

Lines to General Venustiano Carranza of Mexico

By Thomas R. Ybarra.

GREETINGS to you, bearded sage,
Peeping from your foliage.
You have certainly a case
Of a densely-wooded face.
Tell me, did your efforts stop
When you realized that hirsute crop.
Or does genius high and rare
Lurk among those groves of hair?
Is that capillary dome
Of tremendous thoughts the home,
Have you skill and strength and push
Hid in that primeval bush?
Do reformer's projects stir
In that mass of facial fur,
Economic problems press
On Your Royal Wooliness?
Have you jaws of iron, too,
Whiskered from the public view,
Or, as I have sometimes feared,
Are you principally beard?

Her Talent Revealed.

A VERY "green" Norwegian girl had come to this country in search of employment. She was taken into a household as a cook, but failed entirely to give satisfaction. Nearly everything she undertook resulted in failure, and finally the mistress of the house asked in desperation: "Eda, is there anything you can do?"

"Yes," was the girl's reply; "Well, tell me what it is," said the mistress.

"Ay can milk reindeer," said the girl calmly.

Early Opportunity.

"My ancestors were among the Pilgrim Fathers." "Well," said Mr. Cumrod, "I congratulate you. Even in social matters there's nothing like getting in on the ground floor."—Washington Star.

Fate.

Crawford—I hear he met with a most humiliating accident.

Crabshaw—Yes. After dodging expensive limousines for years he was run over by a jitney.

The Second in Command.

Randall—Does he command a good salary?

Rogers—1-100 of it.

Belligerent.

Willis—Have you got any war orders yet?

Gillis—Yes; a big fellow just now told me in an argument to keep my face shut or he'd knock my block off.

Starting Something.

Willis—I'm a ruined man! Today when the family were all together a man opened the door and threw in—

Gillis—A bomb?

Willis—Worse than that; an automobile catalogue!

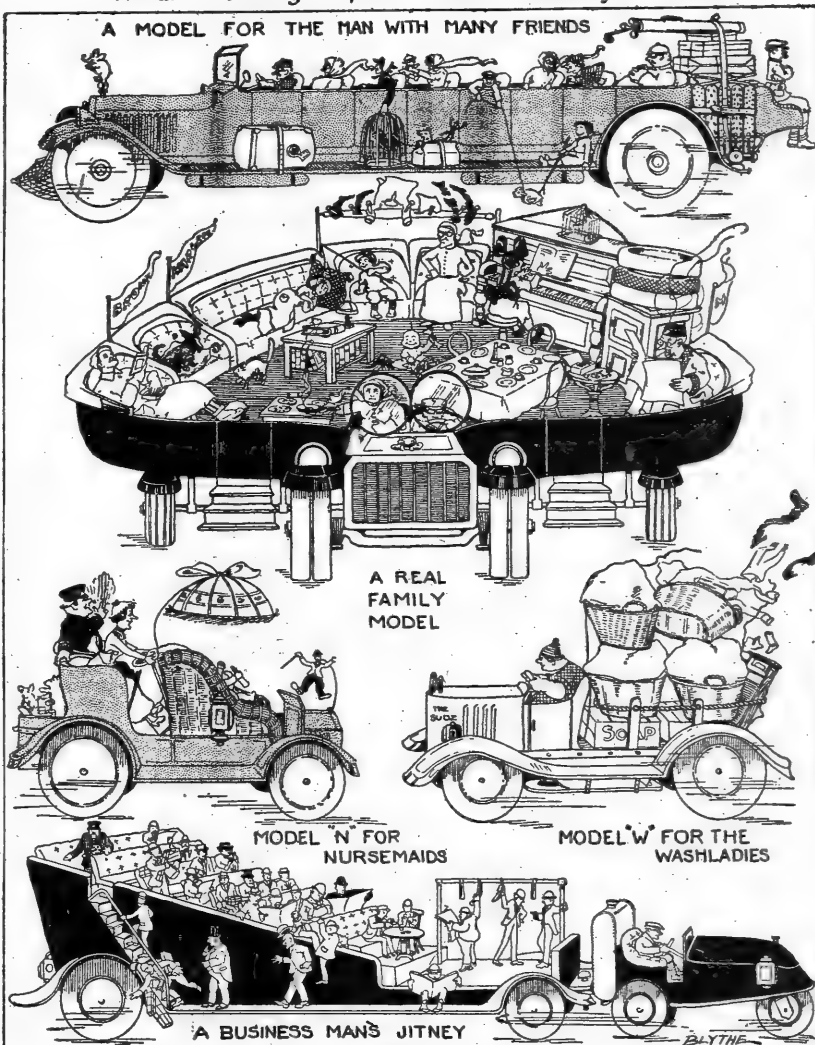
The Woman of It.

Mrs. Sharp—Those two women don't speak any more. Each said that she had the smartest child in town.

Mrs. Carp—Which was right?

Mrs. Sharp—Neither. I have.

What We May Expect in Auto Models for 1916



Lines from a Jester's Notebook—By John Kendrick Bangs

MY LOVE.

I'VE lost my heart to a woman fair,
Possessed of all the virtues rare.
She holds no store of vain regrets
Because I dote on cigarettes,
She feels no harm and sees no hurt
If now and then I chance to flirt,
And when I rave at things that be
Without reserve agrees with me.

I hold the dame a dame divine,
Because her dreams are dreams of mine,
And whatever thing betide the day,
She never questions what I say;
And if I linger with my friends
Finds nothing in it that offends,
And greets me ever with a smile
That's wholly free from taint or guile.

She hath a wondrous soft caress;
A mighty dainty taste in dress.
She hath an income of her own;
A natural voice upon the 'phone.
To gossip she hath never turned,
Nor deems her own sweet welfare spurned
If 'mid life's rush and roar and stir
I think of self, and not of her.

I love her with a love as true
And deep as is the Heavens' blue.
I love her with a love so vast
That when Eternity hath passed

'Twill still remain a sample of
The truly perfect type of love—
Yet am I strange still to blinis;
I know not who or where she is!

HE DID.

"It takes a great poet to make poverty rhyme with wealth, pleasure with pain, and peace with war," said Merrick, discussing the Vers Libertines.

"Nonsense," retorted Merrick. "I am not a great poet, but I can make joy rhyme with ill, and not half try."

"Not with me you can't," said Merrick.

"Give me a pad, and I'll bet you a dinner I

can," said Merrick. Whereupon he sat down and scribbled off the following:

"For living full of Peace and Joy
Give me Chicago, Ill."

"Where shall we dine?" asked Merrick.

THE LIMIT.

The most inexcusable typographical error that ever came to our notice was that of an Esteemed Contemporary that referred to Mr. John D. Rockefeller's well-known enterprise as "The Stranded Oil Company."

FULFILLMENT.

Jimpeon was watching the somewhat sym-

naotic efforts of his son Tommy while the lad was trying to eat his corn from the cob.

"He represents," said Jimpeon, "the complete fulfillment of the line, 'First the blade, then the ear, then the full grain in the ear.'"

ANOTHER OUTRAGE.

"See here, you," said the Subway Guard to the College Professor who was carrying a lighted cigar between his fingers, "you can't do that here. Chuck it away!"

"I yield to your superior strength," retorted the College Professor, "but I shall write to the papers exposing your outrageous interference with Academic Freedom."

Some Phyllis!

RECENTLY a poem entitled "An Indefensible Love Lyric," by Thomas R. Ybarra, appeared in THE NEW YORK TIMES. One of its verses ran as follows:

Phyllis, I would call you fairer
Than the fairest ever seen—
Than the Trojan's Greek ensnarer
And the proud Egyptian Queen.
I would sing: "The world uncovers
Humbly, as she passes by."
But, George Washington of lovers,
Phyllis, I can't tell a lie.

The rest was of like tenor.
Well, Phyllis has been heard from. She has sent from New Haven the following:

Thomas, I should like to tell you
That you have a freckled face,
That your hair is red and stubby,
All your movements void of grace;
That your figure's like a melon
And your eye like a black pill.
All of these I'd like to tell you,
And, by jingo, Tom, I will.

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THE WOMAN WHO WON THE NOBEL PRIZE

Interesting Career of the Swedish Writer, Selma Lagerlöf, and Her Remarkable Novel, "Jerusalem," Just Published in This Country—Latest Works of Fiction

REURALSJEM. By Selma Lagerlöf. Translated by Volma Swanson Howard. With an introduction by Henry Goddard Leach. Doubleday, Page & Co.

THERE is but one woman member of the Swedish Academy, the daughter of an obscure clergyman in a small Swedish hamlet, who was born in an old farmhouse and trained to be a teacher. So far, too, this woman is the sole member of her sex to receive the Nobel Prize for Literature. The bare sketch of Selma Lagerlöf's life is a romance as thrilling as ever that told of a fairy Frisacene, and it is difficult to believe that trolls and spells were not busy at her birth, and given to aiding her in wonder-working fashion through the years of her life. Small, quiet, shy, hard working, she pursued the course of her unexciting duties; in the intervals of her business of teaching she amused herself by filling pages with fanciful tales—first wild romantic stories in the fashion of Scott and other heroes of her youthful days; later in the telling of things nearer home. And sometimes she would smilingly make believe that she was a real writer, destined to write a great saga, and would turn to poetry and scribble more pages, only to tear them up later, and return to the real occupation of guiding children into the realm of knowledge.

Then, one day, she won a prize with a sketch she had been persuaded to enter in a competition, the sketch being a chapter from a book on which she had been working at odd hours for years. No one else had ever written just that sort of chapter before, and several discerning persons were deeply interested; among the rest the publisher of the paper that had given the prize. These persons wanted the book from which the sketch was taken. But there was no book, only a mass of material, odds and ends, loose chapters and episodes. It would take at least a year to weld these into final form. And Miss Lagerlöf must make her living.

Whereupon the fairy godmother of course appeared, and the Princess's future for the time needed to complete the book was provided for. She took the fairy gold and wrote the book, working day and night in a great frenzy of creative labor.

The book, "Gösta Berling," was published, and the Princess put on her crown and proceeded to live happy after. Not only did it take Sweden by storm, but it was translated into most modern languages, and was everywhere pronounced a masterpiece.

It was an extraordinary and beautiful story, and it was written in a style of singular clarity, and revealed what seemed an inevitable comprehension of the hearts of men and women, the strange workings of human nature. Here was a woman whose life had passed in what was close to isolation; to whom the experiences of love and motherhood had not come; a plain, unassuming, rather silent little woman, always troubled to make both ends meet, the ugly duckling in a big family whose other members were all married and settled, a playful, energetic crowd of youngsters who had early left the nest. Selma was the chimney-corner child, too timid to join in the boisterous play of her elder brothers and sisters, the little one who was always passed over.

And yet here in her book she appeared to understand every one, to have done and seen everything, to be at home with the wildest and fiercest, the greatest lovers, the hopeless, the strong, to know youth and age, to be surprised at nothing, to sympathize with points of view as far apart as good and evil. In her book was life in its thousand aspects, good and bad, subtle and simple, passionate and cold, presented with an art so simple and direct that it is only occasionally the reader realizes its beauty and effectiveness much as a traveler on a mountain trail, exhilarated by the inspiring air and busy with the problems of the path, is conscious only at pauses of the splendor of the view surrounding him.

After "Gösta Berling" there was no more teaching for Miss Lagerlöf. One book followed another, though slowly, for her work is unburied. Here in America she is better known for her two books, written for children, "The Wonderful Adventures of Nils" and "The Further Adventures of Nils," than for her novels. But now that the Doubledays have taken her up, we shall surely have a chance to read all those of her books which have been translated into English, and to hope that the rest, if there are any, will soon be available.

"Jerusalem" is the story of a revival. In telling it the

writer presents a picture of universal human nature away from the poles of warm, comfortable, conventional, and time-honored bodily ease, sanctioned by tradition, and the chill, self-denying, fanatical, disturbing demand of the spirit, setting father against son, wife against husband. The story, to be sure, is intensely local. These Swedish farmers and blacksmiths and school teachers and parsons are not simply of the country, they are the products of generation after generation growing up and dying side by side in one small valley. We see more than one of these



generations, trace the likeness between father and son, feel the strength of family inheritance, the power of local tradition. It is all a close, true study of a small group, with its little comedies, its bitter tragedies, its love stories, its tension between members of families or neighbors held together or strained apart by early, casual occurrences long since become rigid rules and traditions. Here they are, these Ingmars and Halvors and Eriks and Helgums, plucked living from their immemorial farms and huts, and set in the mesh of the story; so real, so individual, man, woman, and child, that they touch every one in the world. The Volapük of human emotion is spoken through them, and every human being understands and sympathizes.

There are strange happenings in the course of the story, for the author sets down what strikes upon her characters in the way it appears to them. To Ingmar and Gertrude and the rest in the hut in the forest the forest storm has supernatural causes and phenomena. So we hear with them the voice of the Dog of the Mountain, and the tramping of dark hosts of ruin whose power is as swift and cruel over the soul of man as the trees of the wood. When Brita determines to hang herself we do not look on at her reasons and actions, but we are Brita, thinking her simple and sufficient thoughts and doing what has to be done. And when the stranger enters and looks upon her, and leaves her to peace, we see and apprehend him as she does, not as we, watching her and him, might do if we were experiencing the occurrence at second hand. In this power of completely identifying herself and her reader with her characters Miss Lagerlöf's genius reaches its heights; and it seems futile to employ another word in speaking of her.

The exquisite art of the book is only completely revealed when you have finished and are looking back upon

it. The solid foundation of character and habit, the settled ways of these people, with their flashes of idealism, their courage of conviction—these are made familiar and understandable as they would be if you had grown up in Dalecarlia yourself. Then, working on that idealism, that courage, the gradual invasion of religious upheaval, the overturning of ancient rules and beliefs, the dawning of new demands and needs, the rise of a spiritual enthusiasm powerful enough to sweep the home-loving, tradition-sworn creatures away from their green farms and ancient houses to the desperate hazards of a pilgrimage to Jerusalem, there is set up a colony that was to exemplify the teachings of Christ anew to a world that had drifted far—how clearly, how wonderfully it is all done, while all the while you seem simply to be following the village happenings and personal problems of a few rather slow-thinking, earnest, sincere folk, who believe in walking in the ways of God, but who are not averse from feathering the nest of life.

The description of the final exodus is rarely beautiful. Only an incident here, another there, a face, a figure, an isolated experience or two, are related. But when all are gathered together you realize that every emotion which must have moved the pilgrims, and also those left behind, has been illuminated. It is all there.

A word must be said for the translation, made by a Swedish woman, but one to whom the English language is utterly familiar. It is not only her mastery use and comprehension of our tongue that is evident in the book, as it is in her other translations of Miss Lagerlöf, but the way in which she has grasped the very essence and spirit of the work. The author shines through the work of the translator as she might be seen through a pane of clear glass.

DEAR ENEMY

DEAR ENEMY. By Jean Webster. Illustrated by the author. New York: The Century Company. \$1.25.

IT is almost too bad that the readers of "Daddy-Long-Legs" are so well acquainted with Sallie McBride. For any mistaken idea that "Dear Enemy" is a sequel to Miss Webster's earlier story must be dispelled at once. It is a sequel only in carrying out the charm of the other volume, its sweetness, its gay modernity, its humor, and its philosophy. "Dear Enemy" is a bright and winsome tale, full of laughter and originality and common sense.

For in this, as in her other story about an orphan asylum, the author builds her superstructure of light and entertaining fiction upon a foundation of a real social philosophy. The story of Sallie McBride's reforms at the John Grier Home is a pretty and often a very funny bit of romance. But it is also a story of a modern orphan asylum and its needs, a story of fresh air and exercise and garden plots and table manners, of the effort to develop individuality in the best possible way, instead of striving to produce a model "obedient child." The real achievement of Miss Webster in this book, as in the other, is her combination of serious social modernity with the other modernity of gaiety and humor, so that both are alive and convincing, and neither loses a jot.

"Dear Enemy"—which we prefer to review as what it is, a separate story, unhampered by mention of "Daddy-Long-Legs" in incident or in celebrity—tells the tale of how Sallie McBride, a charming and presumably frivolous young woman whose sheltered and luxurious background has been all of college and family and social diversions, comes to be superintendent of the John Grier Home, and how she makes it over. Granted both money and authority, the inexperienced Sallie sets to work to give the one hundred and thirteen orphans of the institution just exactly what she herself has had—the best of care and a beautiful time. And just because she is gay and sweet and untrammelled by institution traditions, Sallie breaks down the institution ideal. She opens the nursery windows at night. She installs bathtubs and does away with the setting apart of Saturday for special ablutions. She imports other bright and uninstitutionalized college folk to be aids in her asylum's management, and she alternately cajoles and argues with recalcitrant trustees and would-be adopters, who want golden-haired little girls with Mayflower an-

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Of course, a book of this sort, written solemnly as a "novel with a purpose," might be merely earnest and conscientious and thoroughly frightening to the reader of fiction. And, of course, Miss Webster's book is never any of those things. From beginning to end it is so human, so full of individual bits of humor and of pathos, so light and charming in its style, that its very real "moral" is never once given a chance to obtrude itself. "Dear Enemy" is a story, and a good one. Its form—based on very personal letters from the superintendent to a few fellow-workers and friends—is always intimate and sometimes fascinatingly incoherent. There is nothing dull about Sallie McBride. She is no self-denying worshipper of duty. She is having a glorious time!

The book does not have a very coherent development of plot, but it boasts a pretty love story. Whether or not it is all quite "impossible" we do not presume to say. That it is a delightful little story, with a sane philosophy, we know.

Sallie McBride's illustrations for her letters—which are Jean Webster's illustrations for her book—are alluringly absurd. They are altogether laughable and very graphic, and their cleverness adds much to the book's charm.

OLD DELABOLE

OLD DELABOLE. By Eden Phillpotts. New York: The Knickerbocker Company, \$1.50.

MR. PHILLPOTTS has dedicated his new novel to Thomas Hardy, who may well esteem this an honor, though the serene and kindly spirit of the book is very unlike the spirit of protest in his own novels. In "Old Delabole" Mr. Phillpotts has spared us the tragic ending that figured so frequently in the Dartmouth novels, and has made a quiet, cheery, deeply human, wholly natural story of village life. As a comedy it is more nearly akin to "Widcombe Fair" than to "The Secret Woman" or "Demeter's Daughter," but in its high idealism at the close it reminds one of his masterpiece, "The Minister."

Just as "Brunel's Tower" was a human drama of the Devon potteries, so "Old Delabole" depicts life in the slate quarries of Cornwall. Delabole is a real village, near Padstow and Tintagel, on the bleak north shore, swept naked of trees by Atlantic storms, but peopled by warm-hearted and deeply conscientious men and women. The great quarry, with its peril from a cliff that is about to fall, dominates the community. When Mr. Phillpotts, as usual, went to live for months among these good Methodist villagers, he found not only a fine variety of likable characters, but also a moral and religious atmosphere, which he has faithfully embodied in his story.

The main theme is simple—the love of two good men for one worthy young woman—but to the last page you will not know whether Edith Retallick is going to marry Wesley Blake or Thomas Hawkey. No harrowing tragedy is brewing, yet complications thicken, and one grows deeply interested to see whether Wesley can hold Edith's love, knowing so little of woman's nature, so seldom able to guess what Edith wants without her asking. On the other hand, the love and loyalty of Edith is in the blood of Tom Hawkey, the quarry manager, yet he moves through the scenes of the quarry with a growing nobility that fascinates Edith and makes him one of the finest characters Mr. Phillpotts has ever created. In the end a difficult question of conscience shatters a long-standing betrothal and makes the two men rivals for the palm of moral heroism. Rarely has Mr. Phillpotts ended a novel with so fine an emotion.

But the real charm of "Old Delabole" is in its many and diverse characters. Edith's

grandfather, Mr. Nute, ought to be enough in himself to make the fortune of the book. A chirrupy, spry old man he is, full of shrewd kindness, ready at all times to play on his flute or on a religious text with equal skill; moralizing in and out of season, getting many a rebuff for his puns, but always imperturbable; in short, "a strenuous old dear," as the women folk admit, with a smile and a sigh. When he gets up before dawn on Christmas morning, wakes the indignant household with his flute, and is driven outdoors, he cheerfully goes and plays "Christians, Awake!" to the pigs in the sty, who stand in the empty trough and grunt their approval. And when he is left penniless at last, does he worry? Not he! The Lord will provide—and does—in amusing fashion. Yes, grandfather Nute is a joy.

Wilberforce Retallick is another well-drawn character, with his secret vanity for appearing rich, his foolish charities, and the far-reaching trouble that fall upon his family after his will is read. Then there are his daughters, Edith and Julietta, and his sons, Fooley and Edward, all widely different, and with widely different love affairs. Moses Bunt, always saying cynical, biting things, is another type, while saucy little Betty and demure little Mary strike other notes in the human gamut; again there is Antipax Keat, the baker, whose self-conceit takes the form of trying to build a whole hog himself. Mr. Phillpotts is never weary of depicting the humor of egotism.

Most of us would have been willing to do with fewer lively discussions, or to forego this or that minor feature, but the total impression left by "Old Delabole" is singularly pleasing and satisfying. Besides being a good story, richly peopled, and brimful of human nature in its finer aspects, the book is seasoned with quiet humor and a deal of mellow wisdom.

THE PASSPORT

THE PASSPORT. By Emile Voite. New York: Michel Kennerly.

PAINLESS war being the theme of Mr. Voite's naively ingenious novel, "The Passport," one would take him, at first blush, for a dentist. As a matter of fact, his wonderful power of extraction without pain is derived from his long experience as a "ship news" reporter in this city, where he has drawn out the wisdom teeth of the world's truly great at close range and left them smiling and happy.

This accounts for the free and easy method in which his characters salute royalty. For instance, when Richard Warden, the hero, sternly reproves the German Kaiser, he addresses him as "Mr. Emperor." Just as one of those eagles of the harbor belonging to Mr. Voite's profession would say, "Duke, what do you think of America?"

The novel derives its title from the circumstance that the hero, Richard Warden, a young and also wholesome American chemist, on his way to Europe in a liner, makes a

vapor with five millionaires at this country that he can proceed through the lines of the European armies now at war without his passport. As a guarantee of good faith he immediately burns up that important document in the smoking room and in the presence of Mr. Quabb, the Steel King, and other magnates of industry under thin disguises.

The real object of the visit of Mr. Warden to the danger zones is to end the war, and his solution of the difficulty is so simple that one wonders why nobody ever thought of it before. In publically note this method has been referred to as "gruesome," which certainly is not the adjective to apply to it. If this question as to characterization had not been raised the public might be left to follow the steps of the diverting tale without getting any advance inklings. Mr. Warden is a chemist and he has invented a wonderful vapor which when released by the shattering of small brown vials which he has in every pocket and in his Gladstone bag, along with his military hair brushes, immediately puts everybody in the neighborhood into a restful sleep. The inventor, before releasing this sweet aloof of slumber, puts on a mask. He first tried the agent on his father's cows and then on an I. W. W. mass-meeting, and finally on the band of German workmen who were busy in an undersea workshop for the repair of submarines at Sandy Hook. Emboldened by his success he starts across the ocean on his painless mission. The Autania, on which he is a passenger, is hailed by a U boat, an officer comes on board to give notice that forty minutes are allowed for the disembarkation of the passengers. As he turns to go young Warden, who is in the secrets of the German propaganda in this country, whispers a request in choice Prussian to be taken aboard the submarine.

Once on the deck of the alien terror of the deep, the bold American whips out his bottle and his mask, asphyxiates the Lieutenant and at the same time deftly pitches an ampoule of his wonderful mixture into an access hatch of the submarine and puts every man Jack on board out of commission. This accounts for the towing of one captured submarine of Germany into an English port. The powers of the vapor wear off in four hours and the

only effect of it is a slight ditty feeling resembling katejammer.

The fame of this exploit spreads through the War Office, of the powers, and Warden without difficulty makes his way through the lines and arrives at last in the august presence of Wilhelm II., Emperor of Germany. Meanwhile, knowing how perilous is his mis-

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The author, with his wife, began his travels through the unknown north of Russia, eastward toward Siberia, in the early Summer of 1914. They were in Siberia itself when war broke out—their long journey of investigation practically at an end. Thus the trip itself, in the gathering of information about the strange forbidding "wastes" of Russia, had accomplished its object, and there remained only the experience of seeing two curious and interesting things—the mobilization of Russian troops thousands of miles from the centres of national life, and the empire-wide closing of the vodka shops. Mr. Lethbridge has little to say of Russia that is happy, or even critical. He draws a new and gentle picture of the condition of the peasants, of the existence of the Jews, of the attitude of the Government toward its subjects. His book is full of pleasing snapshots of Russian people and customs and of Russian character. He believes Russia to be "the land of the future," and he believes that in the present war there lies the real "making" of Russian national life and opportunity.

The author of this newest book on Russia has not written of the Southern Provinces or the cities of the Empire, of Petrograd or Moscow or Kiev, of Poland or Finland. His travels took him only out of the haunts of cosmopolitan life, international knowledge and urban habit into the Russia that only Russians know. It is in this determination to acquaint himself with the people of the unknown Russia that he makes most interesting his love of the country. That Mr. Lethbridge does truly love Russia there is no possibility of doubt. And now that the war has put an end forever, he points out, to the Government monopoly on vodka, and closed, even temporarily, the vodka shops, there is no limit to the hopes that one may legitimately build for the future of Russia—its people's happiness and its national development and wealth.

The value of the war to Russia lies primarily, Mr. Lethbridge remarks, in three things—the closing of the vodka monopoly, the growth of a better understanding between Czar and moujik, and the waking up of Russia herself to her commercial possibilities—the need for railroads, the drilling of

many, many kinds of mines, the control of the fur industry, the use of the forests. "This portion of Russia," he writes of the great sweep of the north, "is so strong, so clean, and so unspoiled that with the most ordinary good-will it can be easily molded into a great 'new world' where, if the wind blows strong and cold it is ever tempered by the warmth and friendliness of its people. But there is a greater and more serious aspect connected with this question of what I call the 'neglected north.' The war has done many things for Russia"—the author recounts some of the benefits just mentioned—"it has knit the various races of this great country into a solid and united whole and it has lessened religious bigotry and sectarian bitterness. And it will have done yet another good work resulting in the Russian Government of its overlooked assets, those pigeonholed provinces which have no place in the latest aim of official favor, but which, if once liberally encouraged, would become yet one more support to the mighty and saving banks. "Mr. Bark, the Russian Minister for Finance," he says, "proved that from the date of the prohibition of the sale of vodka to the beginning of 1915—a space of only four months—the deposits in these banks exceeded the grand total of the preceding year many times over." Again and again in his book Mr. Lethbridge shows, in his sketches of the courteous, kindly, sweet-natured peasant of the north, his conviction that it is not Government oppression nor national incapacity that has stood in the way of the Russian's advance, but—more than anything else could—vodka. And now, he is sure, a better day has dawned.

In the condition of the Jews of the north, too, the author sees a brighter picture than that to which we have become accustomed in reports from Southern Russia. He says: "Russia is a vast country, and at times her treatment of Jewry has come under the fire of severe criticism. Certainly, those comprising Jewry form a vast and complex race. By and large, the Jews outside the Pale in the Russian Empire are not so dissatisfied as Russia's enemies would like to believe. The worst, either I ever heard of applied by such a Jew to Russian officialdom was that its officers were oftentimes 'grub,' which may be translated 'rough.' And also certain is it that they prefer to be under Russian rule rather than to be forced to submit to any foreign domination, particularly German. The Jews in Russia who have emancipated themselves and have long left the Pale may regret Russian action. They may occasionally and entirely disagree with it. Yet withal they have a sincere affection for the 'Russian land,' and they are prepared to show it by any means in their power. Those who have lived in Warsaw," the author adds, "will allow that the Warsaw Jew is a person apart."

The condition of the agricultural laborer in Russia, the writer believes, compares fairly well with that of the English laborer of the same class. And Mr. Lethbridge has the utmost scorn and condemnation for the "agitators" whose "destructive policy" stirs up Russian discontent.

The author emphasizes with many facts

and figures the opportunity for Russian development and British commerce in these "neglected" provinces, and points out that Germany has been far from "neglectful" of her possibilities in what is now her enemy's land. But for the average American reader both these commercial promises and the writer's praise of all things Russian are really far less interesting than the general and impartial descriptions of the Russian people and of the civilization of Siberia, the Ural, Archangel, and the "Great Russia" of the European North. The chronicle of the author's adventures in

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George Adam Gives Typical Sketches from His Experiences in France—"The Partitions of Poland," and Other Books on the War

BEHIND THE SCENES AT THE FRONT. By George Adam. With a frontispiece. New York: Duffield & Co.

MR. ADAM does two things in his book: He describes the chaotic political conditions in France on the eve of the war, and he pictures the daily life of the soldiers at the front. With him the reader may visit the trenches around Ypres, where the German flood was stayed last November in a three weeks' battle that left more than 40,000 German corpses on the field and caused a total German loss of at least 150,000 men. British and German soldiers have held the city ever since, but it is a city ruined and desolate, with the wonderful Cloth Hall destroyed beyond repair by German shells.

Not the least interesting of Mr. Adam's chapters is the one in which he tells how Tommy Atkins is kept fit for the strain of trench warfare. For one thing, he is better fed than ever before. Every day he is expected to consume a pound and a quarter of fresh meat, the same amount of bread, four ounces of bacon, three of cheese, from two to eight of vegetables, three of sugar, a quarter of a pound of jam, with tea, salt, pepper, mustard, two ounces of butter twice a week, and a liberal allowance of tobacco. The meat for the English Army is all frozen. The only slaughtering of beef within the lines is done for the men from India, whose meat has to be killed in accordance with caste ritual. Their flour for chapatties has to be brought from India, but they have taken kindly to jam and consume great quantities of it.

The health of all the men, so long as they escape wounds, is better than at home. They fight like heroes and are treated like heroes. The most remarkable progress has been made in prevention of disease. Not only are the men inoculated against typhoid, cholera, smallpox, and tetanus, but the most rigid care is taken to watch the water supply and the sewage disposal. Similar attention is given to the nerves and spirits of the men. What would the old line officers of Wellington's day have thought of giving a whole army hot baths every fortnight under fire, of administering the rest cure, and even furnishing chiropractors, bowlers, and mouth organs? All this is now done with good results. Every moment the men are out of the trenches is devoted to restoring the tremendous wastage caused by the strain of shell fire.

A large jute factory near Ypres has been fitted up as a rest home, accommodating 1,000 exhausted trench fighters at a time. There are baths, dormitories, reading room, dining hall, tailor shop, and other accessories. The author says:

It is an object lesson in efficiency to watch the different stages of the men's progress from mud-caked figures until they become once more the smart soldiers of the recruiting battalions. They are taken to a room which is isolated from the rest of the establishment, leaving their clothes behind them, they dash into the factory to a platform, there, with many manifestations of delight, fourteen at a time they plunge into the huge bleaching vats. . . . With each rubbing and some Swedish exercise, they regain the elasticity of limb lost in the trenches. Then they file through the store-room, receiving an equipment which has been cleaned from toxic substances. Their discarded clothes meanwhile have been put through the great Fresh disinfecting machine. In an adjoining room a hundred refugee Belgian women have been washing their underclothing with every type of improved laundry apparatus. . . . One of the most curious sights to be seen in the whole war is the long lines of factory girls, used to handling lace, waiting outside the factory door for the sound of the whistle calling them to their spot of duty in cleaning the British soldier.

In like manner Mr. Adam describes the life of the French soldiers in the Valley of the Meuse, in the curious villages they have built back of the trenches. Some of these consist of cabins made from wreckage, others of clay wigwags, still others of caves where they at least make a joking pretense of enjoying all the comforts of home. Such are the more cheerful aspects of the picture.

There are other aspects, grim and terrible, as in the chapter where the author describes the ruined towns he has visited in France. He relates various incidents that show that the Germans are patiently laboring to sow distrust of the British in the minds of the French people. The propaganda bureau is busy, he says, and he forewarns his countrymen to discount in advance the German plan, which will surely be made at the peace conference, that severity to Germany would destroy the great buffer between England and the Slav horde.

UNHAPPY POLAND

THE PARTITIONS OF POLAND. By Lord Eversley. With an illustration and four maps. New York: Dodd, Mead & Co.

LORD EVERSLLEY has performed a timely service in writing this compact, critical history of the dismemberment of Poland. In clear, direct, flawless English, without a superfluous word, he tells the story of Poland's downfall from the first covetous moves of Frederick the Great to the present time, when all three aggressors are posing

in white sheets before the world and making fine promises to Poland in case of victory.

Charley, excusing the conduct of Frederick, contended that the ruin of the Polish Nation was God's punishment for its crimes and anarchy. Lord Eversley, writing in a more modern spirit, finds that the internal weakness of Poland was due to "the most vicious Constitution that has ever been devised by man." This Constitution made the King an elective puppet in the hands of the so-called nobles, who ruled through the Diet. No law could be passed by the Diet without a unanimous vote. A single member could defeat the wisest measure merely by rising and saying, "I do not consent." This in itself was enough to paralyze the Government, and other glaring faults helped in the same direction.

In that hour of weakness Poland had the misfortune to have two powerful and aggressive sovereigns as neighbors. Lord Eversley is convinced that the initiative for the partition of 1772 came from Frederick the Great of Prussia, but he admits that the Empress Catherine of Russia was an able second, and the more relentless schemer of the two. It was Catherine who actively prevented the success of a reformed Constitution by both secret and openly armed interference at Warsaw. Maria Theresa of Austria opposed the crime, but took her share of the plunder.

Rapidly the author sketches the events of the second and third partitions, which finished the existence of Poland as a nation in 1793-95. He brings out the curious fact that the death of Poland probably saved the life of France. Austria and Prussia had set out to crush the French Revolution, but their mutual jealousies regarding Poland, skillfully played off against each other by Catherine, caused the failure of their expedition. The whole story of greed and intrigue is one of the most disgraceful in history. Lord Eversley gives the palm for diplomatic skill to Catherine, and that for repeated treachery to Frederick William, who accepted money from England to fight the French revolutionists, and used it to dismember Poland. In the end the author makes this generous distribution of honors.

In apportioning the blame for the crime we are justified in the conclusion that the conduct of Prussia was the most perfidious and mendacious, that of Austria the most cunning and deadly, and that of Russia the most mean and treacherous.

Lord Eversley believes that Prussia and Austria did a very unwise thing, even from the point of view of self-interest, when they helped to destroy the buffer State that lay between them and Russia. He examines the fortunes of the Poles under the three Governments, and finds that Prussia has been their worst oppressor. His sympathies at present are with Russia, but he contents himself with expressing the hope that the congress which brings the present war to a close will not repeat the mistake of the Congress of Vienna by refusing Poland an assured nationality.

ITALY BEFORE THE WAR

EN ITALIA AVANT LA GUERRE. Par Jules Destrée. Préface de Maurice Maeterlinck. Bruxelles et Paris: L. Van Oest et Cie.

L'ALLEMAGNE AVANT LA GUERRE. Par Baron Beyens. Bruxelles et Paris: G. Van Oest et Cie.

BOTH of these French books are by prominent Belgians. Jules Destrée was a Socialist Deputy from Charleroi. Driven into exile by the German invasion, he and his fellow-Deputy, Georges Lorand, went to Italy and began a remarkable campaign to arouse that nation to arms. Maurice Maeterlinck, the poet and essayist, took part in the work and was greeted everywhere by eager crowds, but in his luminous preface to M. Destrée's book he says little about himself and much about the magic power that Destrée wielded over Italian audiences, having been a student at Bologna in his youth, he spoke the language with full command of every idiom, and Maeterlinck is convinced that the six months' agitation by Destrée and Lorand, extending from Venice and Rome to the remotest cities of Sicily, was a powerful element in causing Italy to enter the war on the side of the Allies.

Maeterlinck himself found need of all his tact to avoid offending the quiet Italian temperament, but Destrée, fitting his words to the temper of each audience, had a way of gliding insensibly from a comparison of Flemish and Italian art to the wrongs of Flanders and the outrages committed by the

Germans, so that he carried his hearers with him and was permitted to say everything that was in his heart.

In this book M. Destrée tells the story of his experiences in Italy, with glances at art and architecture, but with an eye mainly to men. There are interviews and character sketches, especially of Italian Socialists—Mussolini, Raymondo, and many others. The author speaks with admiration of the fiery eloquence of d'Annunzio in the anxious days just before Italy decided to declare war.

Baron Beyens was the Belgian Minister at Berlin when the war broke out, and his book is devoted to men and conditions in Germany as he saw them. He gives much space to the Kaiser and various members of the royal family, to political parties, and to the diplomatic events of the "tragic week."

After weighing the evidence, Baron Beyens believes that the ultimatum to Serbia was "imagined in Berlin and executed in Vienna." The German Emperor and his military advisers deliberately decided to profit by a situation which they had long awaited, and which might never come again. The author recalls the fact that at the time of the Agadir incident the German Steel Syndicate petitioned the Chancellor to make war on France, and other industrial leaders clamored for the annexation of Belgium; but the Kaiser's chief motive for war, he believes, was political rather than economic.

FOR FRENCH-CANADIANS

A fine example of what is being done to educate the people of French descent in Canada as to the causes of the war has made its appearance in pamphlet form from the pen of the veteran Quebec journalist, Ulfic Bath.

("Devant le grand jury des nations," par un ancien journaliste, Québec, publié par l'auteur, 15 cents.)

It is a keen and logical analysis in the light of the various White Papers, the Red Books, the Yellow Book, and the Orange Book of the diplomacy which forced the great war on Europe—the Austro-Hungarian rejection of Serbia's reply to the ultimatum of July 23, 1914, Germany's insistence that the matter was a question between Austria and Serbia alone, Russia's determination to defend Serbia if attacked or to submit the matter to arbitration, and the efforts of England and France to demonstrate to Germany that the Austro-Serbian quarrel was not a local matter, since Russia was concerned, but one for adjustment by the Chancelleries of the powers.

All the "papers" and "books" concerned are given in condensed form, with an admirable system of cross references which at once makes accessible to the reader all the material dealing with a given point in the great debate.

An illuminating feature of the introduction is the "deadly parallel" between the facts in the case and their proof, as shown by diplomatic documents, confirming beyond any doubt that Germany had prepared for war, desired war, and had used the Austro-Serbian question to make war inevitable.

The Four in Crete

A humorous account is given by Gertrude H. Begg in "The Four in Crete" of an interesting journey she made, along with three other Americans, to Knossos, Phastos, Candia, and other notable Cretan places. There are about thirty illustrations in the book reproducing drawings by Louise Fougar Marshall. (Abingdon Press. \$1.)

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INTERIOR DECORATION: Its Principles and Practice. By Frank A. Parsons, M. S., President of the New York School of Fine and Applied Art. Illustrated. New York: Doubleday, Page & Co. \$2.

THIS work, written by a recognized authority on the subject of which it treats, may be summed up as a standard book of information for the general public. It is exceedingly simple in its explanations and its statements of basic principle. It is, furthermore, exceedingly strict in its emphasis on the need for better decorative ideals in American homes. It has much to say of the fundamental theories of interior decoration, and it enters with some detail into the definition and history of the various "periods" of decorative and other art. Moreover, it hints of the evolution of American decorative principle in the future. And from cover to cover it is a book, not for the decorator or the artist, but for the householder himself.

Mr. Parsons goes on the cheering assumption that 95 per cent. of the Americans who "use a house" are really "artists"; this is in the sense of appreciating beauty and ability to group beautiful things together. That a large proportion of that same 95 per cent. is in need of information on the mere principles of decorating is, as an equal assumption, inherent in Mr. Parsons's book. But he makes it plain that he considers the possibility of evolving really beautiful homes—whether they are mansions or cottages or city flats—be after all a simple matter, and that he believes in America's ability to produce a truly fine new "period" of its own. He begins, therefore, with basic principles. He emphasizes, first of all, the necessity for a structural purpose in decoration as in building. On this foundation of structural use all decoration must be arranged, and Mr. Parsons is quick to point out in his introduction the vast difference between "decorating" and "ornamenting" a house. He is severe on "ornamentation." His first plan is to get rid of ugly things—no matter how old they may be or how closely interwoven with family sentiment. He begins with a thoroughgoing process of elimination as a basic need. And then he goes on to explain the principles of color, the values of different colors, their decorative influence, their relation to the "decorative idea"; of form and their relation to housemaking; of balance and movement; of emphasis; of unity; and then, in detail, of the uses of various textures, of scales and motifs. He goes into the vexing "little things" of modern house decoration—how to frame pictures and how to hang them, how to arrange curtains, the various methods of lighting the modern home, the choice and placing of furniture and "decorative objects" alike. He cites the principle which should govern the arrangement of the house down to very small details.

About half of the book is taken up with these simple and valuable pieces of general and specific instruction. As we have pointed out, "Interior Decoration" is a volume for the average householder—the man or woman who wants a beautiful place to live in (whether with large or small expenditure) and who wants to learn the principles on which a living place may be made beautiful. It is an informative work that may well be called a general textbook of decoration—a textbook for the man who wants to beautify his own house.

The other half of the book takes up the famous "periods." After an introductory chapter on the ideas of the periods, Mr. Parsons offers his readers simple and interesting information as to what the "periods" have been. For, he says, they "have been treated as strange and incomprehensible, too deep and mysterious for anything but unquestioning admiration and slavish copy." He makes clear their essential qualities.

In America, Mr. Parsons concludes, we are entering upon a "new Renaissance." After sketching the history of our Colonial decoration, our disquieting period, our craze for French styles, our adoption of the English manner, he adds this interesting touch of prophecy: "At present we are entering upon a new era in this country. Neither the French styles nor the English express exactly what the most refined and educated person in any walk of life desires to express in his living room, bedroom, dining room, or library. A strong tendency is apparent to return to the first principles of the Italian Renaissance. In them are found certain structural and decorative facts which are fundamental in all periods which have followed. The thoughtful student must analyze this Italian Renaissance, and he will find that the Classic, the Christian, and the Humanistic influences must be separately considered in order to form any estimate of its meaning. The coming period in American art will be one in which the intellect and the feelings of a cultivated people with limitless resources will both assert themselves in the expression of the modern house. No period will be copied in its entirety. Each period will be studied." "Interior Decoration" is very beautifully

Illustrated with pictures and "elevations" of various kinds of rooms. It gives promise of being a most valuable volume of its kind.

JANE CLEGG

JANE CLEGG. A play in three acts, by St. John Ervine. New York: Henry Holt & Co. Price \$2.50.

SIMPLE, skilful, sincere, observant, human, calm, and quite dismal, "Jane Clegg" is an interesting sample of the modern school of naturalistic English drama. It is a new three-act play by St. John Ervine, the first of his to be published in this country. Originally it was produced more than two years ago at the Gaiety Theatre in Manchester by the admirable repertory company there resident. Jane Clegg is the idealistic, unromantic, spiritual rather than gamine wife of a weak, soft-moraled London clerk of whom she quietly disposes when her own economic independence makes the course possible.

Sure-footed and respectful, Mr. Ervine follows in the path blazed by Galsworthy and Barker. They have led the rebellion against the false romance and hollow theatricalism of a passing day. They have shown for what they like to call the normal drama. It is their disciples who sometimes achieve what might be called a subnormal drama. There are traces of this under-nourished condition in the ascetic work of this playwright, whose contribution to the contemporary theatre is assignable, of course, to the Manchester group. It is interesting that that city should have given its name to a succession of plays wherein you feel constantly as background the oppressive presence of the English industrialism now undergoing as fearful a strain—a sort of permanent intellectual back-drop which accounts naturally for the fact that on all their theatrical properties—if you run your finger over them—you find not dust nor gilt, but a thin layer of gray soil.

WALES

WALES, HER ORIGIN, STRUGGLES, AND LATER HISTORY, INSTITUTIONS, AND MANNERS. By Sir John Gwynedd. Introduction by the Right Honorable the Earl of Bessborough. New York: Frederick A. Stokes Company. \$2.50.

IN his complete and scholarly study of the history of Wales Mr. Stone's main effort is to bring into view the notable features of Welsh nationalism and to exhibit their sources. We are asked to consider the Welsh of the present day, notwithstanding their relations to the United Kingdom and the British Empire, a distinct people—in other words to accept the view that the nationalism of Wales has survived her absorption into the United Kingdom. Touching on the point in the introduction he contributes to Mr. Stone's work the Right Hon. Ellis J. Griffith remarks:

Any person not of the country itself but coming into Wales from the outside is immediately conscious of the fact that he has entered a strange country. It may well be that he has come into a district which like Ireland speaks the English language; still none the less will he feel that the people are in some strange and subtle way in permanent contrast with the English people themselves. It would be difficult to define the difference in any detail; most people would be content to

say it was in atmosphere, which means little or nothing.

But we know the causes which have produced the effect—the differences of which have been at work in molding the character of the people of the British Isles; they have believed and worked for things of their own; they have lived and died for their own distinct ideal; their memories are different, and so to a large extent, are their dreams and their hopes; and he who comes to them from other lands and other peoples immediately becomes aware of this independence of soul, if not of political organization.

It may help to an understanding of this survival of Welsh nationalism if we consider the case of Belgium. It is quite probable that Belgium will be permanently absorbed by Germany. But if the absorption should take place, and there should be no considerable colonization of Germans in that country, the Belgians would continue indefinitely a separate and independent people in respect to their sentiments and their aspirations; their nationalism would not have been destroyed by their political subjugation.

It can hardly be said, however, that if Belgium's future should turn out according to this hypothesis, the future historian would find in her nationalism a field as interesting as that afforded in Wales. The Welsh have an unusually interesting national history; no people in Europe has an older history nor a history that appeals so strongly to the intelligent man and woman of today. Mr. Stone seems to have succeeded admirably in his study of this ancient and honorable people.

SCOUT LAW IN PRACTICE

THE SCOUT LAW IN PRACTICE. By Arthur A. Carey. Boston: Little, Brown & Co. 50 cents.

Although Mr. Carey's handy volume is intended especially for the use of Boy Scout leaders, making for their benefit an exposition of the Scout oath and law, the book might very well find a place close to the hand of every parent and every teacher. For it could not fail to stimulate them to fresh effort in that character training which is so largely in their hands and to help them much by its practical pointing out of ideas, principles, and methods. The basic idea of the book is insistence upon the obligations of honor whenever the choice lies between it and self-interest. The author makes a very clear, simple, and direct exposition of the ideas of honor and of duty to one's country, showing how, in a way that would appeal to any boy, they can be made the guiding principles of his own life. Other chapters take up the Scout oath and the Scout law, analyzing them and showing how to make practical, everyday application of their principles. A brief foreword is contributed by James H. West, Chief Scout Executive of the Boy Scouts of America.

NEUTRAL RIGHTS AT SEA

THE PROTECTION OF NEUTRAL RIGHTS AT SEA. Documents on the Naval Warfare. Introduction by William R. Shepherd. New York: Sturgis & Walton Company. 50 cents.

In convenient pamphlet form are here gathered together the communications of the American Government to the European Governments and their replies upon matters connected with the rights of the United States, as a neutral nation, at sea. Many of the summaries are taken from the columns of THE NEW YORK TIMES. The documents have been edited and arranged by William R. Shepherd, Professor of History in Columbia University, who writes also an introduction in which he examines judicially the contentions of the several parties to the controversy, showing upon what bases they make

their demands and what are the rights of each one. He closes his short but lucid and interesting review with a few sentences calling attention to the important position held by the United States in this conflict as the champion of the rights of neutral nations in times of war. He thinks that the United States, if it cannot secure just treatment for neutral nations by its individual protests, should "arrange for the meeting of a congress of such nations to draw up a statement of the principles that justice demands should be observed by the nations at war." It would be within the possibilities of such a congress, he believes, to "put a milestone on the pathway of progress toward universal peace."

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THE YEAR'S BOOKS

WITH half the world in arms, what will happen—what has happened—to literature? Like every other peaceful occupation, the making of books is bound to reflect, in one way or another, the crisis through which civilization is passing. Time enough has elapsed since the memorable outbreak of the war in Europe for those absorbed in the study of such matters to discern and analyze something of the effect of these transforming events upon the intellectual life of the world. Famous authors have made forecasts of the ultimate result of the war to literature. There have been symposiums on the subject, and, as prophesy always offers a pleasing and harmless occupation to those gifted with imagination, we have seen literature made over into shapes fantastic or prosaic, offering a diversity so striking that the mere seeker after information must be perplexed indeed by the contradictions presented to him from eminent authorities. Meanwhile, like everything else that is dependent upon human effort, literature is already undergoing changes directly due to the war. It needs the collector of facts rather than the prophet to interpret the great conflict in terms of books. For the influence of the war on literature has become amply apparent in the changes that have actually taken place in the character of the publications in nearly every department of literature during the last twelve months. From time to time we have noted certain of these developments, but the modifying influences through which literature is passing are so important that a more thoroughgoing and exhaustive survey seems to be necessary. To furnish such an analysis of the year's books to its readers will be the prime object of THE NEW YORK TIMES REVIEW OF BOOKS in its special Holiday Number, to be published on the 28th of November. For years booklovers have been accustomed to rely upon this publication to guide them through the mazes of current literature. This season its practical value in this respect will, it is believed, be greater than ever. Thus an annotated list will be given of 200 leading books of the year, carefully chosen to represent every department of literature; there will be a continuation of THE BOOK REVIEW's valuable bibliography of the war, bringing the latter up to the 1st of December, and, for the special benefit of holiday book buyers, descriptive articles will be furnished covering the Christmas gift books for young and old. Besides these features there will be authoritative reviews of the year's achievements in such leading departments of literature as history and biography, poetry, fiction, education, &c. In all of these fields the influence of the momentous events through which we are passing is making itself felt, and a re-

cord of the changes that are already apparent is of importance in gauging the future course of literature.

THE publication, in revised form, of the "Short History of the English People," by J. R. GREEN, in Everyman's Library is a noteworthy undertaking. During the forty years of its existence—the original edition appeared in 1874—GREEN's work has held an enviable position among the histories of England. In its methods of presentation it inaugurated a welcome departure from the traditions observed by historians, and in placing the people rather than a long line of Kings in the centre of the stage it was guided by the innovative spirit of democracy. As it will appear in the two-volume Everyman edition, the "Short History" will have the benefit of Mr. L. CECIL JAMES's revision, together with an appendix, by R. P. FARLEY, in which is given a summary of events from the battle of Waterloo to the end of the nineteenth century. History is very much to the fore in these days, and a revised edition of so important a work as this is sure of a welcome. The task of the reviser was undertaken, necessarily, before the outbreak of the war, although its completion must have been reached within the last twelve months. It will be interesting to note how nearly the present conflict will be foreshadowed in Mr. FARLEY's summary.

ENGLISH critics are devoting more attention than ever before to the literature of Russia. The revived interest may be due to the friendship that has sprung up during the past year between the two nations as a result of the intimacies growing out of allied warfare; or it may be, as one critic declares, on account of a "great artistic and literary revival in the Slav empire." The same critic asserts that "from the signs and portents of the last few years some observers have predicted an Augustan Age" in Russia. Whether or not this estimate is due solely to the enthusiasm of the moment, there is no doubt that translations from the Russian are occupying an increasing place among the season's publications—and it is worth noting, as bearing on the "Augustan Age" view of the matter, that many of these translations are of works of living authors and not merely of those Russian classics that have gone out of print here and in England. In whatever way we regard it, the revival of Russian literature with us is an important feature of the book season and one that shows no sign as yet of having run its course.

IT is difficult to gauge the popularity of fiction that is written in a series of volumes, more or less connected in theme, character, and incident, but we cannot withhold our appreciation of the energy and ambition of the novelist who enters voluntarily upon so laborious a venture as that involved in this method of production. One qualification before the mere physical bulk of such trifles as "Clayhanger" or "Jacob Stahl," but these are as nothing compared to a real fiction series. Perhaps the longest instance of the latter has just been completed by Mr. EDEN PHILLIPPS in his "Epic of Dartmoor," an English critic calls it, a series of novels that fill twenty-five volumes. And now that he has successfully turned the corner with this great enterprise—and certainly his Dartmoor stories are in every sense worthy to be called successful—Mr. PHILLIPPS is starting another series, romances written around England's industries. "Brunel's Tower," the first of these, had the Devonshire potteries for its theme; it is followed this year by "Old Delabole," a tale of the Cornish slate quarries. Mr. PHILLIPPS has the faculty of always interesting his readers. His characters are vividly drawn, and his plots are well worth the unraveling. His new series ought to result in excellent fiction, as well as a picturesque record of industrial England. Of course, the series idea is not new with novelists. BALZAC's "Comédie Humaine" furnishes the classic instance of its employment, and the lover of romance will recall with delight the d'Artagnan stories of DUMAS. The character of the series attempted by Mr. PHILLIPPS, however, is essentially a modern development.

LATEST PUBLICATIONS

Books Received During the Week Ended Oct. 23 Classified and Annotated According to Contents

History and Biography

MY ADVENTURES AS A SPY. By Lieut. Gen. Sir Robert Baden-Powell. 12mo. Philadelphia: J. B. Lippincott Company. \$1.

An autobiographical record illustrated by the author's drawings and diagrams.

THE ROMANCE OF THE SPANISH MAIN. By Norman J. Davidson. 8vo. Philadelphia: J. B. Lippincott Company. \$1.50.

An illustrated account of some of the famous buccaners.

THE LETTERS OF WASHINGTON IRVING TO HENRY BREVOORT. Edited by George E. Heilman. Two volumes. 8vo. New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons.

A series of letters to Irving's friend. The earliest date is October, 1807.

HENRY CODMAN POTTER. By George Hodges. 8vo. New York: The Macmillan Company. \$2.50.

A biography of the late Bishop of New York by the Dean of the Episcopal Theological School.

PLEASURES AND PALACES: THE MEMOIRS OF PRINCESS LAZAROVICH-HERZOGIN VON VICH. 8vo. New York: The Century Company. \$2.

The author is an American who achieved success as an actress in London and Paris, and who afterward married the Serbian statesman whose name she now bears.

THE TRIST ARMOIR. By Elliot O'Donnell. 8vo. New York: E. P. Dutton & Co. \$2.50.

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SOME MUSICIANS OF FORMER DAYS. By Richard Lush. 12mo. New York: Henry Holt & Co. \$1.50.

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FOUR PLAYS. By Emile Augier. Translated by Barrett H. Clark. 12mo. New York: Alfred Knopf. \$1.00.

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A POET WHOSE POPULARITY IS GROWING

Sympathetic and Scholarly Interpretation of Robert Browning's Works by Professor William Lyon Phelps

BROWNING: HOW TO KNOW HIM. By William Lyon Phelps. With portrait. Indianapolis: The Bobbs-Merrill Company, \$1.50.

IN these days of great emotional stress over the whole world, poetry of all degrees of merit is being constantly written, is constantly seeking a public. Only yesterday men prated sadly of the age of prose, but the war has changed all that. There is still a kind of impatience of contemplative verse. The dreamer by the quiet stream is forgotten. But the clear-voiced singer of brave songs is heard.

So it is not perhaps surprising that in the welter of contemporary verse we can yet turn with interest to a study of Robert Browning, the greatest poet, as some think, of the recent past, the most definitely tonic force in English literature since Shakespeare. Undoubtedly Browning is at present read more widely, more as a matter of course, and with more enjoyment and ease of understanding, than ever before.

To this enjoyment and ease of understanding Professor Phelps has contributed much in this country during the years of teaching, directly to some thousands of young men who have listened to him at Yale, and indirectly through them to a wider circle. His new book brings to those of us who have not had the privilege of hearing him a fresh delight in finding keen judgment, painstaking, but not dull, interpretation, and the ripe wisdom and pleasant humor of the true scholar set to so convincing a tale. To his former students the volume must reconstruct for the imagination many hours in the lecture room, hours of new ideas and recognitions of genius.

Professor Phelps has followed a familiar order of presentation—the poet's life, his the order, and his representative writings—in a thoroughly satisfactory way. And he closes the volume with a very interesting and just chapter on Browning's optimism, the quality which he thinks most inclusive in the poet's character and most influential in his work. About sixty poems are given entire, and appear in the text following the explanatory matter, not collected at the end of the book, to be laboriously sought after the interpretation has been read. No apology is made for the omission, at first surprising, of any formal analysis or criticism of the longer poems and dramas; they could hardly be included in a work of this scope. But they are briefly discussed in relation to the poet's life, and frequently referred to in explanation of Browning's theories as expressed in the shorter poems.

Though the book is conventional in plan, however, it is not so in content. What gives it significance is the quality of sympathy in Professor Phelps's writing, sympathy with his subject and with his audience, which makes for what one may call a psychological accuracy of criticism.

"Browning's life," we are told, "was healthy, comfortable, and happy." And again: "No man, little or great, was ever more free from pose." He was "studiously normal." On this pleasant foundation of usualness in circumstance and appearance he built our interest in the man himself, in his intensity of nature, his eager humanity, and the absorbed affection he lavished on all life—art, music, scholarship, romance, religion, personalities of every type, high or low or merely commonplace—no matter what, so long as it was life.

"You must learn Robert," says Mrs. Browning in a letter to Mrs. Jameson, quoted by Professor Phelps, "as if he were a chess-board." And the quotation might almost stand as a motto to this book. It brims with Browning's vitality and erudition. He wrote with intention in the objective manner, but we know him by his subjects and his treatment of them, as we

learn a man from his conversation. Few are they whose talk fetches so wide a circle.

Sufficient credit for Browning's intellectual attainments is given to the poet's parents, his musically gifted mother and his somewhat astonishing father, the scholarly business man who took time to teach his little son many things in play or work. It seems almost a pity not to have quoted in this first chapter at least the opening lines of "Development," the poet's reminiscent tribute to his mother:

My father was a scholar and knew Greek,
When I was five years old I asked him
"What do you read about?" "The Sieges
of Troy."
"What is a siege, and what is Troy?"
He piled up chairs and tables for a town,
Set me a-top for Priam, called our cat
Helen, snatched away from home."
This taught me who was who and what
was what.

Could anything be more modern? Naturally, at 12 he was reading Homer.

"One of the reasons why his poetry sometimes seems so pedantic," says Professor Phelps with gentle irony, "is because he never realized how ignorant most of us are. . . . I suppose he did not believe that men could pass years in school and university training and know so little." But we are not allowed to lay the flattering unction to our souls that Browning was a prig. "He was profoundly learned without pedantry and without conceit," and he was primarily a social being. He enjoyed fencing, boxing, riding, and dancing; Elizabeth Barrett is said to have found it "difficult to imagine the author of 'Paracelsus' dancing the polka."

The story of Browning's courtship and marriage is sympathetically and gracefully told. And the poem, "One Word More," is made a part of it, as the most personal thing in his works, directly addressed to the poet-wife who fulfilled for him every ideal and confirmed him as a poet of love.

It is in fact, to Browning's treatment of love that Professor Phelps finds the most comprehensive expression of his philosophy. The story of "Cristina"—which covers twice as many pages as that of "Rabbi Ben Ezra," and is, perhaps, the best thing in the book—is a good illustration. It points out in this story of a sudden and unrequited love "four of Browning's fundamental articles of faith: the doctrine of the elective affinities; of success through failure; the doctrine that time is measured by the intensity of spiritual experiences; the doctrine that life on earth is a trial and a test the result of which will be seen in the higher and happier development when the soul is freed."

After analyzing the poet's theory of poetry as the chronicle of "the stages of all life," of inspiration as drawn "not from a mountain or the stars, but from all sorts and conditions of men"; after reminding us that "active celebration on the part of the listener or the reader is essential," Professor Phelps writes thus confidently: "It is interesting to remember that Browning, of all poets most intellectual, should be, so predominantly the poet of love. This passion is the motive power of his verse, as his belief in it to be the motive power of the universe. It is natural, for love is the essence of force and does not spring from effeminate weakness or feeble delicacy." Browning's rejected lovers are "such splendid fellows," and are compared to Emerson's peevish heroes, much to the disadvantage of the latter. "Love Among the Ruins," by many considered his masterpiece, shows "the ephemeral nature of civilization and the permanent fact of love." The chapter closes with a comment on "Summum Bonum": "A great and daring lyric."

In Browning's philosophy . . . Love is the supreme fact, and every manifestation of it on earth, from the Divine incarnation down to a chance meeting of

lovers, is more important than any other event or idea.

This last statement illumines the whole series of religious poems as well, and, taken broadly, makes clear a hundred doubtful passages. But it hardly justifies Professor Phelps's attribution of a religious motive to Forphyria's lover. The lines will be recalled: That moment she was mine, mine, mine, Fairly and pure, and good: I found. A thing to do . . .

So "if he lets her go, she will surely fall from grace, and become a lost soul. He struggles her with her fellow hair, risking damnation for her salvation."

In Professor Phelps himself being obscurely figurative or does he mean what he says? In the face of reverend authority one feels like the little boy who said his father's "must" made him feel "won't" all over."

Under the well-chosen heading "Poems of Paradox," Professor Phelps discusses "The Glove" with brisk and charming commentary, and "The Statue and the Bust," that stumbling block of Browning Club moralists, with deep appreciation and a few lines on purpose in life in which one feels the writer's understanding and sympathy for young men. Clive is a glorification of physical courage. It is hard to resist quoting the following line bit of psychology:

The courage of soldiers in the mass seems sublime, but it is the commonest thing on earth; all nations show it; it is probably an inexplicable compound of discipline, pride, shame, and rage; but individuals differ from one another as sharply in courage as they do in mental ability. In these physical virtues Clive has never been surpassed, and Browning, who loved the manly virtues, saw in this corrupt and cruel man a great hero.

It is this emphasis on purpose and courage which makes Browning a tonic and a stimulant. It is his belief in "God and Truth and Love," which makes him an optimist. In his liturgy for dramatic form we find just his love of humanity expressed in the concrete rather than the abstract. "When Browning is interested in any doctrine or system of thought he creates a person to illustrate it." Sometimes rising to the sublimity of religious exaltation, as in *Soul*, sometimes groveling with Caliban, "the absolute and convinced pessimist," who "judges the whole order of the universe from proximate and superficial evidences."

The whole passage on "Caliban Upon Setebos" is both witty and penetrating. But all will not agree with Professor Phelps's view of the original Caliban:

Shakespeare made the monster for decorative purposes, to satisfy his love of the grotesque, as an architect placed gargoyles on a cathedral; the grotesque is an organic part of romantic art. Browning is interested not in Caliban's appearance, but in his processes of thought.

The interpretations of "Rabbi Ben Ezra," "Abt Vogler," and "Prosperio" should be read entire. They are too good to be broken by quotation. We wish that Professor Phelps had expanded his commentary on "Abt Vogler" and had given his idea of its relation to the other poems on music, which he merely names.

The book closes, as one might say Browning's life closed, with the beautiful and inspiring epilogue to *Acoland*, the wonderful lines that have brought and will bring courage and hope to so many in the remembrance that the great poet

Held we fall to rise, are baffled to fight better,
Sleep to wake.

Not since Stephen Brooke's remarkable volume of mingled analysis and rhapsody has any work on Browning been published which is likely to reach with effect so wide an audience as this book of Professor Phelps's. He has certainly fulfilled the purpose he expresses at the close of his account of Brown-

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son, our hero has arranged that the secret of his formula shall be automatically released if within forty-eight hours he does not emerge from somewhere in Germany where the Kaiser has come to meet him in a Zepplin. In vain does imperial craft seek to wheedle from Richard Warden the composition of his incomparable mixture. The democratic young American, looking majesty straight in the eye, rebukes it for brutality, and uses such language that the Emperor is constrained to say that Warden's ignorance of court etiquette makes him impertinent. However, with a generosity born of a noble nature, the chemist who holds the fate of nations in his power, speaks to the ruler with deference when a group of brilliantly uniformed officers approach.

Touched by such magnanimity, the Kaiser remarks, when the suite has withdrawn:

"I noted the respect with which you addressed me in the presence of my staff, which I appreciated."

It does not prove necessary to subject all Germany to the laughing gas treatment for four hours and thus permit it to be run over by the Allies, for the War Lord makes peace and also apologizes to the "good President of the United States" for sending a rude ultimatum. Warden reaps a reward of \$10,000,000 from the coalition, wins his \$100,000 wager, and gets a bonus for his work in connection with the submarine. Also, he gains the love and the entire approval of Miss Mary Berwin, who tells him that she thinks it is perfectly wonderful to be a hero. In the expression of tender emotions Mr. Warden is not at his best, but in the unfolding of his story of modern magic he is ever plausible and interesting.

HARDING OF ALLENWOOD

HARDING OF ALLENWOOD. By Harold Binders. With Frontispiece. Frederick A. Stokes Company. \$1.90 net.

WHEN Craig Harding first came to Allenwood he was not received with open arms. Quite the contrary, in fact. For Harding was, apparently, a mere farmer from "the States," and Allenwood was an aristocratic settlement founded by Colonel Mowbray in order that a select and chosen few might lead in Saskatchewan the lives of English country gentlemen, a type of existence from which their modest means debarred them elsewhere. At Allenwood they could hunt and fish and live in the open air, with a little farming on the side. This plan worked well for several years and Allenwood flourished, but even before the advent of Harding a hint of change was in the air. The price of wheat had fallen and was steadily going down, with the result that those who had small private incomes or none at all were finding it impossible to make ends meet. Then Harding bought the land adjoining one of the Allenwood boundaries, Harding with his steam plow and his "commercial" ideas, abhorred of Colonel Mowbray. To complicate the situation yet more, Colonel Mowbray had a beautiful daughter and an utter worthless son. How the latter nearly wrecked Allenwood and his sister's happiness and how both were saved by Harding, the intruder, the story tells.

The book gives an interesting account of the difficulties of farming in Saskatchewan, with the long, bitter winters and the short, hot summers, the sandstorms, hailstorms, and droughts. There is, too, a rather well done sketch of Winnipeg, and, of course, the usual blizzards and hair-breadth escapes. Harding is a manly hero, and the rest of the characters play their somewhat stereotyped parts sufficiently well. Those who have enjoyed Mr. Binders' other books will be sure to like this one.

THE CROWN OF LIFE

THE CROWN OF LIFE. By Gordon Arthur Smith. Charles Scribner's Sons. \$1.25 net.

THIS is the story of a young American girl, a New Englander with a background of traditions, who revolted from the conventions of her kind only to return to them when at the last she "found herself." Ruth Rollworthy is an orphan, one of the Holliworths of East Westley, a family which had played an important and creditable part in the making of American history. Her father and

mother, who died in swift succession when she was about 14, had lived in the old Holliworth homestead and found life "a pleasant pastime." Ruth, left to the care of her two maiden aunts and with an income of her own of about six thousand a year, finds East Westley something of a trial, and presently goes to live in Boston with her friend, Mrs. Rudolph. When she is about 19 she and Mrs. Rudolph take a trip to Paris, and it is there that she has the adventure which so nearly wrecks her life.

Ruth herself is the crux of the novel; a clever girl who strives to adopt a character not her own, to be witty, flippant, cynical, and smart. She believes thoroughly in her charm, in the power of her beauty—and no wonder, considering the way men fall in love with her—and in her ability "to take care of herself." She is carefully studied and developed, and it is only at the very last that one doubts the truth of the author's portrayal, wonders a little whether he has not obliged her to conform to his two theories, viz., that men and women should remain in their natural habitat, clinging firmly to their traditions, and that "the blessing which passeth all understanding is that of peace." One cannot quite see vivid, eager Ruth as contented in an existence which "became . . . a pleasant pastime."

Although rather too long, the book is very well written. It contains an interesting glimpse of life in Boston, and some of those colorful pictures of Paris and the French to which the revelations of the present war furnish so ironical a comment. There are several excellently drawn characters, and the novel as a whole is interesting and worth while.

THE SONG OF THE LARK

THE SONG OF THE LARK. By Willa Sibert Cather. Houghton Mifflin Company. \$1.50 net.

MISS CATHER'S new novel is a history rather than a story—the history from childhood to womanhood of one who was destined to become a great singer. Thea Kronborg was born in America, but of Swedish descent. When we first meet her she is a little girl 11 years old, one of a family of seven children. Her father is the minister of the Methodist church in a little town called Moonstone in Colorado. It is in Colorado, in this little frontier town, that Thea's childhood is spent, far away, it would seem, from any of the influences that might aid in developing a musician, but as Ray Kennedy tells her, "there are a lot of half-way people in this world who help the winners win and the losers fail." Many of these half-way people play important parts in Thea's career. Ray himself, who tragically provides the \$600 which takes Thea to Chicago and Harasanyi; Professor Wunsch, the wanderer and dreamer, who laid the foundation of her musical education and laid it thoroughly and well; Dr. Archie, who not only helped her, but attained a certain success of his own; Spanish Johnny, the Mexican—these and several other assist her on her way, wittingly or unwittingly, and some of them at least are able to rejoice in her triumph when at the last a great audience at the Metropolitan Opera House "met her with a roar" when she came before the curtain after the first act of "Die Walküre."

But this is the history of Thea's beginnings, not of her triumphs; of how a "Moonstone girl found her way out of a vague, easy-going world into a life of disciplined endeavor." The discipline, often self-imposed, is, however, there from the very first; in the little girl who took piano lessons from old Professor Wunsch and never let herself be baffled by any difficulty; in Bowers's accompanist, who hated and despised many of the popular singers he taught for their facile tricks, which served to cheapen the art, the ideals she loved. The very leisurely method of narration gives abundant space for every little detail of Thea's daily life and environment from her eleventh to her twentieth year. Moonstone, the canyon in Arizona where the ancient people, the cliff dwellers, once lived and from which Thea got a sense of antiquity, of history, and the early, pathetic reaching out of humanity toward something it could feel but very dimly; Chicago, Harasanyi's studio, and at last New York, when, after ten years in Germany, Thea returns as the great singer, to meet and struggle against the petty malices and jealousies of the Op-

era House—all these are well and clearly pictured.

It is a very ambitious book, this novel of Miss Cather; big, mature, carefully and conscientiously worked out. Thea herself is an admirably drawn character, and most of the people we encounter while following her career—the career she strove so hard to attain, sacrificing other things and proving to it with a certain steady, calm ruthlessness—are real human beings. Her mother and Thea are especially well done, and ought each to have at least a paragraph to herself. The style is clear and occasionally forceful, the descriptions vivid and full of color. "The Song of the Lark" is interesting and decidedly worth reading.

OFF SANDY HOOK

OFF SANDY HOOK AND OTHER STORIES. By Richard Dehan. New York: Frederick A. Stokes Company. \$1.25.

THIS is a collection of English satires which has nothing whatever to do with the approach to New York Harbor. It has in it nothing of the sea, nothing of New York, nothing of America. And its initial tale, the story of a joke played by a ship's officer on a young newspaper man, is one of the least clever in the book. The prospective reader should be informed of all this, for the volume is peculiarly ill-named, and the person who likes sea tales, New York tales, or off-shore tales of any kind will be the last person in the world to enjoy "Off Sandy Hook." Given quite other tastes, there is entertainment in Richard Dehan's new collection of short stories.

For these, are, for the most part, clever little bits at English society, and, in some numbers, things at bright lights of the opera and music hall stage. In several instances Miss Graves combines the two as objects of her wit, and presents us with a younger son or two dancing in the glare of those same bright lights and amusingly getting the worst of it in consequence. Indeed, the author of "Off Sandy Hook" (who is Clotilde Graves in private life and "Richard Dehan" on book covers) may be said quite decidedly to have it in for younger sons—impudent, stupid, worthless, charming, lovable appendages to titled houses that do not know what to do with them.

Her younger sons trim bats and marry chorus girls and make love to rich widows and quarrel with their relatives and turn their family traditions upside down and have a tremendous amount of fun poked at them generally; but things always turn out well for them in the end. Richard Dehan's satire is never bitter, and there is nothing really caustic in her wit; she has a very kindly feeling toward these helpless boys, these troubled Duchesses, these frail and lovely ornaments of either titled or "professional" society; and whatever her satire may play upon them in her stories, there is always an affectionate "happy ending" which promises lifelong bliss to all. Freddy the aesthete, who turned milliner when fortune frowned; Cadmus the dyspeptic, who ate a lady's love letter to save her reputation; Valcourt the enfant terrible, who was anything but childlike in the management of affairs d'occur; Gerald Candlish, who loved a dancing fay—at these and other heroes Miss Graves gives right merrily, but with never-failing gentleness. The tales are as light and foolish bits of satire as one may find in the longest rainy day—and they will make the longest rainy day pass more gayly.

It is hard to forgive any author the American Duchess of one of the stories, who says "I guess" in every other sentence, who is repeatedly guilty of "curus," "cermony," "N' York," "vurry," and "liberal," and whose dictionary knows no final "s." But none of the characters in these frivolous tales are very real. "Off Sandy Hook" is not meant to be "convincing." Its purpose is to amuse.

THREE GIRLS

IN the three following novels three different kinds of the genus girl make the book. Each one in her own story inspires the action, does much of it herself, fills the centre of the picture, and almost succeeds in being the whole of the story. In their social

setting and in their activities they are widely different, but they are all alike in their staunch loyalty to those they love.

In "A Wild Goose Chase," (Duffield & Co., \$1.25,) Edwin Balmer tells a story of the frozen North in which a Chicago girl seeks for her lover who has been lost for four years among the ice fields, the snow plains, and the Eskimo villages of the arctic. A white arctic goose shot in Louisiana has tied to its leg a bit of oiled silk on which the lost man had picked her name and address and signed his name with the message that he was well. The goose is sent to her, and at once she decides to search for him. A wealthy young man who has vainly sought to win her love bargains with her to furnish the money needed for the expedition if she will agree to marry him should the search end in disappointment. Most of the action takes place in the arctic, where they endure many hardships and face death by starvation. The narrative is graphic, there are many thrilling incidents, and the author contrives by several unexpected turns to keep the reader in suspense as to the outcome. The girl goes with the expedition, shares in all the perils and hardships, and shows herself always a strong, brave woman.

Margaret Cooper, whose "My Lady of the Chinese Courtyard" attracted some attention last year, has written a fresh, sweet-smelling little story of a New York dancing girl, called "Living Up to Billy" (Frederick A. Stokes Company, \$1), that shows how the good in a human soul, if it has some encouragement, can grow and become a power in evil environments. The girl tells her story herself in naïve, girlish letters to her sister, who is in the penitentiary. The sister is a thief, her husband is a thief, and the father of the two women is a criminal. But the younger sister reveals herself as possessing an unalloyed soul and longings in a dim sort of way, at the start, for clean surroundings. Then "Billy" is brought to her, the baby of her convict sister, and from that moment the child and her determination to give him the people and the sur-

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roundings she thinks he ought to have dominated her life. And by wanting this thing hard enough she really makes it true, with many mishaps by the way and many backsets that discourage her for the time. She tells the story of it all to the sister in prison with much bad grammar and frequent lapses into the slang of crooks. The sketches in with a light hand, vivid, little pictures of her life as a dancing girl, working her way up from east side dance halls to Broadway shows, and gives also naive views of country life on a Jersey farm as it looks to the eyes of a child of the streets who has never before been off of Manhattan Island. All the time she is living up to her determination to do the best she can for Billy, and the effort keeps her soul above the mire around her and by its own purity and unselfishness helps to regenerate other lives. The author has done a difficult thing with notable cleverness. For she has realized the girl, making her seem very much alive, and shown her as spreading her sweetness, purifying influence with simplicity and uncondemned.

The girl in Kay Cleaver Strahan's "Peggy-Mary" (Duffield & Co., \$1.25) is a butterfly sort of young creature, against whom the author unfortunately produces the reader early in the tale by the glib, like manner of description. She is adored by everybody who comes within the circle of her influence, and she is so beautiful that the mere sight of her has weird effects upon those whose eyes she has cast upon. She does unexpected things at every turn, and her butterfly wings flutter daintily over and through and above and around every page of the story. The half-dozen chapters are so many sections out of her life, and present her, in a pretty exaggerated sort of style, as being the centre of her adoring family circle, the other members of which live only to worship at her shrine. But she also, with all her fluffy, girly-girliness, proves that she can be stanch and true.

THE OFFICIAL CHAPERON

THE OFFICIAL CHAPERON. By Natalie B. Lincoln. Illustrated. D. Appleton & Co., \$1.50 net.

Mrs. Calderon Fordyce was a very charming woman, but she had been seriously injured in a railway accident—so seriously, indeed, that she had become a hunchback. Consequently she was unable to go about with her pretty daughter, Janet, upon her "Washington society." But she did not wish Janet to go around alone, so she decided to engage an "official chaperon" for her in the person of Miss Marjorie Langdon, the daughter of an old schoolmate, whose father had met with financial reverses. Marjorie was only 24, but she knew Washington society through and through, was very popular, had lovely manners, and plenty of poise. Mrs. Fordyce and Janet were both delighted with her, and after her advent there began a series of mysterious thefts, and she had been dismissed by her first employer, Admiral Lawrence, on account of the disappearance of a valuable paper. Many people, however, believed in her and took her part, and being the heroine of the novel, she of course proved worthy of their confidence.

The plot is complicated and quite ingenious, but some of the incidents put rather a severe strain on the reader's credulity, and the dénouement, though unexpected, is not very satisfactory, especially to those who know anything about auto-suggestion, a subject upon which the author's ideas are, to say the least, somewhat peculiar. Miss Lincoln has written stories far more entertaining than this one, which is, nevertheless, sufficiently interesting to fill an idle hour.

THE PRAIRIE WIFE

THE PRAIRIE WIFE. By Arthur Stringer. Illustrated. Bobbs-Merrill Company, \$1.50 net.

When the unnamed heroine of Mr. Stringer's new novel married "The Other Man, to wit, Duncan Argyle McKail," later known to her as "Dinky-Dunk," she did it on the spur of the moment. And then she, who all her life had dwelt in cities, set off with him for their home on the prairie. Dinky-Dunk was a Scotch-Canadian, who had taken to wheat-growing after failing as a civil engineer, and the home was a tiny shack many miles from the nearest town. No wonder the "prairie wife" had to let off steam, as it were, somehow and some way, the way she chose being letters to her old

friend, Matilda Anne. It is by means of these letters that the story is told. The plot is of the very slightest, and the book consists principally of rose-colored sketches of life on those wide prairies which the author apparently loves very dearly. An overcivilized Englishman and a young Finnish peasant girl, who looks like a Norse goddess, are the leading characters in a subsidiary love story, the main theme being, of course, the wedded life of Dinky-Dunk and his wife. They are both very likable people, and she possesses a keen sense of humor, which helps them across one or two rather difficult places. The action is spread over a little more than a year, thus giving an opportunity for descriptions of the prairie at all seasons and in all kinds of weather, some of them very well done, indeed.

LITTLE MISS GROUCH

LITTLE MISS GROUCH. By Samuel Hopkins Adams. Illustrated. Houghton Mifflin Company, \$1.50 net.

Mr. Adams's new story is of that light, dainty quality usually classed under Summer fiction. The events which it relates all happen on board the huge ocean liner *Cian Macgregor*, outward bound from New York to Liverpool. A very agreeable young man, Alexander Forsyth Smith, known to his friends as Sandy, is starting on his first transatlantic voyage when his attention is drawn to a tearful little female person, with swollen eyes, a red nose, an abundance of yells, and the dowdiest of costumes. Being a chivalrous youth, Sandy does his best for this very unattractive young woman—even after she has "brought a sadder-edged heel down square upon his most afflicted toe of a very sore foot"—and his help, though accepted, is accepted in such an ungracious way that he nicknames her "Little Miss Grouch." But she chances to overhear him describing her to a friend as "so red-nosed and so homely," and next day—well, next day Mr. Alexander Forsyth Smith has the surprise of his young life.

It is all very pleasant fooling, say, light-hearted, and amusing. One rather regrets that the author should have made such a caricature out of Mrs. Charlton Denyse. But much may be forgiven the portrayer of Judge Sanderby, "the ablest honest lawyer in New York."

WITH SALLIE

UP THE ROAD WITH SALLIE. By Frances R. Sterrett. Illustrated. D. Appleton & Co., \$1.25 net.

Sallie had acquired a roadster. It was the smartest of smart little cars, although it had "grown from a gallon of gasoline" kept under her bed; just how this had come about, friendly little Sallie was always quite willing to explain. And it was an important matter for if she had not possessed the car she could not possibly have kidnapped Aunt Martha—otherwise known as Mrs. Joshua Cabot of Waloo, great lady and widow of Judge Cabot—when nothing less vigorous than kidnapping could ever have induced to go "Up the Road with Sallie." For Aunt Martha had lived in the narrowest of conventional ruts all her sixty-three years, and was now weighed down with the responsibility of dis-

posing of the Judge's millions, which he had requested her to leave to the worst of their several nephews and nieces.

Sallie and Aunt Martha had various adventures, and got themselves involved with two attractive young men and a perfect tangle of cross-purposes and misunderstandings. All of which helped to take ten years at least off Aunt Martha's age, besides providing a romance for Sallie. The account of their experiences makes a gay little story of the lightest kind, whose principal fault lies in its author's attempt to develop a full-length novel out of material sufficient only for a novelette.

THE HOUSE OF GLADNESS

THE HOUSE OF GLADNESS. By Emma S. Allen. Illustrated. Griffith & Rowland, \$1.25 net.

Virginia Tyrrell had received the most inadequate kind of an education. So when she suddenly found herself obliged either to earn her own bread and butter or go hungry, she had anything but an easy time of it. True, there was one among the several men who had been her "suitors" while she was believed to be an heiress, who stood by her and was willing to loan her money without asking for compensation of any kind, but he refrained from offering her his hand and heart, preferring to keep as his own "that most unfavorable spot on earth, a self-centered man's deliberately chosen wifeless heartstone." This enraged her, and she presently told him her opinion of such conduct, whereupon he went into sackcloth and ashes. However, Virginia's troubles were speedily dispelled when her uncle, a model minister, and his wife took her home to the "House of Gladness," in which they lived. Although not a first novel, the book is written in an amateurish style. There are some rather nice bits in it, but they are submerged under the superabundance of words and of moralizing.

AUNT JANE

AUNT JANE. By Jonnetta Lee. Charles Scribner's Sons, \$1.25 net.

A pretty, pleasant little story, hammered out very thin indeed so that it may cover the requisite number of pages, is Mrs. Lee's new book "Aunt Jane." The middle-aged heroine, Mrs. Jane Holbrook, is the matriarch of a hospital, the Berkeley House of Mercy, built and endowed by a rich and grateful patient of Dr. Carmon's. But though Dr.

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There is a love story to furnish the wisp of a plot, and we feel that the man who won Aunt Jane was not only lucky, but deserved his good fortune.

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PRIMER FOR VOTERS. New York edition, 1915. Compiled by G. S. Ratcliffe. National Woman Suffrage Publishing Company.

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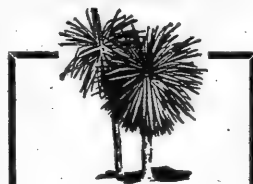
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WITH PUBLISHERS AND AUTHORS IN THE FALL AND WINTER SEASONS

ELEVEN new numbers will be added to the Everyman's Library by E. P. Dutton & Co. early in November. Of particular interest will be Green's "Short History of the English People," in two volumes, edited and revised by L. Cecil Jane, and having an appendix of forty pages, by R. P. Farley, which gives a summary of events from the battle of Waterloo to the end of the nineteenth century, dealing especially with the developments in social policy and the life of the people. Mr. Jane has revised the work, without interfering with the author's text, by adding critical notes at the end of the sections and citing authorities. In a preface he sums up the value of the history. The volumes will include seven maps, six of them in color.

In biography one number will be "The Life of the First Duke of Newcastle," by Margaret, Duchess of Newcastle. Fiction will be represented by two titles—Gogol's "Dead Souls," translated by C. J. Hogarth, and Balzac's "Ursule Miroulet," with an introduction by George Saintsbury. In the drama there will be Ibsen's "Lady Inger of Oestrad," "Leve's Comedy," and "The League of Youth," all in one volume, translated by R. Farquharson Sharp. There is "The Peace of Europe" and Newman's "On the Scope and Nature of University Education," with a paper on "Christianity and Investigation" and an introduction by Wilfrid Ward are the two volumes to be added to the section of essays. Three volumes of juveniles complete the list. They are Mrs. Ewing's "Over-the-way's Remembrances and Other Stories," and also her "Jackanapes," "Daddy Darwin's Doves," and "The Story of a Short Life," with illustrations by R. Calverley and Dora Curtis and an introduction by Mrs. Horatia K. F. Eden, and George MacDonald's "Phantasies: A Faerie Romance."

Among the most interesting of all the books that have been called out by the war will be the volume by David Lloyd George, now Minister of Munitions for the British Empire and previously Chancellor of the Exchequer, which the George H. Doran Company announces for Nov. 15. It will bear the title, "Through Terror to Triumph," and will contain his authoritative statement of what England has been endeavoring to do, against what obstacles and what she is achieving.

On the same day the Dorans will have ready a war book by Arnold Bennett, "Over There," which will set forth his first-hand impressions of the war. It will be illustrated from sketches by Walter Hale. Norman Angell's new book, "The World's Highway," in which the author of "The Great Illusion" studies America's position and significance with reference to the problems brought about by the European War and especially in the matter of the neutralization of the sea, will be a Doran publication of the same date.

The Macmillans have ready for immediate publication a little book by Percy MacKaye entitled "A Substitute for War," which offers an answer to those who maintain that the purification of a nation is possible only by warfare and endeavors to show how the exaltation, the sacrificial spirit, and other qualities making for good can be inspired in other ways. Another war book which the Macmillans announce for publication, this week presents its subject from an unusual viewpoint. It is by George W. C. Crile, the noted surgeon, and is entitled "A Mechanistic View of War as a Process." Dr. Crile was in charge of a hospital in France and his book treats of the phenomena and conditions that came under his observation.

"Vive la France!" by M. Alexander Power, which will be an early Scarce publication, recounts the author's experiences during his second visit to the front when he had every opportunity for seeing the conflict at close range.

Three books dealing graphically with phases of the war are announced for early publication by E. P. Dutton & Co. "The Undying Story," by W. Douglas Newton, tells the tale of the historic retreat of the British from Mons to Ypres. "Germany in Defeat" is by Count Charles de Souza and

Major Haldane MacFall, who set forth the view that strategically Germany was defeated last Autumn and discusses the factors upon which will depend the length of the conflict. "Between the Lines," by Boyd Cable, is a volume of descriptions of actual war operations on the field of battle.

"My Year of the Great War," by Frederick Palmer, which Dodd, Mead & Co. will issue on Nov. 6, tells the story of what the author saw during the first year of the European war as an accredited American newspaper representative at the front with the British Army. On the same date this house will bring out "Modern Austria," by Virginia Gayda, which will present a comprehensive study of Austria, political and social, as it was at the outbreak of the war.

Cooperus, is the second volume of a tetralogy of which the first, "Small Souls," was published last Fall. "The Push of Life" will be the first introduction to English readers of the work of Sijm Streubels, who enjoys a good reputation in his own country. The John Lane Company has ready for immediate issue "Broken Shackles," by John Oxenham, the romance of an aide-de-camp of Napoleon III.

Another volume of Henri Fabre's "Souvenirs Entomologiques" will be published at the end of this week by Dodd, Mead & Co., the sixth in the series which they purpose shall finally include the whole of the great Provencal's famous and delightful writings. M. Fabre died in his little cottage in South-

States, and will spend some months here traveling and lecturing in various parts of the country.

When the Harpers recently learned that an English edition of Booth Tarkington's "Turn-of-mind" was about to be sent to Australia, which would interfere with their own edition, already on the market, they took prompt steps and cabled to their representative in Sydney, "Stopping English 'Turn-of-mind,'" and learned a little later that the censor had held up their cable for two days until it could be investigated.

Eleanor Atkinson's "Johnny Appleseed" has been placed on the list of books of the Pupils' Reading Circle of Indiana.

The brother of Compton Mackenzie, whose several novels, of which the latest is "Pashers Mead," just published, have attracted much attention in this country, has recently left the United States, where he had been acting for some time, to join his regiment, the Royal Inniskillen Fusiliers. Mr. Mackenzie's sister, Fay Compton, is also on the stage in this country.

The dramatic rights of Nina Wilcox Putnam's "The Impossible Boy" have been bought by Mr. Morosco, who will have the book made into a starring vehicle for Peggy O'Brien. The play will be presented in Los Angeles in November.

Richard Pryor has dramatized Arnold Bennett's "Helen of the High Hand," and the play was presented recently in Liverpool with great success.

What is said to have been the first occasion of the presence of any member of the English royal family at a movie performance took place recently when Princess Marie Louise of Schleswig-Holstein attended a private exhibition of a film play made from Victor Bridger's novel, "A Rogue by Compulsion," an Autumn publication.



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ONE of the interesting developments of the last year is the evident establishment of the fashion show. The first one which received smart and conspicuous acknowledgment was given at a fashionable hotel last autumn under the auspices of Vogue; in that only New York designs were shown in order to give encouragement to American talent, which was supposed to lead swift recognition and approval because of the supposed inability of France to supply us with the usual quota.

Nothing definite was accomplished by it as far as the original designing was concerned, but a small fortune was netted for the sewing girls of Paris and the wheels began to turn in fashion shows.

The idea needed just such an impetus to popularize it. The idea itself was not new but the fashion exhibits that had been held were to the interest of an individual or a group of workers and they made an appeal only to the trade, whereas this present development caters to those who buy clothes and are the final judges, those whose opinion in the end is responsible for the success or the failure of a season.

The effort to show only American designs which reached its culmination in the show at the house of Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs in Newport has ceased, as it would be expected to do when the French models made their appearance.

There is little doubt that the constant appeal to the dressmakers to show original creations and the consequent exploitation of what was created had its effect on the dressmakers who are strenuously trying to evolve good ideas in this country. On the other hand the monthly appeals on every side resulted in wholesale refusals. As the head of one of the most famous Fifth Avenue houses put it: "The one way in which to keep our clientele these days is to give them something that has not become commonized through public exploitation; we even guard unusual gowns by keeping them out of the window. We gain nothing and may lose all by allowing our best work to be shown at fashion exhibitions and for that reason I have refused all invitations to do it except in one case where the models were worn by society women, and the gown I created was worn by one of my customers. In short, why give every one a chance for \$2 to copy the costume which you desire to sell for \$800 to one woman who will refuse it if it has been shown."

Not Showing American Gowns. With this almost united effort against the fashion show by the only ones who could make the affair a success, it was to be expected that

foreign models would be shown and these would have to be bought abroad and not solicited here.

Two very successful shows were held in New York recently on this basis. Both were in theatres and cost their producers a pretty penny, and they were a boon to those who desired to see the entire panorama of Paris clothes in one fell swoop; the process eliminated the necessity of going through many shops and ateliers to find the sum and substance of the French output this season.

True, but what is flesh for one is poison for another. The curious public was eminently pleased and satisfied, but those who had exclusive fashion openings in their own places, at a great cost, with the high hope that they would offer new things to their paying customers were compelled to realize that their thunder had been stolen.

Whether or not these public showings of all French models at so much a head will have any actual effect on the buying of these same models by women, is not easy to say. Women must have seasonable clothes and they must buy something from the mass that is offered them, and their one hope lies in choosing a costume that half the other people do not choose. The same assortment is offered everywhere, for at this season of the year, as in March, all the pitchers are filled at the same well—the same being a small area in Paris.

Among the importers there is quite a stir about these continual fashion shows, because the costume that one house lends to the public exhibition has been bought at a large price by another, and the chance of a good sale immediately diminishes.

Take, as an example, the now well-known suit of Robin Hood green broadcloth created by Callot with its pajama underlife of dark-red satin, the square trouser legs edged with skunk and serving as a petticoat, while its shirt-like upper part serves as a blouse when the coat is lifted; this convenient and good-looking suit which popularized pantallettes, was publicly shown on its arrival here at a fashion show, and the public's familiarity with it increased so rapidly that certain exclusive houses withdrew it from offerings to their customers. No one would pay its price for they realized that it would be copied probably in half the shops in the country.

This is true, also, of several of the models brought over here in September, especially certain ones made by Jenny and Jeanne Lanvin, but they are less conspicuous than the Callot innovation.

That dinner gown by Worth, called "Lord Byron," made of black velvet with a bodice of strass-studded rhinestones, its attention-compelling feature being the square train cascaded down the sides to give the pennant effect, lined with pink satin, is already in the hands of the multitude.

This situation, mind you, is deplored only by the importers and the customers who pay the importers' prices. No one else cares, for every one else is benefited. It is this very situation in apparel in this country that makes us so fashionably dressed in the mass. The last idea involved in Paris goes by rural delivery in the form of a paper pattern to the women who never see the lights of a great city. The stenographer at her desk, the girl behind the counter, the waitress at a ten-cent restaurant has the chance to wear what Paris dictates, and she does it. She is the one who criticizes the fashion articles that do not cater to her desire to be first in the field of fashionable apparel—be the fabric what it may.

Oh! that the editors could be well assured of this fact, for they have the traditional belief, left over from a time that is shelved, that women of small incomes are not interested in the latest fashions, and only buy clothes that will outwear the seasons, and try to impose that error on writers and artists.

"Roast beef, medium," is what they cry out for at all seasons of the year, whereas it's ice cream and sundaes that the girl wants. Nothing so insults the great bulk of American womanhood with small incomes as to insist that it shall not have a finger in the pie of smart, new clothes and that it shall content itself with stale things—with the crumbs from the rich man's table.

Gowns You May Like.

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of original Paris models while the Autumn is young and half the people hadn't even bought their first new costumes.

There is an evening frock by Paquin of pink and blue chiffon with a touch of velvet and a cape of white lace that is attractive. The idea of combining transparent fabrics in pastel shades is in keeping with the introduction of Nattier, Boucher, and Fragonard gowns. It was made familiar to us through the stage last winter, but this fact does not seem to decrease its popularity or throw a damper on its acceptance.

The placing of a pointed cape on so diaphanous an evening gown is an original thought and it is in keeping not with the era immediately before the Revolution, but with its own stormy days. Observe the décolletage, for its insistence is interesting. When it appears once in a season it

may be an accident; when it appears more than a dozen times it is an established fashion. It is not an easy line to wear; it is bad on the majority of women, and yet it is quite probable that it will supersede the square and V-shaped décolletage, more the pity.

Another evening gown that is good enough to describe is of orangeade velvet and chiffon, a shade to which the French are addicted this Autumn. The wide skirt of chiffon is scalloped at the hem, edged with fur and shows a velvet petticoat, a reversal, you see, of the usual method.

The bodice of yellow velvet has shoulder drapery of brown tulle that floats around the skirt. This combination of brown and yellow has been revived from two years ago. The present passion for brown patry probably inspired it.

There is a designer named Maurer

In Paris, whose name is not heralded far and wide, but whose costumes are bought and sold by the most important American houses. An admirable gown she made this season carries out the moyen age effect. It has a green velvet bodice with armholes, shoulders, elbows, and hips outlined with a broadly striped silk. There are women who would dislike to have their curves and angles so definitely marked out and brought to notice, but the color effect is good. The striped silk, itself, is framed in with a narrow edge of gold braid; this manipulation of trimming is one of those trifles that count in clothes and is always gratefully received by the woman who is in search of some ornamentation not commonplace.

The skirt beneath this mediaeval green bodice is of biscuit colored cloth to match in color the barrel-shaped sleeves of biscuit colored chiffon. There's novelty for you.

Do You Like Leather Coats?

Paquin gets the credit of inventing the leather jacket, but many designers must have followed on her heels quickly, for several of these coats appear under several names. The one that bears her label is of white leather, very thin, collared and cuffed with fur. It buttons straight down the front and has a wide slit pocket at each hip.

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THE WEEK ON THE VARIOUS WAR FRONTS IN EUROPE

By a Military Expert.

THE dominant points of interest are still, as they have been for the last two weeks, in the Balkans. Nor is the public less interested in the diplomatic side than in the operations in Serbia.

Greece and Rumania, in spite of all the pressure that is being exerted on them, in spite of offers of much coveted territory, still persist in maintaining their neutrality. In this, there is, at the present time at least, much reason. None of the Balkan States can afford to guess wrong. Greece, Rumania, and Bulgaria must join with the winning side or practically cease to exist when peace is made.

Bulgaria has made her choice secure in her belief of Teuton victory. Ferdinand is known as a very astute though altogether unscrupulous politician and naturally his decision by itself is enough to make both Greece and Rumania hesitate. Public sympathy in both States is strongly pro-Allies. Racial ties with Italy makes a Rumanian alliance with the Teutons a nearly impossible conception. Fast history makes such an alliance by the

Operations of Contending Armies in the Balkans Still Overshadow in Importance the Happenings on Other Fronts---Continued
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centage of fighting troops to total population. It is certain, then, that Bulgaria's strength cannot be more than from 400,000 to 450,000 men. And this number is not all available for the enterprise against the Serbs. Rumania is seething and may side with the Allies at any time. Greece is in exactly the same situation. Russia is only too ready to land troops on the Black Sea coast. Therefore, as an absolutely necessary precaution, the northern and southern frontiers together with the eastern coast line must be guarded.

For this purpose about half of the Bulgarian Army is needed; leaving for the Serbian invasion not more than 250,000 men at the outside. The Serbian Army, cut down as it has been by war and disease, numbers not more than 250,000, giving the Teutons and their ally a clear preponderance in

Alles have not advanced, and cannot advance, apparently beyond their present position which they have occupied for months. But the British are too stubborn to be easily driven from their position. They are too proud to admit their defeat by withdrawing a part of their forces to send them to aid Serbia, no matter how great the necessity may be.

There are, of course, other considerations. There would be a temporary loss in prestige before the world, and a certain number of the Turks would be released for operations elsewhere. But as practical considerations these have little weight. Rumania, separated from Turkey by the full width of Bulgaria, would care little about the release of the Turkish forces now on Gallipoli. Long before these forces could reach a point where they could be of service the British would have landed in Saloniki and stemmed the tide of the Teuton-Bulgarian invasion. If such a move brought Rumanian aid in its wake, it would be well worth while. Utterly regardless of Greece, Rumania is the decisive factor in the Balkans. Even though the population occupying the territory recently acquired through the last war is as yet unassimilated and probably could not be considered in our estimate of numbers, the Rumanians could nevertheless throw into the field a force thoroughly organized, equipped and drilled greater than the combined strength of any two of the other Balkan States, and almost as great as the forces of Greece, Serbia, and Bulgaria combined.

In all this, however, it must be realized, as stated last week, that no decision can possibly be reached on this front. No matter how glowing the reports from any source may be, no matter what claims that source may make as to the results to be achieved, a decision can be reached nowhere else than on the western or the eastern front—in France or in Russia. The reasons are simple enough.

With the line to Constantinople securely held, with a steady flow of ammunition and supplies to the Turks and Gallipoli, even with the Turkish reserves not now under arms equipped and supplied from German factories and made ready to take the field, what has been accomplished other than the defeat of the effort of the Allies to give Russia an outlet from the Black Sea to the Mediterranean? An attempt to invade Egypt—even India—has been mentioned. But the idea is impossible. The Central Powers have not the men nor can they get them.

Man power is one thing factories cannot produce. Even as this article is being written Hindenburg is calling from Riga for reinforcements that can come only from Mackensen; and Mackensen is likewise calling for men who can come only from Hindenburg. The line in the west is stretched to its elastic limit; the line against Italy is being pressed to the point that Austria, Prussia and the rest to Vienna are in jeopardy. Where then can the additional men needed for a campaign outside of Europe be found? The idea certainly cannot be said to hold water.

It may well be asked then what was Germany's object in beginning a movement which from its very nature is of necessity indecisive and which when accomplished at enormous expense leads nowhere.

The principle object seems to be political. A review of the past six weeks of the war will show that on the western front the German line is held, at least in part, by the minimum number of men possible and that this line is not strong enough in reserves to withstand a concentrated artillery attack without cracking. The German lines west of Loos and in the Champagne were admitted to be the most nearly invulnerable of any part of their western front. Eight months ago the French hammered at the Champagne line for two months with no effect. And only recently both fronts gave way in three days' time.

On the eastern front, during these weeks, the Teutons have been unable to advance anywhere against the Russian lines. On the other hand, it has been Russia who has seized the initiative, except on the short line from Dvinsk to Riga, and who has made the

In no other field could so much be accomplished in so little time as in Serbia, where resistance was sure to be a minimum. Serbia, too, held out the additional advantage of being a complete answer to the English operations in Gallipoli. So it was decided that Serbia was to receive the blow—and it may be meant well in passing, coincident with Teuton success—come, in a roundabout way from Berlin. Intimations that Germany is willing to talk terms of peace.

Another point that may prove worth remembering in Bulgaria's position. Ferdinand is one of the most astute but at the same time one of the most unscrupulous monarchs in Europe. Bulgaria, like the other Balkan States, must be on the winning side or sacrifice its national independence. If Allied support enables Serbia to get the upper hand, will Ferdinand forsake the Kaisers and ask the Allies for terms?

In the military field proper the week has seen rapid and important developments. The Teuton advance from the north has continued steadily, the rate being about the same as last week. The Serbian resistance has been extremely stubborn, but superior numbers have made it unavailing. The Serbs, however, have not reached the line that is generally considered their main line of defense, the line in the mountains through Krushewatz, Kraljewa, and Tachatschak. The Morava Valley, however, offers a very simple line of advance as far as Velika Plana. Once that point is passed the road to Nish becomes more and more difficult. For this two-thirds of the entire distance, therefore, the Germans will find that although the Serbs cannot halt them, they will do them considerable damage and greatly swell the casualty lists.

The Bulgars, driving westward, have effected a junction with the Germans in the extreme northeastern section of Serbia at Ljubicevac and have thereby cleared the Danube for traffic from Sofia to Constantinople. On the eastern Serbian front the Bulgars have had a week of successes that seriously endanger Nish. Their advance has been maintained by all the columns which are moving toward that center, one down the valley of the Timok River, which leads to the railroad junction of Parastchin, one along the line that comes into Nish from the north through Kalashevatz, and the third on the main road from Sofia, coming by way of Pirot. The northern Serbian situation is truly desperate, and it does not seem within the bounds of possibility that the Bulgars can be prevented from taking Nish.

The first of the columns mentioned has taken Zajecar, the only fortified post in the Timok Valley. The second column has, it is reported, taken Kalashevatz, and the third, perilous to the Serbs of any success so far attained. It is only thirty miles from Nish and is so far in advance of Pirot, a strongly fortified town about thirty-five miles south which has been taken by the third Bulgarian army, that sooner or later an advance beyond it will force the Serbs in front of Pirot to fall back. In this particular section the opposing lines are generally semicircular, with the Bulgars operating on the interior and therefore the shorter line. This gives them a double advantage in that not only are the lines shorter but the Bulgars greatly outnumber their opponents.

The great danger to the Serbs in all of this is that the present operations of the Teuton allies, if successful—and there is every likelihood that they will be—must inevitably cut off all Serbian forces in the northeast corner—that is in that section of Serbia included between the Belgrade-Sofia Railroad and Austria, Rumania, and Bulgaria. The only hope for them lies in the ability of the Allies to send sufficient men and guns to roll up the Bulgarian flank in the south and take the main Bulgarian army in the rear.

The two essential elements in such an allied movement are time and supplies. Whatever is to be done must be done now, as soon it will be too late. The question of supplies is vital

confused and any detailed review of what has happened will be impossible until future operations have clarified things.

In other theatres two battles stand out above all others—that going on in Northern Russia between Dvinsk and Riga and that of the Italians for Gorizia. Von Hindenburg has been batter-

ing at the Russians on this line since his failure to trap them in the Vilna sector over a month ago. Dvinsk, Riga, and the valuable section of the railroad between have been on the verge of falling into his hands a number of times, but it does not seem as if he is any nearer to taking them than he was several weeks ago. Cer-

tainly only insignificant gains have been made, and these at a loss in men entirely disproportionate. There has been no evidence as yet of Russian shortage of ammunition, at least of ammunition of a calibre that will match the Germans; for it is unlikely that any heavy guns are being used in the attack. General transportation fa-

cilities are poor and the character of the country is not favorable to the manoeuvres of anything but light field artillery with possibly larger howitzers at selected points. On the Isonzo front the Italians have launched an attack against Gorizia that has hemmed that fortress in so that its rapid fall seems inevitable. But both in Trentino and along the Isonzo more has been accomplished in the last ten days than during any month previous. It is sufficient to say now that all entrances from the Trentino into Italy have been thoroughly blocked and the Italians are in a position to drive their attack against the Isonzo line with no thought of an attack in rear.

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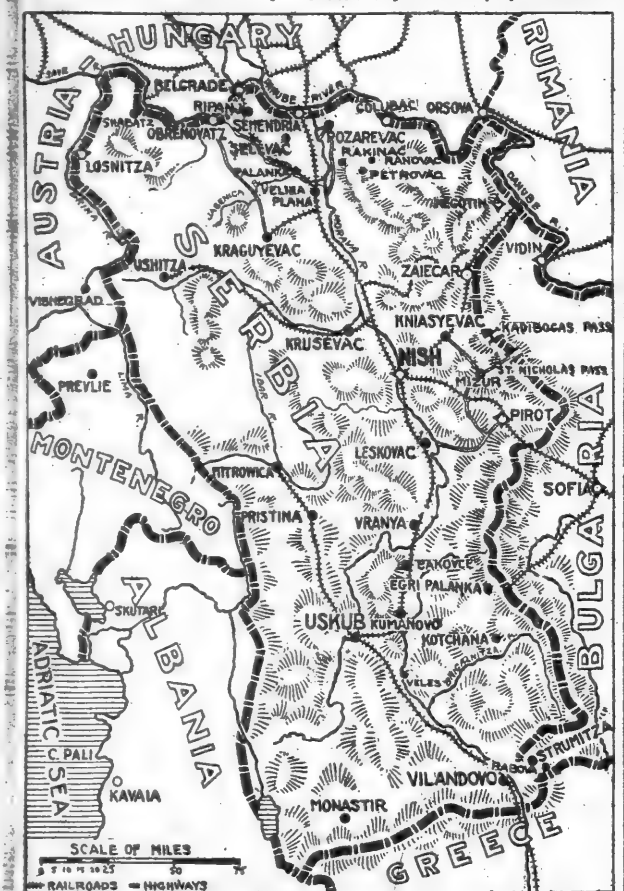
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Where Hard Fighting Is in Progress for the Control of the Belgrade-Constantinople Railroad and Other Important Balkan Lines of Communications.

Greeks equally hard to conceive. At the same time, once a choice is made, national existence is thrown into the balance with national ambition.

The Teuton successes in Russia, without meaning as they are, are nevertheless, of sufficient importance in the amount of territory occupied to appeal strongly to the Balkan imagination and, cleverly and thoroughly advertised by the German publicity department, cannot but exercise a great influence on the smaller States now hesitating between peace and war.

The Allies in the west have shown no indication of being able to maintain a consistent offensive. On the contrary, to the Balkan eyes, they seem to be held strictly in their trenches, with an occasional small advance for a mile or two. In the east the Balkan peoples have witnessed the driving back of Russia from the Danube and the Carpathians to the Dvina, the Niemen, the Strya, and the Strypa. They have seen a vast area of the richest and most populous section of Russia occupied and held securely by the Teutons, while Russia is struggling in the Pripiet marshes. Except for a negligible strip east of the Vosges in Alsace and an equally negligible strip east of the Strypa in Galicia, the Teutons are everywhere waging war in the enemy's territory. It is any wonder that Greece and Rumania hesitate before taking a step from which there is no retreat? Until the Allies have demonstrated their ability to do something, both Greece and Rumania are justified in holding back at all costs.

Such a chance is now presented to the Allies in Serbia. They have been caught napping in spite of the fact that reasonable foresight should have led them to be prepared and much Serbian territory is now in the hands of the Teutons and the Bulgars. But it is not yet too late for the Allies to show their strength if they move quickly and have sufficient courage. The only influence that can prove strong enough to move the wavering States is to land a force at Saloniki of sufficient strength to engage, with the aid of the Serbians, all the Teutons and all the Bulgars that can be thrown into that field. That should not prove an impossible task and it can be done without any great weakening of the other fronts.

A brief analysis of the numbers now in Serbia will give an idea of what is needed. The Teutons have about 200,000 men moving south from the Danube and the Save. The probable number of Bulgarians can be estimated with fair accuracy. The total population of Bulgaria is somewhere between 4,000,000 and 5,000,000. This means, figures on the usual 10 per cent. basis, that the maximum Bulgarian force in the field would be about 500,000 men. But Bulgaria has just emerged from her second war in four years and these two wars seriously reduced the per-



Region About Gorizia and Riva, Where the Italians Have Launched a Big Drive Against the Austrians.

to cut through Serbia and free for Teuton use the Berlin-Constantinople Railroad but enough completely to engage the attention of the Bulgarians throughout Bulgaria so that invasion of the countries on their north and south will be absolutely impossible. Then Greece and Rumania may move. This campaign would require about 400,000 men—150,000 strictly for Serbian defense, the balance for other operations against Bulgaria.

The question arises then: Where is this great body of men to come from? France certainly is not able to supply them. It remains for England to furnish the greater part, and the Gallipoli Peninsula would seem to be the logical place from which to send them, for from there the sending would require the least time. As pointed out last week, the Gallipoli operations have already justified their existence. At the same time, as far as positive results are concerned, the entire movement is a failure. The

only gains worthy of mention. Between Volynia and the Pruth a succession of quick, hard blows enabled Russia to advance from the Sereth to the west bank of the Stryna inflicting heavy losses and capturing nearly 150,000 men.

In the Balkans, already seething, it was not impossible that the opinion of German prowess, gained by the impressive advance from the Danube to the Pripiet marshes, would be lost by the complete check. Should the view prevail that Germany had reached her limit all of the Balkan States would turn to the Allies and Rumania and Bulgarian guns would blast open the gates between the Black and Mediterranean Seas. Something had to be done. Something startling and dramatic. Something that would stir the imagination of the world and at the same time illustrate to the wavering Balkan States what the power of the mailed fist was.

and involves problems that will tax to the utmost the abilities of the Allies' transport facilities. The Bulgarians are operating with very short lines of railroad and the road is the source of reinforcements to various parts of their line is reduced to the simplest possible terms. The Allies are not in a position to send more than 150,000 French and about 15,000 British, about four full army corps—but it is hardly possible that these corps have their full complement of artillery and other equipment. They have formed a junction with the Southern Serbian army and have met and defeated the Bulgarian army in front of Strumitza. The Bulgarians, however, have advanced as far west as Uskub and have taken that junction, although it has since been reported that they have been driven out and that the town is again in the hands of the Serbs. The situation in the south is extremely

AN ANALYSIS OF THE KAISER

Baron Beyens, Former Minister at Berlin,
Writes Book on the Imperial Mind.

One of the most alert observers at European Chancelleries of the gathering storm of fourteen months ago was Baron Beyens, the Belgian Minister at Berlin, whose official communications are to be found among the diplomatic documents published by The New York Times.

The Baron has now presented his personal impressions of the Kaiser and his role in the history of the world. His book, entitled "L'Allemagne Avant Le Guerre," ("Germany Before the War," G. Van Oest & Co., Brussels and Paris.) Baron Beyens believes that for many years the Kaiser honestly thought that he was preparing his war machine so that he could save peace on the world, but that finally the temptation to use the monster he had created in order to secure for Germany by force what he had long labored to secure by diplomacy became too great to be withstood and he yielded to the dictates of the war party in the cabinet of weakness. Since then he had been "un-male"—unsound.

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"At the Court of Berlin," Baron Beyens remarks, "the recollections that he had ever offended Russia were quite effaced, for the Emperor is a another trait of his character—quickly forgets the unkindly deeds of which he is the author. He practices the forgiveness of the injuries which he inflicts." At one time he was really quite hurt because French actors and musicians dared to perform in Berlin and wondered why. For some months before the war his attitude had become one of undisguised bitterness.

"In February, 1914, he used in my presence on the night of the 10th, in the course of a conversation in which my friend and fellow-countryman Baron Lambert took part, an expression more forcible than true—an expression which he was fond of repeating, for he had already used it with other diplomats: 'I have often offered my hand to France; she has given me answer with kicks.' His bitterness next directed itself to the Parisian Press, which he said, was attacking Germany day by day in unmeasured language. He ended up in a grave tone by declaring in an emphatic manner, which gave weight to his words, 'Paris should take care, for it would not be always thus.' Now, when he was thus speaking, the war was already determined in his mind, as if in distant view. What did his language mean? Was it a kind of comedy, of duplicity? Did he feel the need of nursing and gratifying his grievances in order to justify his coming acts?"

"We often find in a King or in a statesman many different men who appear successively at different periods of life. Accumulating years calm or control, in leading counsel of their passions, the passions of their youth. Maturity and experience dispose them to cast a mistrustful eye on enterprises on which they might else employ their efforts and resources. The opposite of this has been the case with William II. In him the wise and prudent man-of-war and a child of the future, the man of the future, is not the man of mature years but of youth.

"The state of his health—I have heard him say it—may have been the governing factor in a moral degeneration. In spite of the open-air exercise which he took assiduously, or because of the frequent changes and the overstrain which followed from it, his nerves, always on the stretch, were enfeebled. The daily rest of at least an hour in bed each afternoon to which he constrained himself, was not sufficient to establish a physical equilibrium. His wrinkled face and gray complexion betrayed the using up of his constitution. The German people, who saw him seldom, were struck with the premature aging of the Kaiser. Who knows, it may be asked, if the diminution of his powers of resistance have not affected his mentality? Physiologists and doctors, accustomed to deal with the interconnection of moral and physical phenomena, would answer in the affirmative. For myself, I do not think that fatigue and overstrain affected his acts greatly. It appears, on the contrary, that his nervous instability has increased in those last times, that his growing irritability has made him more difficult to serve, more impatient for implicit obedience. But his designs have been plain from the beginning. He has been planning himself a great, self-willed, he has inherited his father's impetuosity and his irresistible necessity to pour out his mind, to give vent to his creatures of impulse—that is what the Hohenzollerns of today, directly indeed from their ancestors, have inherited to Germany.

"That legend may be sent to limbo. The Crown Prince has merited neither that excess of honor nor that indignity. In outward appearance a typical officer of the light cavalry—slender in figure, narrow-chested, elegant, especially on horseback. In him the usual type of the Hohenzollerns, the broad shoulders and regular features, seems to be lost. In the young figure the brow slopes back, the features are somewhat lacking in decision, and the eyes do not seem to reveal a lively intelligence. The appearance is deceitful. The Prince is a vigorous officer and a keen sportsman.

At first sight one sees in him no resemblance to the Emperor, but that is to be found in greater degree in his character. Less instructed, less cultivated, less universal, but equally self-willed, he has inherited his father's impetuosity and his irresistible necessity to pour out his mind, to give vent to his creatures of impulse—that is what the Hohenzollerns of today, directly indeed from their ancestors, have inherited to Germany.

to everybody, but Baron Beyens comes back to his main thesis:

"To speak of the jealousy of William II, excited by the growing popularity of the Crown Prince, is to misjudge the Emperor. He has too great an idea of his own merit, and can never have had any illusions as to the capacity of his heir. To insinuate that through fear of that popularity which threatened to drown his own, William II, precipitated events would be to attribute to the Prince an influence which he has never possessed. His belated appeals, his warlike ardour, would never have shaken the will of the Emperor if the latter had not decided of his own initiative to go forward and risk the great game whose stakes are the destiny of Europe and Germany."

The five other male members of the

Prussian royal family, Baron Beyens describes as "high-born nonentities." Their horizon is limited to Germany, and their interest in political life in any real sense they have as little as the Crown Prince. They hold themselves as a caste apart, and—

Their stiff isolation manifests itself above all in their relations with the other German Princes. Whoever has marked them on ceremonial occasions, at marriages, funerals, inaugurations of monuments, where the representatives of the ruling and princely houses of the Empire meet, will have been struck by their attitude. They hold themselves together, and make a group apart, as if to impress on the world that they are the dominant race and the others mere supernumeraries or vassals. This high opinion which they have of them-

selves and of the greatness of their house does not prevent them, however, from subsiding sometimes toward certain members of families which have the precious advantage of being related to the Hohenzollerns.

Do the other princely houses in Germany really regard the Prussian Imperial at- titude? Baron Beyens cannot believe that their present espousal of the Kaiser's cause is entirely free from selfish feelings, which will become convictions in the war's retrospect.

It was the brilliant idea of Bismarck, the forger of German unity, to make his work truly popular by tempering it in the blood of a war against a foreign foe. It would be unwise, in my opinion, to attempt to break this bond. Momentarily shattered by an outside force, the rings would weld themselves together again. But in a so-called Germany the confederate Princes, bent low yesterday before the emperor would be perhaps the first to raise their heads tomorrow and to contest with the humiliated Kaiser, the omnipotence that he has used so ill."

The Frankfurt Zeitung adds: At its conclusion the meeting was broken up by the police. Gorky was summoned to the authorities on the following day, and he was informed that his release had been granted in principle since the Japanese war.

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MAXIM GORKY'S PLEA FOR PEACE.

Maxim Gorky is reported in the Frankfurt Zeitung to have delivered an address to the Russian student organization Swobodoje Slovo, at Moscow, in which he deprecated Russia's ability to recover from the German blows, in the following language:

NEW PLAYS ASK THE SUFFRAGE OF BROADWAY

Julia Arthur in "The Eternal Magdalene"
48th StreetSECOND THOUGHTS
ON FIRST NIGHTS

"The New York Idea"—
The Plait of the Untried Composer.

ATTENTION is hereby called to the fact that tomorrow evening's performance begins the last week of "The New York Idea"—the last week, that is, for the present, because Mr. Mitchell's delightful satire should be played again from time to time if Grace George perseveres in her ambitious and attractive program for gradually developing a repertory at the Playhouse. Just now, however, it must give way on the 8th to a revival of "The Liars," by Henry Arthur Jones.

It was in the course of an exceedingly graceful and charming after-dinner speech, made while the Friars were dining and toasting William A. Brady a week ago, that Augustus Thomas spoke of "The New York Idea" as the best American comedy ever produced in New York. Though some eyebrows thereupon mounted perceptibly, there is something to be said in support of such a statement, and if Mr. Mitchell's play has had scant attention from the lecturers and anthologists, it is partly because it is so conspicuously atypical. You scarcely think of it as an American comedy at all.

Some confusion in the written and spoken criticism following the present revival can be traced to the unfamiliar assortment of elements in the play itself. "I find it very hard to classify 'The New York Idea' under any of the established rubrics," wrote William Archer plaintively in "The London Tribune" more than eight years ago. "It is rather too extravagant to rank as a comedy; it is much too serious in its purport, too searching in its character delineation, and too thoughtful in its wit to be treated as a mere farce."

To object to the sentiment and pathos lying ever near the surface of Miss George's work as Cynthia Karlska is to ignore a hundred and one indications in the text itself. It is a mistake, attributable possibly to the memory of the hard brilliance which characterized the Fiske production of the play. To make such objection is to be misled by that glittering overlay of wit into thinking of "The New York Idea" as a purely artificial comedy of manners. Although Mary Nash makes rather over-obvious the calculated gush of Mrs. Phillimore, there is some justification in the manuscript for the scheme of her performance, but to say—as some have said—that she alone has caught the right spirit of the play, is not only arrant nonsense, but reminds one a little of the story about the child who watched with filial enthusiasm the passing of a parade in which his father marched. "And," he exclaimed with great satisfaction, "Pop's the only one in step!"

A Nine-Year-Old Play.

It is more than nine years since "The New York Idea" was written, and though fashions change rapidly in plays, not an archaic passage was found in the text. The changes are trifling, as where Mr. Phillimore now says, "The modern American marriage is like a wire fence—the woman's the wire—the posts are the husbands. One-two-three! And if you cast your eye over the future, you can count them, post after post, up-hill, down dale, all the way to Reno," when he used to say, "all the way to Dakota." But for the rest "The New York Idea" might have been written yesterday. It can trace some of its longevity, it is true, to that quality which accounts partly for the permanence of the Wilde comedies. One reason they are not dead is because they were never really alive. Flowers fade,

fruit withers and turns to dust—but time deals gently with diamonds. "The New York Idea" was never a source of great profit to Mr. Mitchell. It enjoyed, however, a marked success of esteem, and it has always been quite the thing, even among those who have never seen or read it, to ask indignantly why the American stage has not produced more plays from the same pen. As a matter of fact, Mr. Mitchell has written a good many plays, among them "In the Season," "Becky Sharp," "The New Marriage," and "The Kreutzer Sonata," the last played by Mrs. Kalich. If he has done little in recent years, it may be because he has not had to.

"The New York Idea" was first produced in 1906 at the Lyric, and here is the original cast:

Philo Phillimore.....Charles Harbury
Mrs. Phillimore.....Vernon Matthews
Miss Phillimore.....Dudley Clinton
Grace Phillimore.....Blanche Weaver
Miss Benson.....William B. Mack
Vida Phillimore.....George Harcourt
Belle Benson.....George Arliss
Cates-Darby.....John Mason
Cynthia Karlska.....John Mason
Nogam.....Dudley Digges
Tim Pickers.....Robert V. Ferguson
Thomas.....Richard Clarke

Marion Lea made a great impression in the rôle now played by Miss Nash. Miss Lea is Mrs. Mitchell, and it is she to whom the published play is dedicated. Glance over this original cast and think how grievous was the loss to the theatre when the Manhattan Company disbanded and how long has stood empty the place the Playhouse company now hopes to fill.

The Unheard Composer Speaks.

HERWITH is printed and served the complaint against the producers made by a young composer who has for sale the score and libretto of a musical play. His complaint is not that the managers will not buy his piece, but that they will not look at it, and, though his sufferings doubtless represent an extreme case, there is enough in common between his experiences and those of the men who have trod the same weary road before him, to make his letter of general interest. In part and in wrath he says:

While we were aware that great difficulty would be encountered when the time came to present the matter to a producer, I must confess that our worst dreams and most horrible night-mares have been realized. Surely we can have the satisfaction of knowing that his efforts are of no consequence. One cannot say in a hearing, mind, this is not the wall of one whose work has been rejected, for such is not the case. You write for an interview. Sometimes you receive a reply stating that their books are filled; more often the courtesy of a reply is not granted you. I fully appreciate that there are hundreds of young men in my position and that they all cannot be attended to, but it does seem strikingly strange that, during the past seven years, there has been but one musical comedy produced written by two people who were never heard of before. When I say this I am not considering foreigners.

Why is it that managers are unalterably opposed to having audiences listen to any effort written other than by old-established composers and authors? Every one in the profession except the awe-inspiring managers themselves knows that the production of a play is a long and arduous task, or shall I say dogma—is a proving fatal. As for the exception of Victor Herbert, there is no composer in this country—and I think there is none in the world—who can be depended upon to write so many successful musical comedies as he. In this respect I would like to get a bit more personal, but diplomats are positively rapid in a vast majority of instances. In the face of this, which we all know, which we all see every week of the year, the failure of the system as carried out by the producing corporations is not alone painful, but paralyzes our powers of comprehension, and in this respect I think I am not alone, for certainly there are others who cannot and never will understand, even in the slightest degree, their methods. Just why two men should supply the stage with more than three-quarters of the librettos that are placed before the public will forever remain a mystery to many, particularly so when these two particular gentlemen have, seasons ago, seen their best days. During the last few months I have witnessed three musical plays produced by managers who did not have the time to take my work into consideration. The entertainment provided, in each instance, was so poor that the production failed. I am not saying that my comedy would have enjoyed a better fate, for that is problematical, but it certainly would have enjoyed a better fate. It is to be much lamented that an extremely silly policy prevents a great many meritorious musical plays, written by untalented young folk, ever seeing the light of day.

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Eltinge.Georgia O'Rourke in
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No Conspiracy.

THE point to be made in answer is that even this case, dark as it is, does not prove the existence of an inside ring of librettists nor of any illegal conspiracy in restraint of youth and some new thing. The managers in America are more inaccessible than in good for the theatre, but the untalented librettist suffers from a quite natural condition of affairs, one that has long prevailed and is likely to prevail for some time to come.

It is a truism that the untalented dramatist finds it harder to get a hearing than the untalented novelist, because it costs more to try him out. Where a publisher may make an experiment at the cost of a few hundred dollars the manager must spend a few thousands, save in such simple and thrifty institutions as the Abbey Theatre of Dublin. Furthermore, it is hard for the most discerning producer to recognize a profitable play in manuscript, it is doubly hard for him to recognize the profitable operetta. And it costs him twice as much to find out.

No other theatrical field offers quite such a gamble. The outlay is heaviest, the chances for adversity greatest. There is none in which such fortunes have been sunk. Such sums as the one exceeding \$90,000, which current gossip said was lost in a single musical production last Spring, must give the most reckless producer pause.

Then, too, your manager seldom, if ever, buys a complete score and libretto even from a tried and trusted workman. He has them made to order.

der. He does not look over his morning mail and cry out, happily, "Here, at last, is a musical gem. I will produce it." Rather, he waits until the impulse to produce a musical comedy, at first sternly denied, becomes irresistible. Then he may send to Europe for a score that has the credentials of a long run in some Continental capital. Or he may look over the stage folk already under contract to him, engage a designer of scenes and costumes, and sally forth to catch a composer and librettist. If he is feeling cautious he will catch several of each. The group is set to work together, and out of indescribable confusion a production emerges. It is painful to describe, but Messrs. Wolf and Pollock can tell you all about it. This is not a very promising method, but it is only fair to remember that the finest and most popular comic operas ever contrived for the English-speaking stage were written by composer and librettist with the company in mind when they started to write.

And if the producers are committed by habit and circumstance to producing only custom-made musical plays it is still of considerable interest to determine who shall be entrusted with the work. And those who crave some variation from the pattern which has been unrolled before us season after season must salute respectfully a newcomer among the producers, Manager E. A. Well, who has ordered his lyrics from the clever Wallace Irwin and his book from the gifted Everett Shinn. Concerning "A Bare Idea," the only opening night can tell any story worth listening to. But Mr. Well has seen a great light.

Remember, too, gentle composer, that a manager's door may be locked in your face not because he hates novelty, loves Harry B. Smith, and has a deep-seated aversion to youth, but because he has contracts already for all the work in light musical entertainment he can possibly cast and house within the next eighteen months. It sometimes happens that way, and they do say it is that way now with Manager Dillingham. If so, it is highly probable that if a new Gilbert, accompanied by another Sullivan and another Eleanor Painter, were to call upon him he would be obliged, though it broke his heart, to throw them downstairs.

TO BE CONTINUED

Play	Playhouse	Presented
Birth of a Nation (film).....	Liberty	March 3
The Girl Who Smiles.....	Longacre	Aug. 9
The Boomerang.....	Belasco	Aug. 10
Under Fire.....	Hudson	Aug. 12
Chin-Chin (second year).....	Globe	Aug. 16
Rolling Stones.....	Harris	Aug. 17
Common Clay.....	Republic	Aug. 26
Young America.....	Gaiety	Aug. 28
The House of Glass.....	Candler	Sept. 1
Battle Cry of Peace (film).....	Vitaphone	Sept. 9
Hit-the-Trail Holiday.....	Astor	Sept. 13
Ned Wynburn's Town Topics.....	Century	Sept. 23
The New York Idea.....	Playhouse	Sept. 28
The Princess Pat.....	Cort	Sept. 29
Hip Hip Hooray.....	Hippodrome	Sept. 30
Washington Square Players.....	Bandbox	Oct. 4
Miss Information.....	Cohan	Oct. 5
Sherlock Holmes.....	Empire	Oct. 11
Our Mrs. McChesney.....	Lyceum	Oct. 13

Benny Sweeney as the Huckleberry Finn of Young America
Gaiety

Theda Bara at the Academy of Music.

MINUTE VISITS
IN THE WINGS

CYRIL Maude visited an American court the other day and the visit recalled one he once made to London's Old Bailey.

"I mounted the bench with my friend," related Mr. Maude, "and gazed very intently about me. It was my first experience in such a court, and I was greatly impressed, but I thought there was a particularly hand-looking crowd in court that morning. I said to the Judge, 'That's a rather rough lot you have to deal with this morning, isn't it?' I am afraid I spoke rather louder than I should, but at any rate he didn't appear to notice my remark. I repeated it. He turned and gave me an agonized look, motioning me under the bench to be quiet. I couldn't imagine what the matter was until we left the bench. Then he said to me, 'For heaven's sake, don't you know those who sit the lawyers you were looking at?'"

RAIG CAMPBELL, the tenor who was seen with Emma Trentini in "The Firefly," and who is now appearing in vaudeville, is probably the only tenor who can, at will, return to the choir of the Little Church Around the Corner. Before adopting the stage as his profession, he was a member of that organization, and Dr. Houghton, the rector of the church, has often written Mr. Campbell saying that whenever he desired to he could return to his place. When Mr. Campbell made his initial vaudeville tour, Dr. Houghton brought the entire choir of the Little Church Around the Corner to applaud their former comrade's efforts.

WELLINGTON CROSS and Lois Josephine, who contribute their share to the success of "Ned Wynburn's Town Topics" at the Century, should be an inspiration to young boys and girls who wonder sometimes if there really is room at the top in the profession. Both Mr. Cross and his dainty wife were choristers not so many years ago, and today they draw large salaries and much applause.

Cross's real name is Duke of Wellington. His father, an employe of the Rock Island Railroad and running out of St. Joe, Mo., where the Duke was born, was an ardent admirer of the British soldier and so handicapped his son. Some of Cross's friends call him Duke; some Wellington, and some Iron. When he was a chorus boy in 1906 with "The Top of the World" company, he met a little chorus girl from Boston named Lois Josephine. They played out to the Coast with this show, but when they reached Winona, Minn., on the return journey, they were stranded. Having no money, they got married, and have a boy and girl who wonder sometimes if there really is room at the top in the marriage and the stranding turned out to be the best thing that ever happened to either of them; for, rather than starve without an effort to get bread, they put on an act in Chicago, to which city they had been dispatched by the municipality of Winona. The act proved a success, and the two returned East playing from six to twelve shows a day for \$50 a week. This was the real stepping stone to vaudeville fame, for they were booked over the Orpheum Circuit, and met Blanche Ring in Kansas City, and in 1911 were engaged for her company in "The Wall Street Girl." They next appeared at the Winter Garden in 1913, and were on the big-time vaudeville in 1914-1915. They went to the Empire Theatre, London, and remained

THE FIRST-NIGHT CALENDAR.

"THE ETERNAL MAGDALENE"—A modern drama by Robert McLaughlin, bringing Julia Arthur back to the stage, tomorrow night in the Forty-eighth Street Theatre.

"AROUND THE MAP"—A musical play, book and lyrics by C. M. S. McLellan, music by Herman Finck, with Elise Alder in the prima donna rôle, tomorrow night in the New Amsterdam.

"FAIR AND WARMER"—A farce by Avery Hopwood, Tuesday night in the Eltinge.

"HOHEIT TANTZ WALTZER"—An operetta in German by Leo Ascher; Friday night in the Irving Place.

AFTER several weeks of comparative quiet there will come a flurry this week in the theatres that will bring three new plays to town. In one of them Julia Arthur, a popular actress of ten or twelve years ago, will return to Broadway. Another, a musical play, will introduce Elise Alder, a popular Viennese prima donna, here. Down at the Irving Place the German stock company will take a brief excursion into musical comedy.

The drama in which Miss Arthur will return to the stage is called "The Eternal Magdalene." It was written by Robert McLaughlin, a Cleveland theatrical manager, and produced by him there in stock early this season. It immediately attracted the attention of New York producers and Selwyn & Co. and A. H. Woods paid \$5,000 in advance royalties for the producing rights. "The Eternal Magdalene" is a modern drama dealing with certain social conditions. It is said to be written in a straightforward, unusually frank manner.

The company chosen to appear with Miss Arthur includes Emmett Corrigan, Lucile Watson, Louise Randolph, Lowell Sherman, Claire Burke, Arnold Lucy, Harry Harwood, Frank Byrne, Alphonse Zacher, William J. Phinney, and E. M. Dresser.

The first performance will be given

tomorrow night in the Forty-eighth Street Theatre.

Klaw & Erlanger will make their first musical comedy production of the new season tomorrow night when they will present in the New Amsterdam Theatre a piece described as a musical globe trot and entitled "Around the Map." The book and lyrics are by C. M. S. McLellan, the librettist of "The Pink Lady" and "Oh! Oh! Delphine." The music is by Herman Finck, musical director of the Palace Theatre, London, whose song, "In the Shadows," sung in every apartment several years ago, is perhaps his best known work in America.

An interesting feature of the performance will be the first New York appearance of Elise Alder, who comes from Johann Strauss Theatre, Vienna, where she has sung the prima donna rôles in some of the most popular of the Viennese light operas. Then there will be William Norris, Georgia O'Rourke, Robert E. Hinkley, Hazel Cox, Tyler Brooke, Prudence, V. S. Hest, Fred Nice, Louise Groody, Irving Brooks, and Majorie Gateon in other principal rôles.

The piece is said to be unusually handsomely mounted even for a New Amsterdam production. The fact that Joseph Urban designed and painted its thirteen scenes commends it. Then the indefatigable and resourceful Julian Mitchell drilled the chorus and the ensemble numbers.

As the title suggests, the plot spins the characters around the map, and Berlin, Port Arthur, San Francisco, and New York are among the widely separated cities visited. The party embark on their journey, and the result of a wager of a half million francs.

A new farce by Avery Hopwood entitled "Fair and Warmer" will be presented Tuesday night in the Eltinge Theatre by Selwyn & Co. Mr. Hopwood is not unknown to Broadway. He helped Mary Roberts Rinehart dramatize "Seven Days," and wrote "Nobody's Widow," in which Blanche Bates has seen several years ago under Belasco direction. He was the librettist of "Somewhere Else"—but every closet has its skeleton.

In "Fair and Warmer" Mr. Hopwood takes four young people of assorted temperaments, endows them with time and money enough to take themselves seriously and then proceeds to entangle them in a series of situations from which they must be extricated.

The company includes some popular players. Among the number are Madge Kennedy, Janet Beecher, John Cumberland, Ralph Morgan, Hamilton Revelle, Olive May, Guy Braddon, and Robert Fisher.

Friday night, in the Irving Place Theatre, Rudolf Christians's German stock company will inaugurate a brief season of Viennese operetta. Their first offering will be Leo Ascher's "Hoheit tanz Walzer," which has been produced with success in Vienna. Arnold Korff and Emmy Nicklaus will be seen in the principal rôles, and others in the cast will be Margarete Christians, Angelo Lippich, Ernst Robert, and Willy Frey.

AT OTHER THEATRES.

STANDARD.—"Experience," George V. Hobart's modern morality play, with Richard Barbee in William Elliott's original rôle, and Fraser Coulter, Emmet C. King, Natalie Howe, and Peggy Dana in other important parts.

YORK.—"Sinners," Oscar Davis's melodrama, seen last season at the Playhouse, the present company including Helen Meliken, Maude Gilbert, Louise Galloway, and Gladys Wilcox.

LEXINGTON.—A cartoon comedy entitled "Bringing Up Father," presented by one of Gus Hill's companies.

BROOKLYN OPERA HOUSE.—"Potash and Perimeter," the comedy based on Montague Glass's familiar stories of the doings of the clerk and suit partners of that name.

PROCTOR'S 8TH ST.—Popular price vaudeville with these features: Gertrude Carlisle and Sagar Midgley, James F. MacDonald and Arnold and Florence.

PROCTOR'S 12TH STREET.—Fifteen vaudeville acts, including the Flying Henrich, Rogers and Hart, and Millie and Doris.

COLUMBIA.—"Sporting Widows," a new burlesque production with Abe Leavitt, Johnny Lorenz, Vincent Dusey, and Ruth Lockwood in the cast.

YORKVILLE.—The Lady Buconians company in burlesque and vaudeville, with Will H. Coban, Florene McClellan, and Cecil Loomis as the principal entertainers.

GARRICK.—The Girls from Joyland in two burlesques, "A Night in Bohemia" and "A Night in a Harem."

A FRENCH BENEFIT.

The date for the gala performance to be given for the assistance of the Théâtre Français at the Metropolitan Opera House has been set for Monday night, Nov. 8. A number of distinguished French artists have recently arrived to take part and the players of the French company will contribute their services.

Paul Capellani has chosen the occasion for the first presentation of his sketch, "Rouget de Lisle." Lillian Greuse, an actress famed in Paris for her beauty, will make her first American appearance at the benefit. The Opera Comique will be represented by Mlle. Guillemin and M. Barinaz. The latter will sing a song written by Debussy especially for this occasion.

Orchestral Society Concerts. The first of a series of concerts by the New York Orchestral Society will be given tonight in the Standard Theatre. Fifty musicians will play, with Max Jacobs as conductor. Alice Varley, a coloratura soprano, will be the soloist.

there until the war, when they returned to America and were immediately engaged for "Town Topics."

LILLIAN RUSSELL, who will return to the stage at the Palace tomorrow, insists that she much prefers vaudeville to comic opera, and will never return to the light musical field unless George Bernard Shaw writes a libretto for her. Her husband, Alexander P. Moore, the Pittsburgh newspaper publisher, has made Shaw an offer to write a libretto which Franz Lehar will set to music if the deal goes through. Miss Russell and her husband are eagerly awaiting news from Shaw. If he declines to follow in the footsteps of W. E. Gilbert, the dazzling Chesterton will be asked to do a libretto. Miss Russell, in speaking of her offer to Shaw, says:

"Bless you, there have been no comic operas written since the Gilbert and Sullivan days. The thing they call comic opera nowadays—what is it? It is a little bit of everything, and not much of anything. It is utterly trivial and foolish. There are no librettos—or at least very few—that an intelligent person can listen to without suffering severe pain. What I need is a libretto written by George Bernard Shaw. If he writes me one I'll go back to comic opera, for Lehar has promised to do the score for the Shaw book. Now there's a real promise. I love Shaw's plays, and, do you know, I wanted to play Lady Cicely in "Captain Brassbound's Conversion," in "Captain Brassbound's Conversion," took it away from me."

TOPPING THE VAUDEVILLE BILLS.

PALACE.—Lillian Russell, returning to the stage with a repertoire of songs that includes some of the old ones with which her name is associated and some written for this occasion; a condensed version of "Faust" sung by a company that includes Estelle Wentworth and Salvatore Giordana; "Pegaches," George V. Hobart's sketch, acted by William Courtleigh and company.

COLONIAL.—Nora Bayes in songs and gowns; Ralph Dunbar's newest offering, the Maryland Singers in Southern songs; Frankie Heath and George Perry in a specialty of song and patter; Isabelle Lowe and company in Edgar Allan Woolf's sketch, "Hope."

ALHAMBRA.—Dorothy Jardon singing songs and displaying a wardrobe of stunning gowns; Homer B. Mason and Marguerite Keeler in Porter Emerson Browne's playlet, "Married"; Gertrude Vanderbilt and George Moore, reunited, in a program of songs and dances.



ELEANOR PAINTER in the Herbert-Blossom Operetta at the Cort.

LUNCHEON WITH THE YELLOW FACES

Being part of a letter wherein the distinguished English actor recounts some of his experiences while working on the side for the Metro Feature Film Corporation during his recent engagement in New York. "The Yellow Faces" of the Sherlock Holmes story referred to a ghostly mask, but the Yellow Faces that doubtless haunt Mr. Jander's dreams these nights are those of the movie folk as they assemble, inconspicuous in various makeups and styles of hair paint, when the luncheon hour comes at the studio.

It is quite time we had some food," said the director, the all-powerful, ruler of my movie destinies the last three weeks.

We had been working hard and with appropriate gravity in a graveyard (no subtle joke intended, please) all the morning. As we bowed down Broadway I had succeeded in avoiding the public gaze most successfully by sitting with one hand covering the side of my face, and with the other holding down the brim of my hat. Occasionally, though, I would see some poor lady give a jump as she caught sight of a weird old yellow face peering sideways out of the window, but we sped along so swiftly that I imagine she merely thought her liver was a bit wrong. As we crossed the ferry, I couldn't help wondering what sort of a strange old thing people would imagine they had got on board if I attempted to get out of the car, so I covered inside it. At last we got to our destination, a cemetery, where some ammunitions and explosive factories, and filled with the graves of dead Germans.

Am I hypersensitive this morning or is it, after all, a wonder that I, an Englishman, half Irish, should feel something uncanny in the place I have come to work, that moment and its strange juxtaposition to the explosive factories? Occasionally we would hear the deep booming of guns, and I was informed that it was the noise of our own army attacking the German lines. Here was I, doing my best in a strange sort of way to make enough money to pay the fearful taxes which loom before us in the mist of anxiety, and here was I, doing my morning's work in a cemetery literally crowded with dead Germans, Germans who had probably died full of patriotic enthusiasm for their Fatherland, and not Germans filled with the amazing doubt, like so many nowadays, as to the wisdom of the producers to think out some even more touching way in which I can show my movie feelings in mute appeal to heaven, that "we have got two graves in our family somewhere here, where Granpa and Granma is buried, and our baby, too." And as I approach the producers, while we are clouting the rightness of the war lords who have their former country under their thumb.

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130 Nassau St.	2 Union Square.	2 Avenue A.
38 Lexington Av.	230 Broadway.	230 Broadway.
118 East 28th St.	30 Canal St.	30 Canal St.
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207 East 116th St.	189 East Broadway.	189 East Broadway.
77 East 125th St.	175 Broadway.	175 Broadway.
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1,024 Madison Av.	121 Boston Road.	121 Boston Road.
2,010 Madison Av.	1,301 Boston Road.	1,301 Boston Road.
1,747 Park Av.	1,131 Boston Road.	1,131 Boston Road.
72 Greenwich St.	1,131 Boston Road.	1,131 Boston Road.
2,621 Eighth Av.	925 Prospect Av.	925 Prospect Av.
2,029 Eighth Av.	583 West 1st St.	583 West 1st St.
64 Columbus Av.	1,325 So. Boulevard.	1,325 So. Boulevard.
148 Columbus Av.	1,579 So. Boulevard.	1,579 So. Boulevard.
173 Columbus Av.	373 So. Boulevard.	373 So. Boulevard.
238 Columbus Av.	447 Tremont Av.	447 Tremont Av.
482 Columbus Av.	508 Tremont Av.	508 Tremont Av.
722 Columbus Av.	245 Willis Av.	245 Willis Av.
913 Columbus Av.	651 Westchester Av.	651 Westchester Av.
973 Columbus Av.	113 Willis Av.	113 Willis Av.
319 West 110th St.	417 Willis Av.	417 Willis Av.
520 West 118th St.	1,700 Pitkin Av.	1,700 Pitkin Av.
581 West 125th St.	1,000 Pitkin Av.	1,000 Pitkin Av.
508 West 145th St.		
102 Lenox Av.		
149 Lenox Av.		
154 Lenox Av.		

The first performances under this arrangement will be given during the week of Nov. 23. The play is Bjornson's "When the Young Men Bloom." The second series begins Dec. 21, and is devoted to Hauptmann's "The Weavers." The main office is at 1,400 Broadway, Room 304.

Famous Picture's Last Days.

The last four weeks of "The Birth of a Nation" at the Liberty have been announced. At the end of the engagement the film will have been shown 725 consecutive times in New York. The producers of the picture point with pride to the fact that the longest run ever registered in New York by a play was that of "A Trip to Chinatown." This was acted 610 consecutive times. The run of 725 is achieved only by counting the performances both at the Liberty and at Brighton Beach.

MR. LAUDER'S NEW SONGS.

They All Feature the Well-Known Lasso.

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In the Apollo, where I was to have appeared, they sat during the performance as they do in many German theatres. I didn't think much of that. I had visions of myself imitating Bernhard and a waiter coming down the aisle and spilling a tray of sausages. So I suggested that the eating be dispensed with.

"As you wish, Miss Janis, as you wish. We won't have them eat, but I think they enjoy your performance much better if they eat."

At the actors' garden party, an annual charity event in London, Miss Janis took part and collected many pounds for the fund.

"One of the things I did in the Palace revue was stunts with the lariat. Where did I learn them? From watching Fred Stone do them. At the garden party in a tent I spun the lariat and made several pounds by betting the men, most of them soldiers, that they couldn't do the trick. They tried in that helplessly unconscious British way of doing a thing without feeling foolish. "Now, isn't that extraordinary?" they would say when the rope would refuse to spin. "The beastly thing looks easy enough, but, upon my soul, I can't seem to make it. And then they would hand over their shilling. Toward the last there was one little fellow who sat watching. He didn't offer to try it, and when I asked him to try he came forward timidly, took the lariat, and spun it beautifully. "It's hardly fair, Miss," he said, "for I've been doing it for many years." It developed that he had spent a long time on a Wyoming ranch."

Miss Janis looks upon the movies as a great sport.

"I shouldn't want to do them regularly or for any length of time," she said, "but to come into a lot of money suddenly and have a bully time doing it they are great. I never had a better time than I did in California making movies."

Every night after her performance in "Miss Information" Miss Janis and her mother drive out to the Manor House. It is about an hour's ride as the Metropolitan files, with Frank, the trusted chauffeur of many years' service, at the wheel. Miss Janis spends the day tramping in the woods, and usually there are three or four friends from town to look with. An early dinner, and the big car back to town, with Mother Janis on the lookout for hostile motor cars and ready with diplomatic words to placate them should they interfere.

At the Hippodrome. A new Sousa march entitled "The Pathfinder of Panama" will be played by the composer's band tonight at the Hippodrome. Orville Harrold, Belle Storey, and Sidonie Sperry will sing, and the entire Hippodrome chorus will appear.

Wounded. I didn't go to Lady What-What's-the-officers had a

WRITTEN ON THE SCREEN

KNICKERBOCKER—Douglas Fairbanks in "Double Trouble"; Bessie Barriscale in "The Golden Claw"; Weber and Fields in "The Best of Enemies"; Keystone comedy, "Saved by Wireless."

STRAND—Geraldine Farrar in "Carmen."

BROADWAY—Hazel Dawn in "The Masquerade."

ACADEMY OF MUSIC—Theda Bara in "Carmen."

NIGHT-THIRTY STREET—Olga Petrova in "My Madonna."

PROCTOR'S 23D STREET—Daily features.

4TH STREET—Twilight sleep pictures.

The widely heralded picture of "Carmen," for which Geraldine Farrar acted the rôle she has sung at the Metropolitan, will be given their first public showing in New York today at the Strand. The picture has already been released in neighboring cities, so that the novelty of them has worn off a bit, perhaps, but the numbers who have inquired the past week for reserved seats indicates that there is plenty of interest in the event, and record-breaking audiences will no doubt see the picture.

The Strand management has shown commendable restraint in this particular instance. After it was arranged that

the film should be exhibited there the men who had made the pictures possible by investing their money realized they might exploit them to better advantage by placing them in another theatre and charging higher prices. So they made an attractive offer to the Strand, and released from their contract. But the management decided to keep faith with their public and retained their rights to the film. The temptation to raise the regular schedule of prices and to sell reserved seats was also brushed aside, and Strand patrons will be able to see Geraldine Farrar without paying any more than they would to watch the mimings of any of the lesser lights of film land.

Miss Farrar is not to have a monopoly on the famous Prosper Mérimée story. In the Academy of Music another "Carmen" picture, with Theda Bara as the Spanish girl, will be exhibited.

Sections of "The Battle Cry of Peace," from the Vitaphone Theatre, were selected by J. Stuart Blackton, through the efforts of United States Immigration Commissioner Frederic C. Howe, to instill patriotism and teach the duties of citizenship to the men who cast their first vote this year. The film was shown at the reception in the Lewisohn Stadium of the College of the City of New York yesterday.

This method of teaching the new

voters, many of whom are former immigrants, is original with Commissioner Howe.

"It is only by graphic lessons," says Mr. Howe, "that the stern duties of the individual toward his country can be impressed upon the minds of many of the foreign born. To drive this lesson home we must turn to the only universal language—the language of the film."

At Grugliasco, ten miles from Turin, Italy, where Mrs. Leslie Carter acted "Du Barry" before the cameras, under the direction of George Kleine, stands an imposing building in which there is a luxuriously fitted suite of five rooms fixed up especially for Ida Lupino and her mother. Just now it is probably occupied by officers of the Italian Army, or maybe as a hospital for wounded Italian soldiers, or as a retreat for convalescing troops.

The building is a reconstructed villa owned by Mr. Kleine, near which he built an elaborate motion-picture studio. The outbreak of the war interfered with Mr. Kleine's plans regarding his Grugliasco studio, and Italy's entrance into the war has halted them entirely.

The value a California community places on the installation of a motion-picture plant in its midst is shown by the recent purchase by Thomas H. Ince of a large site in Culver City, near Los Angeles.

For a long time the Triangle director had been making his pictures at Inceville, near Santa Monica. He desired to enlarge his facilities and began negotiations with a real estate firm. Before the discussion had proceeded very far the director said:

"Your town may be all right, but who will receive the more benefit from my going there, you or me?"

The end of the meeting was an agreement by the real estate company to feed thirty acres of land to Ince on condition that he erect a complete film-producing plant to cost not less than \$100,000. The officers of the company knew that Ince had spent \$750,000 at Inceville before he got through and were confident that they would get a big return when the Culver City studio began to expand.

Micha, Geraldine Farrar's pet goat at the Lasky studio, broke loose from her moorings one night recently and was discovered by Wilfred Buckland, the art director, Monday morning on top of his desk just swallowing the last bit of paper containing the completed plans for the "Mr. Grex of Monte Carlo" sets. Frank Reicher, the director, was held up in his work two days through Micha's appetite.

The flesh-and-blood stage has lost its attractiveness for Bessie Barriscale, who appears at the Knickerbocker Theatre this week as a Triangle star in "The Golden Claw." A permanent home in Santa Monica, not far from the Ince studio, makes more of an appeal to her than memories of the many seasons of road tours with prominent companies.

At the age of 5 Miss Barriscale was a member of James A. Harns's com-

pany playing in "Shore Acres." Little Eva, in "Uncle Tom's Cabin," and Madge in the perennial "In Old Kentucky" were two rôles which fell to her in her early stage experience. The United States and England saw her as Love Mary in "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch." Later David Belasco put her in "The Rose of the Rancho." Then she appeared in Richard Walton Tully's "The Bird of Paradise," playing the Laurette Taylor rôle at Maxine Elliott's Theatre.

After that came the film. She was called to do "The Rose of the Rancho" for the screen, and there she has remained.

The natives of the town of Panamint, on the edge of Death Valley, received a rude shock the other day when an Eastern tourist dashed into their midst with the news of a big gold strike in an abandoned mine near there and exhibited several nuggets to prove his

assertion. The whole district seized their trusty picks and pans and dashed out in search of the wealth, only to be led to the abandoned mine, where the Lasky players, under Cecil B. De Mille's direction, had been taking some scenes for Victor Moore in "Chimney Rock Out West." A few pros suggest had been left scattered about.

Julius Steger, who has recently appeared with considerable success in the photoplay versions of "The Fifth Commandment" and "The Master of the House," is the latest acquisition to the list of stars of the Metro pictures, in which Miss Ethel Barrymore, William Faversham and others are now appearing. Mr. Steger has signed a contract with Rolfe Photo Plays, Inc., to appear exclusively on the Metro program. His first appearance will be in "The Blindness of Love," a comedy-drama by Ruth Comfort Mitchell.

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MR. HOPPER IS CHEERFUL

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WOLF HOPPER, in the make-up of Don Quixote plus a tweed hat and the inevitable briar, had just come in to the Fine Arts Studio from a location among the hills back of Los Angeles when scenes from a Tri-ling photo dramatization of the great Spanish classic were being filmed.

This is Mr. Hopper's first experience in a photoplay and he is intensely interested in its growing possibilities. He is comparing notes with a group of Broadway acquaintances of whom he says, "they seem all to be here in Los Angeles."

"I like it," he said, "I like it better every day. But I would like it better still, if it were not for the frightfully early rising. Think of it, I am made up at 5 o'clock, I am keyed up all day, and I am shot at five."

"But what one misses most in the photoplay," the response of an audience, "is the response of an audience. You give your best to a scene, the camera steps back and there is silence. It is frightful. I keep imagining I have missed the best of the scene. I have been getting into the way of looking hungrily for the director's comment from the directors, and they say it is going admirably."

"How do you like the prospect of spending a whole winter away from New York?" asked some one.

"My boy, it's wonderful. Think of it. I have a real home in thirty miles, with a garden, and literally my own vines and fig trees—and other fruits. And my Jap boy is the most marvelous cook ever given to a man. And you should see my baby." The famous comedian swells with pride at every thought of his new son. "He is the most remarkable baby I have ever known—of course every father says that, but I am serious. I give you my word—he is eight months old and I have never heard him cry. Never a sick minute, never a symptom of teething. The doctor will promise that on Tuesday the sixteenth at 7:23, we may expect a tooth, and if we look at 7:23 there it is."

"But, unfortunately," Hopper's voice sank to mournful rumble, "I am greatly afraid he is going to look like me. In fact," the big voice dropped half an octave lower, "he does already, extraordinarily so."

After the laugh some one brought the veteran actor back to the subject of Don Quixote, and he instantly became animated again.

"Quixote is a great opportunity," he said. "It is an immortal creation, a figure that in essence fits all time. Every one knows him and so you realize it's not one in ten thousand has read the book, though it is a world classic."

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"Your car is here, Mr. Hopper," said an attendant.

The comedian disappeared, but came hurrying back.

"Come," he called. "Come all of you. The most wonderful baby of all time is here, and you shall see him. You won't have to take my word for anything."

Pretty Mrs. Hopper had brought Master Hopper to meet his father, who seized him, and exclaiming upon the wonder of his achievements to the assembled players, bore the bright-eyed and sturdy infant triumphantly through the crowd to Director Griffith's office to prove that he had not in the least exaggerated.

"They call me a cheerful man," he said.

THIS WEEK'S FREE LECTURES

Sunday.

ORGAN RECITAL, by Professor Samuel A. Baldwin, Great Hall, College of the City of New York, 5 P. M.

ORGAN RECITAL, by W. A. Goldsworthy, Washington Irving High School, Irving Place, 8 P. M.

ORGAN RECITAL, by Scott Wheeler, Irving High School, 168th St. and Boston Road, 8 P. M.

SOCIAL PROGRESS IN LEGISLATION, Mayor London, Public Forum, P. S. 101, 115th St., West of Lexington Ave., 8:15 P. M.

Monday.

MINERALOGICAL AND GEOGRAPHICAL COAST TRIP, by George F. Kunz, first of a series of ten-minute talks on Sunday morning by members of the Section of Geography and Mineralogy, New York Academy of Sciences, American Museum of Natural History, 8:15 P. M.

MARCELLES AND THE RIVERA, by Professor Charles U. Clark, Washington Irving High School, Irving Place, 10th and 11th Sts., 8:15 P. M.

THE FRENCH IN LARGE FORMS, by John S. Van Cleave, P. S. 7, 42d St., East of 3d Ave., 8:15 P. M.

THE MAKING OF MODERN ENGLAND—ECONOMIC TRANSFORMATION OF A NATION, by Dr. J. H. P. S. 46, 158th St. and St. Nicholas Ave., 8:15 P. M.

EMPEROR BERLIN, by Professor Henry B. Northrop, P. S. 88, 225 East 57th St., 8:15 P. M.

FROM THE OPERAS, by Miss Maria Fay Galsburgh, P. S. 82, Hester, Essex, and Norfolk Sts., 8:15 P. M.

HAMLET, by W. Brewer Brown, P. S. 119, 182d St., East of 8th Ave., 8:15 P. M.

ALEXANDER DUMAS THE ELDER, by Professor J. Carter Topp, P. S. 108, 108th St., West of Amsterdam Ave., 8:15 P. M.

THE JURY, by Professor George W. Kirchwey, Morris High School, 168th St. and Boston Road, the Bronx, 8:15 P. M.

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FRACURES, DISLOCATIONS, STRAINS, AND SUFFOCATION, by Dr. Henry B. Savares, P. S. 4, Fulton and 3d Aves. and 173d St., the Bronx, 8:15 P. M.

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DOINGS AND SAYINGS IN THE REAL ESTATE WORLD

LATEST DEALINGS IN THE REALTY FIELD

Real Estate Leases Plot in Times Square Section as Site for New Building.

\$50,000 GREAT NECK SALE

Active Buying in the Suburbs by Investors and Homeowners—Small Houses in Demand.

The realty market closed yesterday with a fairly active week with a few scattering sales in Manhattan and the outlying boroughs.

An interesting lease in the Times Square section that promises a desirable improvement was reported by John D. Roche, who leased for the Hodge estate the property at 623, 625, and 627 West Fourth Street, to Louis W. Weil, for twenty years from Nov. 1, at a rental that will exceed \$200,000 for the term. Mr. Weil will enlarge and improve the Eighth Avenue store and erect a new building on the West Fourth Street property.

Brooklyn-Manhattan Trade.

Paul A. McGoldrick has sold to a client of Arthur Cox the four-story new-law tenement at 2,406 Newkirk Avenue, Brooklyn, on plot 50 by 100. In part payment he took the Manhattan residence at 109 West 122d Street, on plot 19 by 100.

Bronx Sale.

The property at 858 East 165th Street has been purchased by William Selbert from Charles R. Schless.

Brooklyn.

Frank A. Seaver & Co. have sold the plot, 40 by 100, on the north side of Senator Street, about 340 feet east of Bridge Boulevard, to a builder, who will erect six-family flats.

Norman Denzer has sold for the Dean Building Company five three-story apartments on Church Avenue, fronting on East Thirty-fifth Street, each on a plot 25 by 100.

Benjamin Abrams has purchased from the Alco Building Company the dwelling at 2,082 Sixty-sixth Street.

The Realty Associates has sold the plot, 30 by 97.10, on the southeast corner of Fourth Avenue and Sixth Street to Abraham Goodman, who will erect a five-story apartment. Abraham Falk and I. Kalt were the brokers.

A. A. Schlesing sold 1,873 Myrtle Avenue for Ernest Vetter to Miss Alice Lotherington; also the six-family tenement house at 379 Ralph Street for a client to Emma L. Kistner, for investment.

Long Island.

Frank Crowell has sold for the Grunwald Estates at Great Neck a plot of two and one-quarter acres to Clara Lee March for about \$30,000. It has a large water frontage on the Sound.

The Morton Park Realty Company, builders in the Maspeth section of Queens, has purchased from Robert J. Lewis two plots, one 100 by 400, on the east side of Morton Avenue south of Memorial Street, valued at \$12,000, and another 100 by 200, at the northeast corner of Morton Avenue and Homack Street, valued at \$7,000.

The Duff & Brown Company have sold for the heirs of John D. Shuttleworth of Pensacola, Fla., to James F. McGarry, eight lots on Madison Avenue and Chestnut Street, Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, near the Stewart Railroad. This is the first time the property has been sold since 1875.

Westchester.

Plots at Pelhamwood have been sold by Joseph Lambden & Son to Edward E. Pollock, William H. Stephens, Mrs. Ada M. Clemens, Malcolm Johnson, and Nathan N. Vought.

The Robert E. Farley organization has sold plots at Nepperhan Heights to Joseph E. Fasollet, Frederick Shook, and George E. Cooley.

New Jersey.

A twenty-two-acre tract at Tremley Point, fronting about 1,000 feet on the Rahway River, has been sold by Floyd C. Corbin for Milken Brothers to a client for immediate improvement.

S. S. Walstrum-Gordon & Forman have sold for Mrs. Kate Hopper a three-acre plot on Paramus Road to Thomas H. Hull.

Mrs. Florence King Reideinan has purchased at auction the old Samuel Wilde property at 58 South Fullerton Avenue, for \$19,100. The plot fronts 200 feet and is 450 deep.

Edward P. Hamilton & Co. have resold for Fairchild-Baldwin Company of Newark, N. J., a plot of thirty acres on Whippany Road, Morristown, N. J. The property was acquired a month ago from B. Ogden Chislin.

Private Dwellings Leased.

The F. R. Wood, W. H. Dolson Company has leased for Edmund Dwight the five-story dwelling at 211 West Seventy-ninth Street to Mrs. I. Law.

Pease & Elliman have rented, furnished, for Mrs. C. E. McKenna to John Philip Sousa the four-story and basement dwelling, 20 by 100 feet, at 125 East Seventy-second Street.

Commercial Leases.

Manning & Trunk have leased for John I. Kennedy the four-story dwelling at 60 West Fifth Street to Mrs. I. Prevot, dressmaker.

DOUBLING UP APARTMENTS.

Two Families Where One is Allowed Violates Department Law.

Inspections being made by the Tenement House Department, says Commissioner John J. Murphy, indicate that in certain sections owners are subdividing suites of apartments without notice to the Tenement House Department, and thus violating the law.

The Tenement House Department, in issuing a notice on this subject, states that evidently many owners violate the law thoughtlessly. Whenever the department finds that such conditions have been created it has no option but to require the summary vacation of the family occupying the part of the apartment which has no access to the fire escape, and it is obliged to commence proceedings for the collection of a penalty from the delinquent owner.

As the result of a census completed by the department a number of houses have been discovered which, though not erected as or altered into tenement houses, are being used for tenement purposes.

NEW EAST RIVER TUNNELS.

Consents of Property Owners Secured by Commission.

Consents from interested property owners for the legalization of Rapid Transit Route No. 61, which takes in the compromise tunnel agreed on between the Deagon Contracting Company and the Public Service Commission, whereby tunnels are to be built from East Sixty-sixth Street, Manhattan, under the East River to Long Island City, instead of rebuilding the Manhattan approach to the Queensboro Bridge, have been secured according to a communication sent by Secretary Travis Whitney of the Public Service Commission to the different civic associations in Queens.

Consents from the property owners were necessary for this change in plans, and while property owners in Long Island City were anxious to sign, it was anticipated that some opposition might develop on the Manhattan side of the river.

The Public Service Commission is now taking the necessary steps to legalize the new route and engineers are preparing specifications and soundings, and borings will soon be started as a preliminary to awarding the contract for the building of the tunnel.

Apartments Leased.

Apartments have been leased by Pease & Elliman at 161 East Seventy-ninth Street to Miss Doris Andrews, 525 Park Avenue to Killian Van Rensselaer, 105 Gramercy Park to Arthur J. Morris and Huger W. Jarvey, 15 West Fifty-fifth Street to Henry W. Buckball, 24 West Fifty-ninth Street to A. J. Taylor, and at 350 Park Avenue to Mrs. Warner M. Loebe.

Douglas Robinson, Charles S. Brown Co., in connection with Mrs. Julia Beverly Higgins, have rented for Benjamin S. Hannon his apartment at 30 East Fifty-fifth Street to Fergus Reid. The F. R. Wood, W. H. Dolson Company has leased apartments at 171 West Seventy-first Street to Robert J. Doherty, 35 West Eighty-fifth Street, to Mrs. Eva Roberts, 255 West Eighth Street to Samuel Warren and Miss J. D. Leach, and at 10 West Thirty-second Street to Miss Helen Waldo.

Country House Rentals.

Mrs. George W. Forsyth has leased her residence at 184 South Street, Morristown, N. J., to S. Valentine Farrelly, and Charles J. Whalley has leased from the estate of David Fairchild the residence with twenty acres of ground between Morris Plains and Morristown. Eugene V. Welsh was the broker.

The E. C. Easton estate at Great Neck has been leased by Frank Crowell to Carl W. Hamilton.

Cocks & Willets have leased to C. C. Auchincloss the Piping Rock farm adjoining the Piping Rock Club at Locust Valley, L. I.

S. Osgood Pell & Co. have leased the Pass place, at Great Neck, to Roy Atwell.

Sales at Queens Manor.

Robert E. Pendergrast has sold for the New York Title Insurance Company, at Queens Manor, Queens, Long Island, to Robert A. Young, lots 232, 233, 234, 235 on Jackson Ave.; to Martin and Martha Johnson, lots 595, 596, 597 on Jackson Ave., corner Spruce St.; to John Mulcahey, lot 218 and 219 on Walnut St.; to Gustav Proctor, lots 220 and 221 on Creed Ave.; to Ethel M. and Edna M. Conklin, lot 23 on Jackson Ave.; to Frederick J. and Louise Diers, lots 253 and 259 on Poplar St.; to Richard and Ethel Maurer, lot 35 on Jackson Ave.

Sheepshead Bay Development.

A new home development in the metropolitan district is about to be started by the Sheepshead Bay Realty, which has acquired a tract of 487 acres at Sheepshead Bay. The water front will be attractively developed and the plans involve a large golf course and a club house. The tract includes 3,000 city lots with a frontage on the ocean, Sheepshead Bay, Garrettsville, Sheepshead, and Broad Creeks. Among the directors of the company are Harry Harkness, Percy R. Pyne, 2d, Ben All Haggins, H. M. Kilborn, Anderson T. Herd, and D. T. Boyle.

THREE BLOCK FRONTS OF TALL APARTMENTS GOING UP ON PARK AVENUE TO MEET DEMAND

One Will Be Seventeen Stories High and Cost Over \$1,000,000—All These Operations Below Fifty-ninth Street—This Year's Rental Season for Expensive Suites Biggest Ever Known.

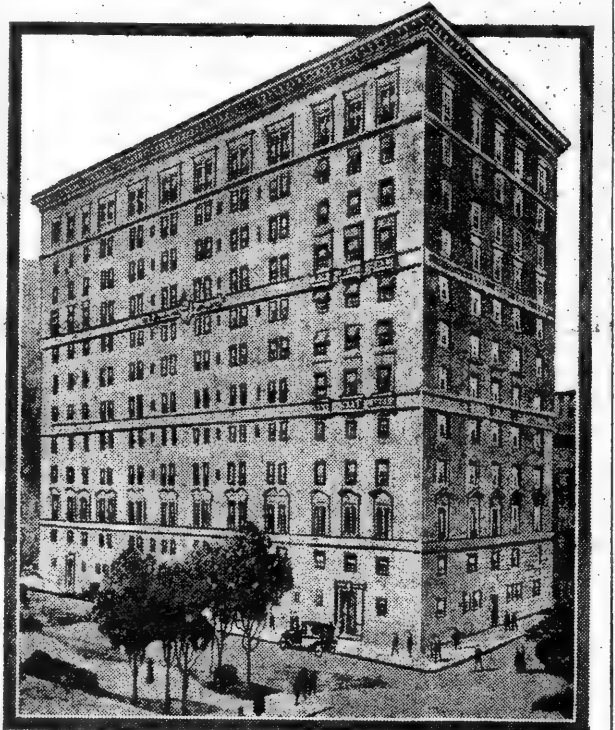
NEVER in the history of Park Avenue's remarkable transformation within recent years from a thoroughfare of small flats to the greatest avenue of magnificent multi-family houses in the world has the rental season in its vicinity been so successful as this year. When one considers that of the six tall structures opened this Fall on the avenue, four were fully rented before completion, while the other two, one at 995, near Eighty-second Street, and the other at 1,155, corner of Ninety-second Street, have few vacancies, some idea is gained of the continued demand for high-priced suites in that choice residential centre.

"I will admit that I am surprised at the instant success of so many of these big apartments," said Douglas L. Elliman last week. "I have always been partial to Park Avenue, believing firmly in its future, but its growth has been faster and more substantial than I had dared to anticipate. It is a curious fact, also, that the more expensive apartments rent first. The best prices are obtained in the blocks from about Fifth to Sixty-sixth Street. The biggest developments now seem to be centred in the blocks below Fifty-ninth Street, and of the two large houses opened there this year—399

streets has been established in the rental of suites for \$4,500 in the new house on the north side of Sixty-second Street, adjoining the new Colony Club."

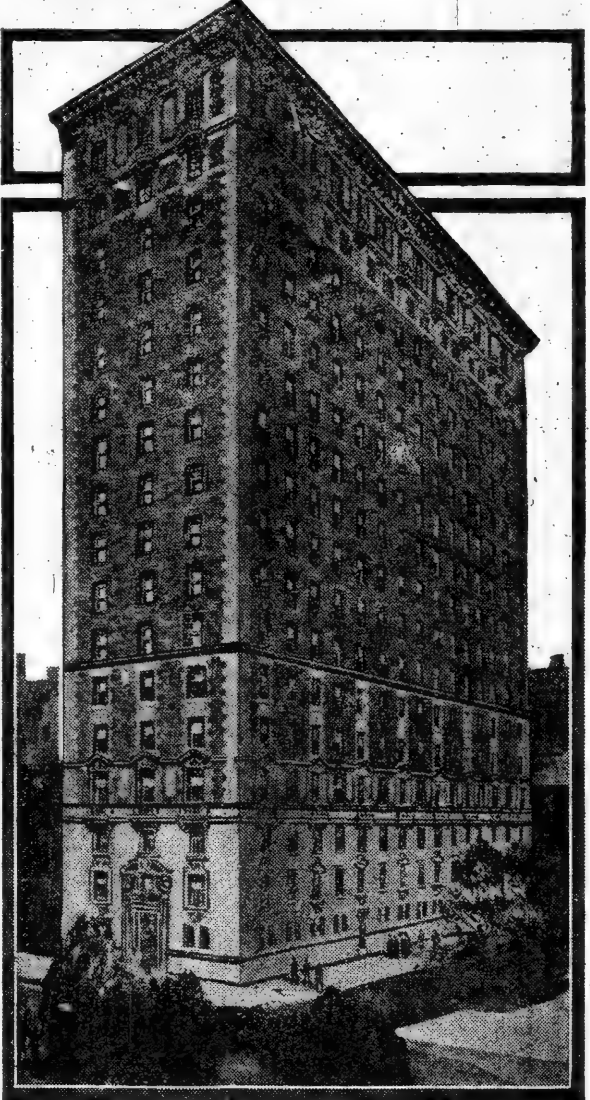
As an indication that builders and operators believe that the demand will continue to keep pace with the supply, it is worth noting that three entire block fronts are now in process of improvement with tall apartments for occupancy next season. Each of these block fronts will contain two separate buildings. In addition, plans were just filed for a tall house on the southwest corner of Fifty-eighth Street, and twelve-story houses are also projected for the southwest corners of Sixty-third and Eighty-first Streets and the northwest corner of Eighty-fourth Street.

The three block front improvements, which will mean an expenditure within twelve months of over \$4,500,000 in buildings alone, are on the west side of the avenue, being respectively between Fifth and Fifty-first, Fifty-first and Fifty-second, and Fifty-first and Fifty-sixth Streets. The buildings on the two former blocks will be of the twelve or thirteen story type. That between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth Streets will create, in a certain aspect, a new standard for the



Twelve-Story Apartment on West Fifty-fifth Street, Between Fifth and Fifty-first Streets. Warren & Wetmore, Architects.

and 400 Park Avenue, the southeast and northwest corners of Fifty-fourth Street, respectively—both were completely rented before Sept. 1. There has been no difficulty in getting tenants for Park Avenue this year, and it may also be interesting to note that a new record for prices on the side



Seventeen-Story Apartment for West Fifty-fifth Street, Between Fifth and Fifty-sixth Streets. Warren & Wetmore, Architects.

Jesup, but it will exceed that one in ground area.

The building is being erected by the Fullerton Weaver Company from plans by the architects, Warren & Wetmore, and they are also the architects of the twelve-story row on the Fifth and Fifty-first Street block. The eighteen-story operation will be known as 410 and 420 Park Avenue. There will be one suite on a floor of the two separately contained apartments, containing eighteen rooms, and rentals will run from \$9,000 to \$11,000, the upper floors commanding the higher prices. Douglas S. Elliman & Co., the agents, state that four apartments in this mammoth building have already been rented.

On account of the shape of the building, which is long and narrow, facing sixty-six feet eight inches on each street, every room will have an

outside frontage. The architects have made a feature of the kitchens, which are planned like miniature hotel kitchens. The cost of the building will exceed \$1,000,000.

In the twelve-story row on the Fifth to Fifty-first Street block, of which Pease & Elliman are agents, there will be three types of apartments, one on the corner of Fifth Street of sixteen rooms, at a rental of from \$7,400 to \$9,000. In the centre, facing on Park Avenue, will be duplex apartments of fourteen rooms, at a rental of \$6,200 to \$7,200. On the corner of Fifty-first Street will be apartments of thirteen and fourteen rooms, at rentals of \$5,600 to \$7,000.

There will be four entrances—two on Park Avenue and one on each street. On the entrance floor will be four doctors' apartments of two rooms.

NEW REALTY BOARD ON STATEN ISLAND

A new association of real estate men known as the Real Estate Board of Staten Island was permanently organized at a meeting held at St. George, S. I., last week.

The organization was brought about as a result of the energetic work of Anning S. Prall, who attended the recent convention of the Real Estate Association of the State of New York at Saratoga. Mr. Prall there learned of the importance to the locality of a local board and upon his return enlisted the co-operation of real estate owners, operators, and brokers throughout Staten Island.

More than 100 gathered at the meeting at St. George, and the permanent organization was effected by the adopting of a constitution and by-laws, submitted by an organization committee and the election of the following officers and Board of Governors: Anning S. Prall, President; Charles E. Griffith, Jr., Vice President; William L. Flake, Treasurer; Gustav A. Barth, Secretary; members of Board of Governors, Henry F. Contois, Anton L. Schwab, Frank Foggin, Cornelius K. Kolff, and P. G. Ullman, Jr.

After the business meeting the new board held its first annual banquet at Hugo's Hotel. Cornelius G. Kolff acted as toast-

master, and after a greeting by the newly elected President, Mr. Anning S. Prall, Borough President Calvin B. Van Name made an ardent plea for a united effort to secure better transportation facilities to and within Staten Island.

Brief addresses were also made by L. D. Woodworth, President Real Estate Association of the State of New York, on "Real Estate Interests in Their Broader Aspects"; M. Morgenstern, Jr., Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Real Estate Association of the State of New York, on "Accomplishments—A Retrospective and a Prospect"; A. R. Wagg, Second Vice Pres-

ident Real Estate Association of the State of New York, on "State Regulation of the Real Estate Business"; the Hon. J. Harry Tierman, County Judge, on "Laws Affecting Real Estate"; Stephen D. Stephens, Member of Assembly, on "The Legislature and Real Estate"; and Henry P. Morrison, Commissioner of Public Works, on "The Best Real Estate on the Best Spot on Earth."

The new Real Estate Board has already indicated that it will be one of the organizations affiliated with the Real Estate Association of the State of New York, and its members are taking an active interest in the work of the State organization.

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CROSTOWNLINE EXTENSION

East Side Arranged Against West Side in Car Line Fight.

There is every prospect of a lively meeting before the Board of Estimate on Friday next when the application of the New York City Railways Company to extend its crostown line through Eighty-sixth Street will be given a preliminary hearing.

Residents and property owners on West Eighty-sixth Street have organized and appointed a committee to fight the proposition on the ground that the extension of the line to Broadway as proposed would ruin the present character of the street and cause a great property loss.

East sides, through the medium of the Yorkville Association, complain that when they ride westward in Eighty-sixth Street they are dumped out at the Park entrance and if they want to go as far westward as Columbus Avenue or Amsterdam Avenue they must walk.

A member of the West Eighty-sixth Street Committee which is composed of Horace A. Saks, Chairman, A. P. Gardiner, B. J. Homan, George E. Rupert, and Hyman Sonn, discussing the matter yesterday, said:

"This street was laid out as a park street, and was formerly under the jurisdiction of the Park Department. The Park Department still has the care of the beautiful trees that line both sides of the street. When Mr. Stover was Park Commissioner and Mr. McAneny Borough President the city Government transferred the jurisdiction of this street from the Park Department to the President of the Borough of Manhattan in order that it might be properly paved."

"This was done without the knowledge or consent of the residents of the street and is now looked upon as a trick of the railroad company to make it easier for them to put through their off-attempted plan to extend their crostown line to Broadway."

"One of the earlier attempts of the City of New York to carry out a consistent and far-seeing project of city planning was to lay out Seventy-second Street, Eighty-sixth Street, Ninety-sixth Street, 110th Street, and West End Avenue as park streets. This amounted to an invitation to the property owners on these streets to develop their property in a way that would be in harmony with this plan of the city."

"The property owners on Eighty-sixth Street, to a greater extent than on any of the other streets, accepted this invitation in good faith, and the street on both sides, for almost the entire distance between Central Park and Riverside Drive, has been improved with handsome private residences and a few high-class apartment houses."

"These houses are suitable improvements for a broad street, with trees, and a street that is not given over to street railroads. To undertake to reverse this policy at this time, after the property owners have spent their money in erecting buildings which are suitable only for a quiet park street, would furnish an example of inefficient management that is not to be expected of this administration."

"The question is not whether this ought to have been laid out originally as a park street. That was decided years ago. It would be ridiculous to stand for a policy of far-sighted city planning, and at the same time lightly upset the plans of previous administrations. After a distinct plan has been adopted by the city, and property owners have improved their property in accordance therewith, it involves a large loss to these property owners when the plan is abandoned. It is safe to say that every building on this street would be depreciated in value 25 per cent. if this street car line were allowed to run through the street."

"The cause of the residents on Eighty-sixth Street ought to arouse the interest of the dwellers on every park street. Fifth Avenue has succeeded in keeping a car line off the street, with the consequence that property owners on that street have increased enormously and given New York one of the finest high-class business and residence avenues in the world. Does anybody believe that this would have been the case if there had been a car line through the street? To a lesser extent park streets, like West End Avenue and Eighty-sixth Street, may be expected to keep their character as residence streets if car lines are kept off of them."

"There are few enough places in New York relieved of the incessant din of a car line. The way people are flocking to Park Avenue, north of Fifth Street, and the high values which lots on this avenue have attained since the completion of the Grand Central terminal, show how highly New Yorkers value a street which is likely to remain free from the burden of a car line."

"The city Administration ought to realize that the development of new transportation lines in New York City is being very much overdone, and that the principal reason for the depression in the real estate market is the impossibility of foreseeing the consequences of the many new transit lines, that are now being completed."

"Every time a transit line is put through a street, it is likely to require the rebuilding of that street. On account of the changed condition, the old improvements become inappropriate. If a car line is run through Eighty-sixth Street, it will require ultimately the rebuilding of that street, to the great loss of the property owners."

BUILDING CONTRASTS ON MURRAY HILL

Havemeyer Mansion Being Torn Down for Loft Site and Dodge Residence Being Rebuilt.

ONLY A BLOCK APART

Property Owners Fight to Stop the Erection of 16-Story Structure on Havemeyer Site.

An interesting contrast in the changing conditions of the old residential centre of Murray Hill may be seen on two prominent corners on Madison Avenue within a single block. One is at the southwest corner of Thirty-eighth Street, where the magnificent Havemeyer mansion is being torn down for a sixteen-story building, while on the southwest corner of Thirty-ninth Street the old home of the late Miss Grace H. Dodge is undergoing alterations to fit it for a more convenient and attractive home.

The latter work is doubly interesting in that it represents the greatest expenditure on a private house that has been made in that section of Murray Hill for several years. To make this comparison more striking, the twenty-story business improvement just one block north, on the southwest corner of Fortieth Street, might be cited, a site formerly covered by two fine dwellings, but which gave way to the steadily increasing demands of trade during the Summer.

The Dodge house, which was purchased by George F. Baker last Spring, shortly after the death of Miss Dodge, was transferred a little later to Mrs. William Goodby Loew, daughter of Mr. Baker, and it has been extensively altered, both inside and outside, from plans by the architects, Walker & Gillette. The most radical outward change is its transformation from the old-fashioned high-stoop type to the American basement style, the entrance of Madison Avenue being flanked by two dignified Ionic brownstone columns. The Goodby Loews have occupied the adjoining house, at 290 Madison Avenue, somewhat smaller than the former Dodge residence, a wide house with the advantage of a corner frontage.

Adjoining the former Loew house is the large residence of Mr. Baker. He also owns the adjoining low professional building on the Thirty-eighth Street corner, and by his purchase of the Dodge property he controls the entire block front. Mr. Baker has made a hard fight for years to preserve the residential character of Murray Hill, and although his holdings are just outside of the closely restricted zone, his block front ownership will have the effect of presenting a barrier to the encroachment of trade on the avenue below Thirty-ninth Street.

The only exception, unless the houses on the eastern block opposite Mr. Baker's holdings succumb to trade, is the former Havemeyer corner, purchased last May by August Hecksher. His announcement of a sixteen-story building for the corner came as a shock to the Murray Hill residential set, and Mr. Hecksher has been made defendant in a suit to determine his right to erect such a structure on the northern boundary of the restricted zone. Search of the Havemeyer title revealed the hitherto forgotten fact that the property was sold by the Murray heirs in 1843, four years before the existence of the restrictive clause.

The Title Insurance and Trust Company accepted the record of this early sale as a good one and insured Mr. Hecksher's title free from all limitations to business. The basis of the suit will doubtless hinge upon the intent of the Murray heirs to include the corner in the restricted section, and as the decision will exert a marked effect upon the future of Murray Hill, the opinion of the court will be awaited with considerable interest.

NEW RAILROAD LINE.

Second Section of New York Connecting Railroad Being Built.

Operations have been started on the second section of the New York Connecting Railroad—the \$90,000,000 project which will unite Long Island with the mainland and establish uninterrupted railroad traffic for both freight and passengers. The erection of the steel work of the huge bridge across Hell Gate has advanced rapidly.

The second section extends through Newtown, where the route is gradually depressed, and partly tunnel construction, until the Lutheran Cemetery is reached, where it will enter a tunnel more than half a mile in length and be carried over the tracks of the Long Island Railroad to the Evergreen section, where again it will pass through tunnels under East New York and connect through Brooklyn with the Bay Ridge terminal.

This new section will consist of concrete viaducts thirty to fifty feet in height, and the principal streets to be crossed are Jackson Avenue, Roosevelt Avenue, Shell Road, Queens Boulevard, Grand Street, and Metropolitan Avenue, at Lutheran Cemetery. The tunnel form of construction will be used where this branch crosses the North Shore Division and the main line of the Long Island Railroad in the Newtown section.

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J. Walter Drake Tells Convention in Detroit That Makers
Want to Co-operate to Prevent Accidents
and Improve Driving.

Automobile manufacturers seem to have decided to take up the "Safety First" movement in connection with the Safety First Federation of America. J. Walter Drake, a Director in the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, sounded the keynote of this movement in an address before the Safety First Convention in Detroit recently. Speaking as a representative of the national organization on the subject "Co-operation On Behalf of the Automobile Manufacturers," Mr. Drake said that the manufacturers were for anything and everything the Safety First organization might suggest which would be within reason. He stated that they were willing to equip the cars with safety devices that might help to solve the great problem of today and greatly reduce the loss of human life.

"The automobile problem has probably hastened the advent of the 'Safety First' movement," said Mr. Drake, "but I do not believe it is wholly responsible for it or the large number of accidents and fatalities. The main trouble is that the whole world is in too much of a hurry. We are for safety first, last, and always. All we ask is that we be allowed to co-operate with your organization. I believe the auto photographic license is a proper thing, for an auto in the hands of the wrong person is a most dangerous instrument."

His speech in part was as follows: "I am glad to have the opportunity to tell you what I think is the attitude of the automobile manufacturer to-

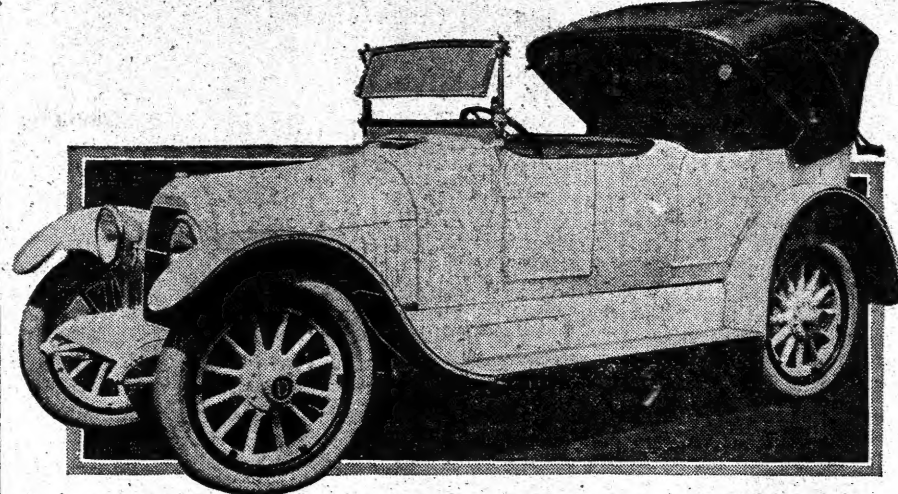
an hour and racing was one of the chief sports.

"The while industry has been judged by the class of men who first went into it. These men were not necessarily business men, but were able to drive a car at twenty miles an hour and not get caught. The tremendous growth, the great volume of business that is shown, all of these things have tended to put the automobile industry in the time light and keep it there.

"But we are for the regulation of traffic; we are for safety first, last and all the time. This thing calls for education and not legislation, it calls for co-operation and not coercion. I agree with the gentleman who says that we ought to have a law under which every man who drives a car ought to be examined. The automobile is a dangerous thing in the hands of a man who does not know how to use it. If you want such a law, we are with you. All we want you to do is to sit down with us and go over these provisions. We are here to say we will co-operate in any way. Let us get at it in a way of education. For instance at my factory—it's off in the northeast part of the city—there are workmen's dwellings all around. The children run probably fifteen to the family. There were thousands of children all over the streets and sometimes they would come out and fling themselves out to see if we could dodge them. We decided we would try to get rid of them.

"I could see the increased insurance rate coming, and put that first if you will. Don't give us credit for the first count on a humanitarian basis. The next thing, however, was a humanitarian proposition. We could get these children away if we did it in the right way. We had a vacant lot about the size of this convention floor. We got in touch with the Play Ground Commission and fixed the grounds up as a playground and kept the children there. We had a wading pool, swings and everything that a playground would have and those children are off the streets. 'Safety first'—that meant saving of dollars to us and saving of lives to these children.

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The touring car with victoria top shown above is one of the new Daniels eight-cylinder cars which are to be handled in this city by the A. Elliott Ranney Company. Limousine, coupé, and brougham, as well as touring and roadster models, will be on view shortly at its offices. The models of this American-made car have been accepted for exhibition at the next Importers' Automobile Salon.

AUTO ROWDIES PUNISHED.

Drunken Chauffeur Held for Grand Jury and Bottle Thrower Jailed.

On a Sunday several weeks ago a party from Orange, N. J., while motoring through the outskirts of Goshen, N. Y., noticed another car coming down the road at an excessive speed and swaying from side to side. It was later proved that all the occupants of the car were intoxicated. One of the passengers hurled an empty bottle which splintered the windshield of the first car and painfully injured the driver.

The prosecution of the guilty parties has been vigorous. The man who threw the bottle was sentenced to six

months in the County Jail and the other passengers were fined for disorderly conduct. The complaint against the driver of the offending car, operating an automobile while under the influence of liquor, came up for a hearing last Saturday, which resulted in his being held under bail to await the action of the Grand Jury. Several representatives of the Automobile Club of America attended the session.

New Signs for Lincoln Highway.

The Automobile Club of Philadelphia has provided funds and issued instructions for the erection of special Lincoln Highway signs at each corner on the Lincoln Highway in the city. Work is now under way under the sanction of the Philadelphia Department of Public Works.

Entries Pouring in for Auto Shows.

That the magnitude of the two great National Automobile Shows at New York and Chicago will be in keeping with the present motor car boom is evidenced by the constantly increasing number of space reservations being made. The number of makers of motor cars and accessories who were on hand to draw for spaces early this month at the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce made it certain that previous shows would be beaten. The demand for exhibition space, however, still continues. Since the drawing, S. A. Miles, who manages the shows for the Chamber of Commerce, has made allotment of 157 more spaces to exhibitors.

SELF-STARTERS NEED SOME CARE

Their Troubles Mainly Are from
Neglect, Says Brokaw of
West Side Y. M. C. A.

The development of the self-starting device and its general adoption by auto makers and drivers have brought a new source of trouble to garage and repair men. A self-starter that will not start either itself or car is a vexation, and the coming of the short days with cool mornings has produced many. Of course the greater part is due to misuse, carelessness or ignorance, and a lot of drivers are learning how to start their self-starters when they will not start themselves.

Some of the trouble, it is true, is due to the fact that many thousands of the earlier types of the self-starter have been in use long enough to need repair parts and a general overhauling, but so much has come from simple "don't know" that the automobile school at the West Side Y. M. C. A. of New York City has put in a course on "self-starters," which is being patronized by garage and repair men, as well as individual drivers.

"The self-starter is responsible for a lot of other troubles," said H. C. Brokaw, Director of the school, last week. "For instance, a car may be running along smoothly when the lights flash up and then go out. 'Mr. I Don't Know' starts in at the generator or the battery to trace each wire to locate the trouble. The trouble was that the lights had burned out. There was a loose connection at the battery, or between the battery and generator, and the entire current generated was sent over the light circuit, which quickly burned out the lamp filaments. 'Mr. Know It' looks for the loose wire, puts in new bulbs, and goes on without fear of the traffic cop. 'You see cars running every night with only part of the lights in order.

Some have one headlight, some none, and others have not even the tail-light. The average owner knows mighty little about his car and its mechanism. He listens to the salesman of a self-starter and lighting system or of the car having it and absorbs just enough of it to rise up later and trouble him.

"Many think the storage battery, for instance, is big enough to stand up under any conditions. They do a lot of starting and little running—which is when the battery is charged—and they do their running all at night, when all the lighting circuit is drawing upon the battery, and then wonder why the battery falls down. The conditions noted prevent the generator from recharging, and sooner or later there is a discharged battery.

"Troubles of self-starter systems, which suggest the remedy needed, may be summed up as: First, neglect of ordinary care—it isn't kept clear; second, short circuit or open circuit; and lastly, worn, broken, or burned out parts, which would be discovered by a general overhauling at intervals."

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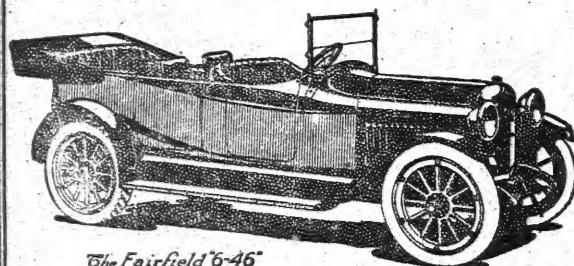
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These, you know, are Jubilee days. Paige men, all over the country, are celebrating two great events—the first anniversary of the Paige "Six-46," and the completion of the mammoth new addition to the Paige factory.

All summer we have been eagerly waiting for this factory addition to be finished.

All last spring and all this summer we have been obliged to refuse orders because there were not enough Paige cars to even partially supply the demand.

But now we have arrived.

The new buildings, the new machinery and a great army of men have given us a capacity of 150 Paige Sixes each day.

Now—for the first time in twelve long months—we are prepared to take your order and deliver the car on the same day.

So, come in and help out with the Jubilee celebration. Come and see the two great Paige cars which have been at a premium ever since they were first introduced to the American public.

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That demonstrates the rolling motion of flesh and muscle, the elastic Cushion quality which reduces friction in walking, and prevents slipping (backward, forward, or sideways).

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INTERESTING HAPPENINGS IN MOTORDOM DURING THE WEEK

AMERICAN AUTO EXPORTS DOUBLED IN LAST YEAR

Aggregated \$74,000,000 for Fiscal Year, and May Go to \$120,000,000 for Calendar Period—Complete Table Shows Details.

American automobile manufacturers, according to figures announced last week, doubled their sales abroad last year, their exports of automobiles and parts thereof in the year ended June 30, 1915, having aggregated more than \$74,000,000, against \$38,000,000 in 1914, \$2,000,000 in 1913, and \$1,000,000 in 1912, the first year of record. The gains were most pronounced in the second half of the fiscal year, and if the record made by July is maintained until the end of December, which seems probable from present indications, the total exports of automobiles in the calendar year 1915 will be well above \$120,000,000.

All parts of the world are buying American motor trucks and passenger automobiles, about eighty different countries being represented in the year's sales. Our motor trucks are being sold largely in England, France, and Russia. In Greece, Denmark, Sweden, and Serbia sales have also reached unparalleled proportions. Increased sales are likewise being made in many countries far removed from the war zone, including Canada, Cuba, Central America, Java, Australia, British South Africa, and in our own Territories of Hawaii, Porto Rico, and Alaska.

The year's exports of passenger automobiles were slightly less than those of 1914. Large gains in exports to the United Kingdom, Asiatic Russia, Cuba, Central America, the British West Indies, British Guiana, Venezuela, and British East Africa were more than offset by numerous decreases occurring elsewhere, notably France, Germany, and various countries in Europe, South America, and Asia.

The constituent factors in the automobile export trade for the last two fiscal years are as follows:

	1914.	1915.
Commercial automobiles	\$1,181,111	\$2,149,882
Passenger automobiles	\$23,282,963	\$21,411,953
Automobile tires	\$3,305,267	\$4,993,270
Automobile engines	\$1,391,833	\$1,413,312
Automobile parts	\$6,224,232	\$7,855,115
Total	\$32,185,406	\$37,824,232

Total exports to foreign countries, \$38,000,000 in 1914, \$74,000,000 in 1915.

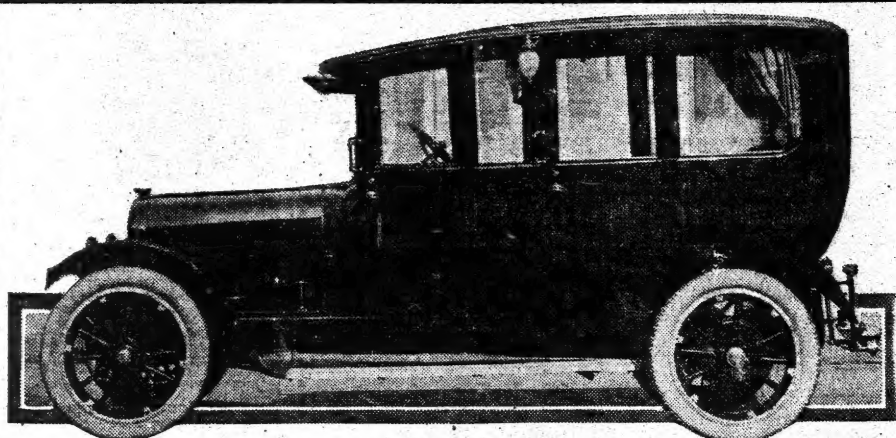
Total to Alaska, \$1,285,238 in 1914, \$1,614,387 in 1915.

Total to Porto Rico, \$586,906 in 1914, \$775,871 in 1915.

A complete record of the United States export trade in automobiles is contained in the table, prepared by the Department of Commerce, which follows. It shows the number of automobiles of each class exported to the different countries in the fiscal years 1914 and 1915 and the value of the exports in the latter year:

Exported to—	Commercial Automobiles	Passenger Automobiles	Auto Parts
	1914. 1915.	1914. 1915.	1914. 1915.
Total	784 13,996	28,706 23,880	\$21,114,000 \$6,624,000
Argentina	243 5,306	1,042,000 4,992	8,321 6,849,000
France	2 4,950	13,514,000 1,427	451 253,000
Russia (European)	2 2,251	7,957,000 925	907 1,328,000
Greece	1 142	427,000 25	36 28,000
Belgium	100 3,119	268 219	15,000 21,000
Denmark	1 41	8,000 942	114 70,000
Italy	1 1	1,000 812	125 51,000
Norway	2 8	5,000 182	125 51,000
Sweden	1 10	15,000 324	137 109,000
Austria-Hungary	1 1	1,000 812	125 51,000
Czechoslovakia	24 4	3,000 1,411	16 17,000
Finland	1 1	1,000 100	17 9,000
Ireland	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Netherlands	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Portugal	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Serbia and Montenegro	10 10	6,000 59	14 18,000
Spain	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Switzerland	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Turkey (European)	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Azores and Madeira	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Bulgaria	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Iceland	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Canada	247 306	702,000 4,977	4,127 8,722,000
Central America	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Central American Republics	13 14	25,000 115	170 131,000
Mexico	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Newfoundland	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
West Indies—			
Cuba	19 21	35,000 297	1,859 740,000
Danish	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
French	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Dutch	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Haiti	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Dominican Republic	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Argentine	45 8	3,000 940	626 26,000
Bolivia	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Brazil	12 1	5,000 297	10 5,000
Chile	2 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Colombia	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
British Columbia	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Dutch East Indies	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Paraguay	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Peru	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Uruguay	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Venezuela	12 3	1,000 126	227 143,000
China	7 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
French China	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Chosen (Korea)	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
India	7 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
British India	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Strait Settlements	7 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Other Brit. East Indies	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Japan	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Manchuria	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Philippine Islands	32 57	84,000 3,099	2,159 1,768,000
French Oceania	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
British Oceania	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
British East Africa	12 15	40,000 1,618	985 157,000
British West Africa	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Egypt	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Morocco	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
Other Africa	2 1	1,000 23	148 85,000
German Oceania	1 1	1,000 23	148 85,000

Note.—The shipments to American territories included: Hawaii, 809 automobiles valued at \$972,000; Porto Rico, 548 valued at \$438,000; Alaska, 59 valued at \$80,000 in fiscal year 1915.



NEWEST OF BERLINE BODIES ON AN EIGHT-CYLINDER CHASSIS. This is the Cole eight with one of the closed bodies which have been selected for the line this season. It has three auxiliary seats, which can be unfolded separately from their recesses in the floor, giving six-passenger capacity.

SUPPORT OF MOTORISTS URGED FOR CONSTITUTION

Committee for Adoption of New Law Points Out Provisions for Road Building and New Highway Control.

Some reasons why, in its opinion, automobilists should support the new Constitution have been brought forward in a statement issued last week by the Committee for the Adoption of the Constitution, with headquarters in Albany. The statement says: "There are several very good reasons why the proposed Constitution should have the support of all automobilists and all others who are interested in the development of good roads in New York State. Because automobilists have taken the lead in the good roads movement is a good reason why they should take an affirmative part in bringing about the adoption of the revised Constitution.

"One of the first arguments in the new Constitution that will strike one is the provision for a great Department of Public Works as one of the constitutional departments of the State Government. Heretofore the highway development in the State has been entrusted to a department that rested on a statutory basis only. Under the proposed Constitution, the Commissioner of Public Works will be one of the constitutional officers composing the Governor's cabinet of advisers. He will have under his direction the development of the State highways, hitherto entrusted to the Commissioner of Highways. The good roads movement in New York State has suffered in the past from politics. It has suffered from a lack of continuity, so far as policy is concerned.

"Within the last six or eight years this policy has shifted a half dozen times. It has never been possible to tell when a new administration came into power whether the Highway Department was to be left unchanged or whether its control was to be transferred into new hands. The new Constitution, if adopted, will go a long way toward assuring continuity and stability in the State's good roads policy.

"There are two other very good reasons why automobilists should support this Constitution. In the first place, the new Constitution will give the Department of Highways the right, which has hitherto been withheld, of building a State road through the heart of the Adirondacks. The present Constitution prevents any trees being cut in the forest preserve for any reason whatever. This has been an effectual stop to the construction of State highways through the preserve. The road, which the amendment will authorize, will run from Old Forge, by way of Raquette Lake, Blue Mountain Lake and Long Lake to Saranac Lake. It will be the only highway laid out directly through the mountains from east to west. The road is almost entirely over State land. When constructed it will be one of the finest scenic roads in the country, and will complete the connecting system of roads throughout the Adirondack State Park.

"A second reason why this proposed Constitution should be looked on with favor, particularly by automobilists, is that its adoption will authorize the expenditure of about \$2,500,000, raised under the second highway bond issue, or the use of the State, which would otherwise revert to the sinking funds of the State. The restrictions on this bond issue provided for the arbitrary apportionment of the moneys to counties with the provision that the amount so apportioned could be used only in the county to which it was assigned, and only for State roads provided for in that county under the original plans for highway development.

"The result of this apportionment was to create a surplus of the sums to be expended in some counties and a deficit in others. The proposed amendment will allow the surplus to be applied outside of the limits of the par-

ticular counties so that a large number of important links in our State highway system can be built. There are more than 250 miles of connecting links on important highway trunk lines that can be built if this amendment to the Constitution is passed. These reasons ought to appeal to all those who are seeking to find in the new Constitution provisions which are clearly an improvement over the present one."

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Dr. Whitin holds that the underlying motive in convict road building must be to secure the greatest efficiency for the State out of its possessions. Both the convicts and the roads are property of the State, and the working of convicts upon the roads should eliminate many elements of waste in the administration of road and prison departments.

"The efficiency of the convict on the road gang," he continued, "differs greatly in different gangs. There is no doubt in my mind that the application of the efficiency records in use at the present time in the Wis-

consin road camps for free labor will tend even more perceptibly to raise the efficiency of convict labor. "Incentive" must be created before good work can be produced. Co-operation in a stuffy, insanitary jail for several months, arraign us for trial amid the excitement of what we misname as justice, and then take a few months of breaking our spirit in prison surroundings, and there is little likelihood that the thing we call ginger will be very apparent. The great

need is for the foreman of a convict road gang to throw his shoulder to the task and inspire his gang with the desire to "like him." The problem lies in securing such men as foremen of the road gangs. The graduate department of highway engineering at Columbia University has been in close touch with the National Committee on Prisons and Prison Labor, which is located on the campus, for a number of years. Thesis work has been carried on under the joint direction of the department and the Prison Committee.

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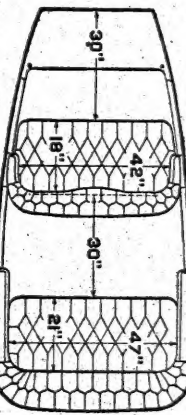
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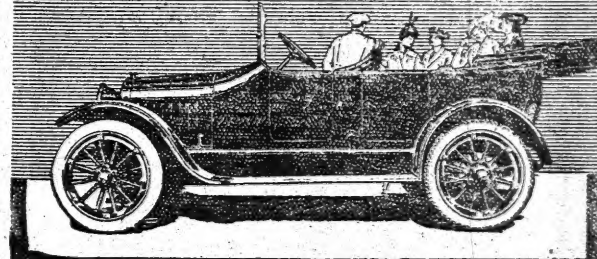
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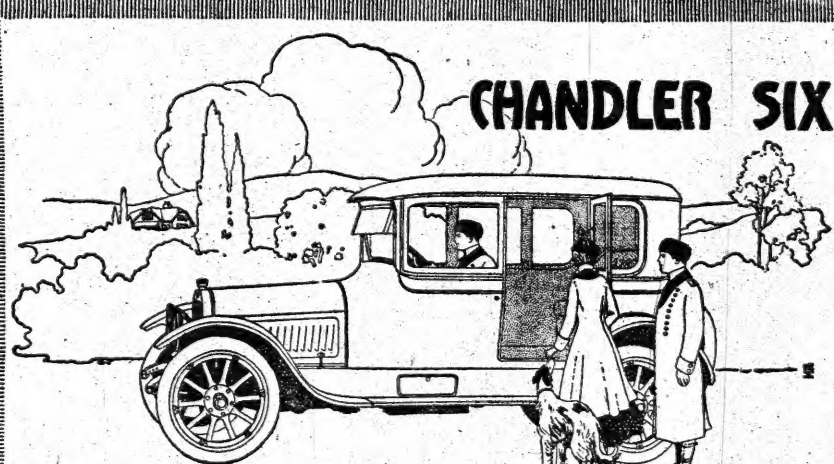
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"The adoption of the new Constitution," the report states, "will make the next Legislature important, and will also give greatly increased power to the Board of Aldermen."

The Union says that it has been able to inform more Democratic candidates this year than ever before—some because of their record in office, and others because of their recognized ability.

"Speaking generally," says the report, "the character of the aldermanic candidates is higher than it has ever been before. The Citizens' Union states that there is an exceptional opportunity by discriminating voting to elect a Board of Aldermen, not only with a strong Fusion majority but also with some competent men for the city and county offices."

In order to obtain their views the Union submitted a list of seven important subjects for consideration to each candidate. These included: (1) the city and county government; (2) the city and county government; (3) the city and county government; (4) the city and county government; (5) the city and county government; (6) the city and county government; (7) the city and county government.

The directory of Assembly candidates follows:

New York County.

FIRST DISTRICT. JOHN J. RYAN, (Dem.)—Present Assemblyman, record of votes good; record otherwise unsatisfactory; favors large Board of Education.

HARRY E. AUGENTHALER, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L.)—Republican District Captain; opposes reduction in salary of faithful city employees; favors legislation for working men; views on other subjects not given.

SECOND DISTRICT. PETER J. HAMIL, (Dem., Ind., L.)—No response to request for views.

JOSEPH FRANKEL, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L.)—Favors election and home rule proposals; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

THIRD DISTRICT. CAESAR B. BARRA, (Dem., Ind., L.)—No response to request for information.

JOHN STANLEY, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L.)—Defeated candidate for Assembly and Alderman in the past.

FOURTH DISTRICT. HENRY S. SCHIMMEL, (Dem., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Assemblyman 1913-1914; marked improvement in salary of city services; views on legislation not furnished.

DANIEL WIDDI, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L.)—Defeated candidate for Senate and Assembly; election and control of salaries proposals.

FIFTH DISTRICT. MAURICE McDONALD, (Dem., Prog., Ind., L.)—Present Assemblyman with fair record; no response to requests for information.

SIXTH DISTRICT. JOSEPH F. WALKER, (Rep., Am.)—No response to state views on subjects of legislation.

ABRAHAM BRENNER, (Dem.)—Special County Attorney; favors election and home rule proposals.

NATHAN D. PERLMAN, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Favors election and home rule; fair record; favors election, home rule, and other proposals. Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

SEVENTH DISTRICT. PETER M. MELLON, (Dem., Ind., L.)—Assemblyman 1909-1915; with fair record of service; views on proposed legislation not furnished.

ALBERT S. GIBBS, (Rep.)—No response to requests for views on legislation.

EIGHTH DISTRICT. ABRAHAM GOODMAN, (Dem.)—No political activities; no response to requests for views on legislation.

LEO WOLFSON, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Formerly a Republican; Independent Democrat; statement of views on legislation not given.

NINTH DISTRICT. CHARLES D. O'NEILL, (Dem., Ind., L.)—Assemblyman 1913-15; improved record of service in last year; favors home rule proposals.

TENTH DISTRICT. JOHN J. SAMMON, (Rep.)—Inconspicuous member of Assembly 1905-1906; defeated candidate for Justice of the Peace; County district leader. If elected would give salary for relief of the poor and devote salary time to district work.

WALTER M. FRIEDLAND, (Dem., Ind., L.)—Present Assemblyman; views on legislation not furnished.

LEON EDECKER, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L.)—Member Assembly 1914, with good record. Favors general election, home rule, and other proposals. Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

ELEVENTH DISTRICT. JAMES T. MAHONEY, (Dem., Ind., L.)—No response to request for information.

MURRY G. BRENNAN, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L.)—Candidate of the Boyer faction. No response to requests for information.

THIRTIETH DISTRICT. JOSEPH D. KELLY, (Dem., Ind., L., Am.)—Assemblyman 1913-14; improved record of service in last year; no response to requests for information.

JOHN J. TOTTE, (Rep.)—Defeated for the Assembly; no response to requests for information.

FRANK P. CATINELLA, (Rep.)—Never held public office; no response to requests for information.

persevering with improved record in last year of service; no response to requests for information.

ABRAHAM L. ALLOSAY, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Favors general election and home rule proposals.

PERRY MILLER ARMSTRONG, (Dem.)—Favors general election, home rule, and other proposals; Indorsed by the Citizens' Union.

JAMES WALSH, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Defeated candidate for Assembly and for Assemblyman 1914; no response to requests for views on legislation.

FRANK ARANOW, (Dem.)—Assemblyman, shows some ability, but record generally unsatisfactory; no response to requests for views on legislation.

JULIUS M. LEDER, (Rep., Ind., L., Am.)—Public relations officer of the city and county; no response to requests for information.

MICHAEL KLEINMAN, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Never held public office or been a candidate before; favors all proposed legislation.

THOMAS T. BELLEY, (Dem.)—No previous political activities; has not held public office; favors general election and home rule proposals.

HAROLD C. MITCHELL, (Rep., Ind., L., Am.)—Assemblyman 1915; showed independence and marked improvement in salary of city employees; Indorsed by the Citizens' Union.

RICHARD M. BOLDEN, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Never held public office; no response to requests for information.

MAURICE BLOCH, (Dem.)—Present Assemblyman with poor record. No response to requests for information.

RICHARD H. WALTERS, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Never held office or been a candidate before; favors election, home rule, and other proposals.

DANIEL J. GILLEN, (Dem., Ind., L., Am.)—Independent Democrat; Member of Assembly 1915, with unsatisfactory record; favors present status to regulate salaries of county officers.

NICHOLAS H. PINTO, (Rep.)—Favors general election, home rule, and other proposals; Indorsed by the Citizens' Union.

ROBERT LINK, (Rep., Am.)—Formerly a Republican; favors election, home rule, and other proposals.

OWEN M. KIERNAN, (Dem., Ind., L.)—Throughout his legislative service made generally good record; favors election and home rule proposals.

JOSEPH FRANKEL, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Favors election and home rule proposals; believes in large Board of Education. Indorsed by the Citizens' Union.

JOHN G. MILBURN, Jr., (Dem., Am.)—Recognized ability; fair record in Assembly; no response to requests for information.

ROBERT MC. MARSH, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Has been for a long time active in civic and legislative matters; exceptionally good record in salary of city employees; favors election, home rule, and other proposals; Indorsed by the Citizens' Union.

MEYER LEVY, (Dem.)—No response to requests for information.

JOSEPH STEINBERG, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Favors general election and home rule proposals; Assemblyman 1914-15, with generally good record; Indorsed by the Citizens' Union.

BENJAMIN L. LACHING, (Dem., Ind., L.)—Opposed to election and party discipline; never held office or been a candidate before; favors election and home rule proposals; Indorsed by the Citizens' Union.

JOSEPH FRANKEL, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Favors election and home rule proposals; Indorsed by the Citizens' Union.

CAESAR B. BARRA, (Dem., Ind., L.)—No response to request for information.

JOHN STANLEY, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L.)—Defeated candidate for Assembly and Alderman in the past.

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DANIEL P. PARRELL, (Dem., Ind., L., Am.)—Defeated candidate for Assembly and for Assemblyman 1914; no response to requests for views on legislation.

GEORGE H. BRIGGS, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Never held public office or been a candidate before. No response to requests for information.

JOHN J. MCKEON, (Dem.)—In his last year of service, failed to show value as a legislator.

CHARLES A. WALTER, (Rep.)—Active in public relations; no response to requests for information.

JOHN P. PARKS, (Rep.)—Favors election, home rule, and other proposals.

FREDERICK S. BURR, (Dem., Ind., L., Am.)—Assemblyman 1914-15; with fair record; no response to requests for information.

EDWARD T. BEAMISH, (Rep.)—Never held office or been a candidate before; favors election, home rule, and other proposals; Indorsed by the Citizens' Union.

WILLIAM D. BURNES, (Dem., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Assemblyman 1913-14, 1914-15, with fair record; no response to requests for information.

JOSEPH M. HANNON, (Dem., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Assemblyman 1913-15; poor record; no response to requests for information.

EDWIN C. COOK, (Rep., Am.)—Requests for information unanswered.

EMANUEL SILVERSTEIN, (Dem., Ind., L., Am.)—Favors proposed administrative economies and revenue reforms; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

LOUIS JACOBSON, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Assemblyman 1914-15; with fair record; no response to requests for information.

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MICHAEL STAPLETON, (Dem., Ind., L., Am.)—Assemblyman 1914-15; poor record; no response to requests for views.

THOMAS A. SANGARELO, (Rep.)—Requests for information unanswered.

PATRICK H. SULLIVAN, (Dem., Ind., L., Am.)—Assemblyman 1914-15; poor record; no response to requests for information.

JAMES E. MARCH, Jr., (Rep., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Defeated for Assembly 1914; favors home rule.

WILLIAM H. BURNS, (Dem., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Assemblyman 1913-14, 1914-15; poor record; no response to requests for information.

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NATHAN LIEBERMAN, (Independent City Party)—Assemblyman 1914-15; with good record; favors proposed administrative economies, revenue reforms, and departmental consolidation; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

JOHN M. P. THATCHER, (Dem., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Assemblyman 1914-15; with good record; favors proposed administrative economies and revenue reforms; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

LOUIS F. CARDANI, (Rep.)—Assemblyman 1914-15; with good record; favors proposed administrative economies and revenue reforms; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

THOMAS J. BARRY, (Rep.)—Request for information unanswered.

FREDERICK TRAU, (Rep., Ind., L., Am.)—Assemblyman 1914-15; excellent record; favors proposed administrative economies and revenue reforms and full exercise of home rule power; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

LAWRENCE COFFI, (Rep.)—Favors proposed administrative economies and revenue reforms and full exercise of home rule power; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

JOSEPH C. COHEN, (Rep.)—Request for information unanswered.

LAUREN CARROLL, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Assemblyman 1914-15; with good record; favors proposed administrative economies and revenue reforms; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

JOHN MCKEE, (Dem., Ind., L.)—Request for information unanswered.

HYMAN POKER, (Rep.)—Assemblyman 1914-15; Chairman of Board of Market Committee; favors proposed administrative economies and revenue reforms; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

JOHN M. ROYALL, (Rep.)—Request for information unanswered.

ABRAHAM KORN, (Independent candidate)—Favors proposed administrative economies and revenue reforms; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

JOHN R. PARADY, (Rep.)—Favors proposed administrative economies and revenue reforms; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

THOMAS P. DRESCHER, (Dem., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Assemblyman 1914-15; with good record; favors proposed administrative economies and revenue reforms; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

FREDERICK SMITH, (Rep.)—Elected Assemblyman 1914-15; with good record; favors proposed administrative economies and revenue reforms; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

CHARLES L. SMITH, (Rep.)—Favors proposed administrative economies and revenue reforms; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

JOHN DAUBERT, (Dem., Ind., L.)—Request for information unanswered.

ARNOLD L. SQUIERS, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Assemblyman 1914-15; with excellent record; favors proposed administrative economies and revenue reforms; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

GEORGE HILKEMEIER, (Dem., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Assemblyman 1914-15; with good record; favors proposed administrative economies and revenue reforms; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

JACOB BARTSCHER, (Rep.)—Does not state views.

PETER SCHWEICKERT, (Dem.)—Assemblyman 1914-15; with good record; favors proposed administrative economies and revenue reforms; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

WILLIAM S. GERMAIN, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Favors proposed administrative economies and revenue reforms; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

ROBERT L. MORAN, (Dem.)—Assemblyman 1914-15; with excellent record; favors proposed administrative economies and revenue reforms; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

HENRY V. BECHER, (Rep., Prog., Ind., L., Am.)—Favors central purchasing agency; favors proposed administrative economies and revenue reforms; Indorsed by Citizens' Union.

HENRY BOSSERT, (Rep.)—Defeated for Assembly 1910 and 1906; and for Alderman 1909, 1910, 1913; no response to request for views.

JAMES R. FERGUSON, (Dem.)—Assemblyman 1914-15; with unsatisfactory record; requests for information unanswered.

DANIEL MCPADDEN, (Rep., Ind